

CITY MANAGER'S/STAFF REPORT
COUNCIL MEETING DATE:

December 18, 2015

ITEM NO:

SUBJECT: Consideration and Necessary Action on Resolution of the City Council of the City of Selma in Support of Funding Allocation for Public Safety, Capital and Infrastructure Improvements through the 2016-17 State Budget Process.

DISCUSSION: The City is in need of, and is attempting to secure funding sources for design, development and construction of a new Police Station. The City has been approached by a lobbyist firm, Criscom Company which has been successful in obtaining funding for similar improvements in cities in Kings County. This is not grant funding, but, instead, a request for funding by allocation from the State of California Budget. According to the lobbying firm, this sort of funding request is granted, on occasion, and planned Police Department capital improvements have been wholly or partially funded through the State Budget as a result. The first step in seeking that allocation is to have the assembly person from our area express his support for the request. The member from our area has resigned effective December 31, and the lobbyist wishes to contact him and obtain his support for that allocation prior to his departure.

The Resolution is simply and only for the purpose of establishing that the City of Selma has plans and a need for the establishment of new public safety capital infrastructure improvements and that the project has full City Council support, which is typically what legislators request when advancing a funding allocation.

<u>COST:</u> (Enter cost of item to be purchased in box below)	<u>BUDGET IMPACT:</u> (Enter amount this non-budgeted item will impact this years' budget in box below – if budgeted, enter NONE).
None	None
<u>FUNDING:</u> (Enter the funding source for this item in box below – if fund exists, enter the balance in the fund).	<u>ON-GOING COST:</u> (Enter the amount that will need to be budgeted each year in box below – if one-time cost, enter NONE).
Funding Source: N/A Fund Balance:	None

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution of the City Council of the City of Selma in Support of Funding Allocation for Public Safety, Capital and Infrastructure Improvements through the 2016-17 State Budget Process.

/s/ Neal E. Costanzo
 Neal E. Costanzo, City Attorney

12/16/15
 Date


Ken Grey, City Manager

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