

RESOLUTION NO. 2660

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF HIGHWAY SAFETY FOR FUNDS FOR A TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT VEHICLE AND TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT DETAILS.

WHEREAS, the Governor's Office of Highway Safety is seeking proposals from state and local agencies for projects relating to all aspects of highway safety; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Payson, through its Police Department, will be submitting an application for funds for (1) a vehicle to be used for traffic enforcement and (2) traffic enforcement details,

NOW, THEREFORE, THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON, ARIZONA, DO HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the Town Council supports, approves and authorizes the Payson Police Department to submit a grant application to the Governor's Office of Highway Safety for a traffic enforcement vehicle and traffic enforcement funds.

Section 2. That Donald Engler, Chief of Police for the Town of Payson, is authorized to submit the letter, attached as Exhibit A, and any other documentation necessary to apply for such grant.

Section 3. That Chief Engler is additionally appointed agent for the Town of Payson for such grant application and is hereby authorized to execute and submit all documents in connection with the grant application and the grant itself should it be awarded.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PAYSON, ARIZONA, this _____ day of April, 2012, by the following vote:

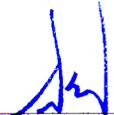
AYES _____ NOES _____ ABSTENTIONS _____ ABSENT _____

Kenny J. Evans, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Silvia Smith, Town Clerk



Timothy M. Wright, Town Attorney

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CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution Number 2660 was duly passed and adopted by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Payson, Arizona, at a regular meeting held on the _____ day of April, 2012, and that a quorum was present at the meeting.

Silvia Smith, Town Clerk

EXHIBIT A
TO
RESOLUTION 2660

Payson

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March 16, 2012

Mr. Alberto Gutierrez
Arizona Governor's Office of Highway Safety
3030 N. Central Ave. Suite 1550
Phoenix, AZ 85012

Mr. Alberto Gutierrez,

It is with pleasure that the Payson Police Department is submitting a grant application to you in the amount of \$44,581.00. When funded, this project will allow the police department to purchase a vehicle to be used for traffic enforcement in the amount of \$36,581.00. The purpose of this dedicated vehicle is to protect the citizens and visitors of our wonderful community from drivers that are committing traffic violations, such as speeding, running red lights, driving under the influence, speeding in school zones, etc. When funded, media releases will be made through all forms of local media thanking the Governor's Office of Highway Safety for their continued support as we continue to improve the services we provide.

This funding will also provide overtime traffic detail support. The Payson Police Department will utilize \$8,000.00 in funding to conduct at least ten traffic enforcement details during peak activity times, including holidays and special events in and around the Payson area. This has always been a very effective way of bolstering our traffic enforcement activities, especially during peak times and with the limited funding available to agencies through their normal operating budgets.

Again, we wish to thank you for the opportunity that you will be providing our agency to fulfill our promise to our community, citizens, visitors and surrounding agencies by providing for their welfare and identifying and removing dangerous drivers from our state highways and roads through the continuation of our strong and mutually beneficial partnership.

Sincerely,

Donald B. Engler, Chief of Police
Payson Police Department

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