Police/School Liaison Interlocal Agreement City of Aubrey and Denton ISD

November 15, 2022

SUMMARY:

- This item requests approval of Police/School Liaison Interlocal Agreement between the City of Aubrey and the Denton Independent School District whereas City of Aubrey shall provide Denton ISD with two (2) certified police officers to serve as school resource officers (SROs) assigned to Providence Elementary School & Sandbrock Ranch Elementary School.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

The Denton ISD Board of Trustees have approved similar agreements with the City of Denton, Denton County Sheriff's Department, Town of Little Elm, and the City of Oak Point to provide SROs to our campuses in their jurisdiction.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

This is a service provided by The City of Aubrey to assist our schools in Aubrey's jurisdiction with School Resource Officers.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

-This MOU establishes and delineates the mission of the School Resource Officer Program, herein referred to the SRO program, as a joint cooperative effort. Additionally, the MOU formalizes relationships between the participating entities in order to foster an efficient and cohesive program that will build a positive relationship between Police Officers and the youth of our community in addition to reducing crime committed by juveniles and young adults.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

None - Cost of SRO Services will be absorbed by City.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

- Benefits (2) of Denton's elementary schools with services provided by the City of Aubrey Police Department to accomplish the following goals:

-Promote a safe environment for students, faculty, and staff.

-Reduce criminal offenses committed by juveniles and young adults by detention/arrest

-Establish rapport with student, faculty, administrative staff, and parents.

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

- None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

- None

ALTERNATIVES:

- No alternative actions are proposed.

OTHER COMMENTS:

- None

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

- The superintendent recommends approval of the Police/School Liaison Interlocal Agreements between the City of Aubrey and the Denton Independent School District whereas the City of Aubrey shall provide Denton ISD with two (2) certified police officers to serve as school resource officers (SROs) assigned to Providence Elementary School & Sandbrock Ranch Elementary School.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

- Dr. Jamie Wilson, Superintendent of Schools

- Dr. Jeff Russell, Area Superintendent

ATTACHMENT:

- List attachment(s)

APPROVAL: