



CITY OF HAYWARD
AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE 09/12/06

AGENDA ITEM 5

WORK SESSION ITEM _____

TO: Mayor and City Council
FROM: Chief of Police
SUBJECT: Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP)

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that Council adopt the attached resolution:

1. Authorizing the City Manager to execute an agreement with the Office of Traffic Safety to accept funding for the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) for Local Enforcement Agencies; and
2. Appropriating \$112,922.00 to implement the grant program.

BACKGROUND:

On July 25, 2006, the California State Office of Traffic Safety awarded the Hayward Police Department \$112,922.00 to implement a Selective Traffic Enforcement Program. The \$112,922.00 will supplement Hayward Police Department staff on an overtime basis to conduct selective traffic enforcement to meet the grant requirements.

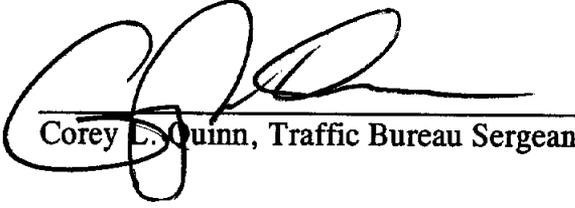
GOAL:

The goal of the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) is to reduce the number of fatal and injury collisions by:

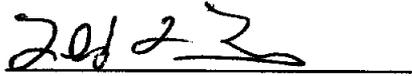
- Driving under the influence checkpoints and roving patrols
- Enforcement operations targeting red light "runners"
- Enforcement operations targeting vehicles equipped with illegal street racing equipment
- Seatbelt and child safety seat violations
- Enforcement operations at intersections with a large number of traffic collisions

The grant funding is for October 1, 2006, thru September 30, 2007.

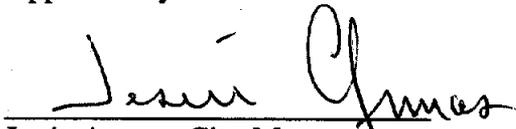
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Approved by:


Jesús Armas, City Manager

Attachment: Draft Resolution

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk of the City of Hayward

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney of the City of Hayward