



Ector County Independent School District

Action Page

TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Jeff Daniels, Chief of Police and Susan Lara, Grant Writer

SUBJECT: DISCUSSION OF AND REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO SUBMIT A GRANT TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR RIFLE RESISTANT BODY ARMOR GRANT PROGRAM FY 2024

DATE: January 17, 2023

On December 12, 2022 Governor Abbott announced the FY 2024 Rifle Resistant Body Armor Grant Program for the Criminal Justice Division of the Office of the Governor. The opportunity to apply for this grant under the Governor's office will enable ECISD to purchase bullet resistant vests, ballistic plates and plate carriers which the Police Department cannot currently afford. This grant will enable us to equip new and additional officers with this type of equipment.

The ECISD Police Department requests approval to submit a grant application to the Office of the Governor of the State of Texas. The purpose of the grant is to purchase 32 sets of bullet resistant vests, ballistic plates and plate carriers to equip front line officers.

Administrative Recommendation:

Approval of the Rifle Resistant Body Armor Grant Program FY 2024.