



**DATE:** September 10, 2019

**CATEGORY:** Consent

**DEPT.:** Police Department

**TITLE:** **Increase Appropriations in the Police Department for Asset Forfeiture Funds**

### **RECOMMENDATION**

Increase appropriations in the amount of \$452,774.64 in the Police Department for funds received in August 2019 from the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office for asset forfeiture proceedings relating to a 2017 case. (Five votes required)

### **BACKGROUND**

The City of Mountain View has received its share of distributions from the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office for property seized in a case worked in February 2017. The funds are allocated to the asset forfeiture fund, which can be used in compliance with the State asset forfeiture laws and, when expended, would require approvals in accordance with applicable City policies for procurement of goods and services.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The City of Mountain View has been allocated \$452,774.64 by the Santa Clara County District Attorney's Office. These funds can be used only for public safety purposes.

### **ALTERNATIVES**

1. Decline to accept the allocated funds.
2. Provide other direction.

**PUBLIC NOTICING** – Agenda posting.

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