



DATE: August 13, 2018

**CITY OF COOLIDGE  
CITY COUNCIL ACTION FORM**

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**SUBJECT: Court Security Grant Funding**

**STAFF PRESENTER: Elisa Garcia,  
Magistrate**

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**RECOMMENDATION**

Approval to accept a grant in the amount of \$29,580 awarded by the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) on behalf of the Arizona Supreme Court; and approval to ratify the Funding Agreement between the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) on behalf of the Arizona Supreme Court and the City of Coolidge Municipal Court for the purpose of providing grant funding for court security improvements.

**DISCUSSION**

Due to Administrative Order No. 2017-15, the Arizona Supreme Court mandated that court security improvements be made within a three year phase, as follows:

Phase One: Training of Personnel-(Annual employee training done through the Administrative Office of the Pinal County Superior Court

Phase Two: Facilities & Equipment Improvements

Phase Three: Entryway Screening

In order to meet these standards, the Coolidge City Court submitted an application for funding to the Arizona Supreme Court in the amount of \$45,000 for Court Security Improvements. On May 14, 2018, the Court was notified of partial funding awarded in the amount of \$29,580. This amount will be used as follows:

\$28,445.00    Badge ID System

\$ 1,135.00    Panic Buttons

An action item will come before the Council in the near future to approve the purchase of the equipment to complete the court security improvements in Phase Two.



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**FISCAL IMPACT**

This expense of \$29,580 has been budgeted in the Fiscal Year 18/19 budget under GL Account 20-592 for court security improvements.

**ATTACHMENTS**

Award Letter - Court Security Improvements (PDF)

Funding Agreement - Court Security Improvements (PDF)

Budget - Courts Security 2018-2019 (XLS)

**REVIEW:**

Elisa "Georgie" Garcia Completed 08/02/2018 3:34 PM

City Attorney Completed 08/02/2018 4:54 PM

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Elisa "Georgie" Garcia, Magistrate 8/2/2018

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Ann Schrooten, Attorney 8/2/2018

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Gabe Garcia, Finance Director/CFO 8/3/2018

*Rick Miller*

Rick Miller, City Manager 8/7/2018