



**City Manager's Report**  
**January 9, 2018 City Council Meeting**  
**Prepared by: Chief of Police James M. Ortega**  
**Item #: 8.5**

**Subject:** Adopt a Resolution Requesting authorization to accept \$7000.00 in Homeland Security Grant Funding for reimbursement of License Plate Reader Maintenance for two years.

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**Discussion:** In 2015, El Dorado County was awarded a Homeland Security Grant. As part of that grant, the City of Placerville Police Department was awarded a grant for \$7000.00 to purchase two years of maintenance for the City's License Plate Reader Equipment.

Article II of the attached agreement provides the city of Placerville will use the funds to be reimbursed by the county of El Dorado solely for the purchase of the maintenance of the License Plate Reader. The City shall purchase the maintenance directly from the supplier which has been identified as Vigilant. Placerville Police Department will purchase the maintenance by March 31, 2018, and present the County with an invoice for payment. In the event City does not purchase the maintenance by March 31, 2018 and invoice the County by April 30, 2018 or in the event City does not adhere to grant purchasing guidelines, County's obligation for payment shall be null and void, and upon written demand by County, City shall return any funds it has received from the County and not spent on the Maintenance to County within thirty (30) days of mailing of written demand of County.

The City of Placerville, by resolution, will agree to purchase the maintenance of the License Plate Reader and request reimbursement from El Dorado County for no more than the \$7000.00.

**Options:**

1. Adopt the resolution accepting the grant funds.
2. Direct staff to negotiate changes to the agreement and bring back to Council.
3. Do not adopt the resolution at this time.

**Cost:** \$7000.00

**Fiscal Impact:** None, due to reimbursement from grant funding

**Recommendation:** Adopt a Resolution Requesting authorization to accept \$7000.00 in Homeland Security Grant Funding for reimbursement of License Plate Reader Maintenance for two years.



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**M. Cleve Morris, City Manager**



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**James M. Ortega, Chief of Police**