



REPORT TO CITY COUNCIL

DATE: MARCH 26, 2014
TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL
FROM: GREG RAMIREZ, CITY MANAGER 
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SUBJECT: AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE RADAR TRAILER FROM COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

During the Fiscal Year 2013-14 budget discussions, the City Council "Law Enforcement Committee" recommended the exploration of utilization of the stationary radar device available from the County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department as an additional public safety and law enforcement tool. The equipment would be available by way of a menu item of services currently provided by the Sheriff's Department Contract Law division.

The radar trailer would be purchased by the County Sheriff's Department Contract Law Division on behalf of the City as a one-time expense, and would be the property of the City of Agoura Hills to utilize, under the supervision of the Sheriff's Department. The radar trailer would be housed at the Lost Hills Station. The original cost proposal for the stationary device was \$25,000, however the trailer's estimated final cost is \$47,995. The Law Enforcement Committee supported and recommended the City Council approve this additional budget adjustment, which was ultimately approved during the February 26, 2014, mid-year budget review.

The radar trailer will be an additional public safety tool available for the Sheriff's Department to utilize in the City of Agoura Hills.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff respectfully recommends the City Council authorize the City Manager to execute all necessary documents with the County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department Contract Law Division for the purchase of a radar trailer.