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File ID: GID-1314-18 Type: Grant Status: Consent Item Version: 2 Reference: Item No. 19 In Control: City Council **Department:** Police Department Cost: File Created: 07/26/2013 File Name: Spirit of Blue Foundation Grant **Final Action:** Title: CONSIDERATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT TO RECEIVE FORENSIC IMAGE AND VIDEO ENHANCEMENT SOFTWARE VALUED AT \$3,975 FROM THE SPIRIT OF BLUE FOUNDATION TO BE USED BY THE NORMAN POLICE DEPARTMENT PARTNERSHIP WITH THE OKLAHOMA CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT TO INCREASE INVESTIGATIVE CAPABILITIES OF DIGITAL EVIDENCE. Notes: ACTION NEEDED: Motion to approve or reject a grant to receive forensic image and video enhancement software valued at \$3,975 from the Spirit of Blue Foundation to be used by the Norman Police Department in partnership with the Oklahoma City Police Department; and, if approved, authorize the Mayor to sign additional supporting documentation related to the grant. ACTION TAKEN: _____ **Agenda Date:** 08/13/2013 Agenda Number: 19 Attachments: GID-1314-18 Grant Solicitation Announcement.pdf, GID-1314-18 Grant Award Notification.pdf Project Manager: Captain Todd Gibson Entered by: kathy.lamar@normanok.gov **Effective Date: History of Legislative File** Ver- Acting Body: Action: Sent To: Due Date: Result: Date: Return Date:

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BACKGROUND: The Spirit of Blue Foundation has informed the Norman Police Department that it has been awarded a grant to receive forensic image and video enhancement software valued at \$3,975. The software is a copy of the Amped FIVE Professional 2012 Edition forensic image and video enhancement software This software will assist in further developing our partnership with the Oklahoma City Police Department. It will also increase our abilities to process and view video evidence in numerous cases across Norman.

DESCRIPTION: The grant will award the Norman Police Department with software which will be installed on a specific Criminal Investigation Division Forensic Video Computer. The software "Amped FIVE" has been designed in cooperation with several specialized institutions and university researchers experienced in forensic science and criminology to provide a complete set of tools for gathering evidence. The Los Angeles Police

Department (LAPD) Scientific Investigations Division nominated Norman Police Department for consideration and the Spirit of Blue Foundation selected our agency to receive the grant software.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that City Council accept the grant of Amped FIVE software valued at \$3,975 to be used by the Norman Police Department in partnership with the City of Oklahoma City Police Department.