

CITY OF COOS BAY CITY COUNCIL
Agenda Staff Report

MEETING DATE November 15, 2016	AGENDA ITEM NUMBER
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TO: Mayor Benetti and City Councilors

FROM: Gary McCullough, Chief of Police

THROUGH: Rodger Craddock, City Manager

ISSUE: 2016/2017 DUII HVE Enforcement Grant

BACKGROUND:

For the last several years, the Coos Bay Police Department has submitted for and received yearly grant funds for participating in the DUII HVE (High Visibility Enforcement) Enforcement Campaign. For the 2016/2017 DUII HVE Enforcement Campaign period the Coos Bay Police Department was awarded \$8,260.00 in grant funds to pay for overtime DUII enforcement.

This campaign is sponsored by Oregon Impact and funded through the National Highway Traffic Safety Association (NHTSA). Through the grant, the Coos Bay Police Department is required to participate in two DUII HVE events. The two scheduled events for this grant period are the Christmas and New Year holiday period and Labor Day 2017 holiday. The department will schedule additional overtime shifts throughout the year. With these grant dollars the Police Department is able to put additional enforcement personnel on the streets during high volume traffic periods.

ADVANTAGES:

The availability of these overtime grant funds will allow the Coos Bay Police Department to conduct focused DUII enforcement within the City of Coos Bay.

DISADVANTAGES:

None

BUDGET:

None

RECOMMENDATION:

If it pleases the council, approve Police Department staff to submit for reimbursement for overtime hours worked during DUII Task Force events.