



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEMS

To: Mayor Graham and City Council
From: Eric Van Hook, Director of Public Safety
Walter Denton, City Administrator
Date: February 14, 2014
Subject: RESOLUTION – EMS & Police Study

List of committees that have reviewed: Public Safety

Background: With the recent change in the Director of Public Safety and the continued and predicted growth in O'Fallon, there is a need to evaluate current practices in EMS/Police to ensure they are operating efficiently and effectively in the delivery of their services. The McGrath study will research various issues including, governance and management, operations, police/ems delivery systems, staffing, vehicle/equipment, and planning for the future of ems/police.

Legal Considerations, if any: None, beyond that of contacting for consultant services.

Budget Impact: Funding for the EMS & Police Master Planning study will be a shared cost in the EMS and Police department budget FY14.

Staff recommendation: Staff recommends approval of the contract with McGrath Consulting Group, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$28,000.00.