



CITY OF ARANSAS PASS

AGENDA MEMORANDUM

First Reading Item for the City Council Meeting of [04/22/2021]
Second Reading Item for the City Council Meeting of [NA]

Date: Thursday, April 22, 2021
To: Gary Edwards, City Manager
From: Chief Eric Blanchard
chief@aransaspasstx.gov

Agenda Item #:

Title: Acceptance of a cash donation in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00 from the disbanded Tri-City 100 Club.

CAPTION:

Consider and act on approving the Police Chief to accept the cash donation of an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00 from the disbanded Tri-City 100 Club to be used for needed police services or supplies as designated by the Police Chief.

PURPOSE:

The Tri-City 100 Club was never able to take off, and the collected funds from donors need to be disseminated in accordance with the original purpose for their collection.

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

A group of San Patricio County residents organized and established the local Tri-City 100 Club to benefit the Aransas Pass, Ingleside, and Gregory Police Departments. Unfortunately, the responsibility was heavy and it was difficult getting the organization off the ground. As a result, the remaining members would like to disperse the collected funds to the respective agencies since they were originally collected with the intention of benefiting these three police departments.

EMERGENCY/NON-EMERGENCY:

N/A

DEPARTMENTAL CLEARANCES:

City Council – Must approve acceptance of such a large donation.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Supplement the PD budget to assist with needs of the department.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval of this agreement.

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

Donation Letter from Vance Dawson.

April 15, 2021

To whom it may concern,

I, Vance Dawson, previous Member of the Try City 100 Club has been designated to instruct on how the remaining funds be distributed.

The Funds will be split between Gregory Police Department, Ingleside Police Department, and Aransas Pass Police Department.

To receive these funds, we require acceptance by your City Council. Funds can only and solely be used for Police Department benefits authorized by the Police Chief, as he/she sees fit.

In addition, minutes must be presented to myself to receive funds, from each City Council Meeting.

Finally, minutes must be presented, no later than May 30, 2021.

Should you have any further questions/concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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