

**COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 2021**

**MINUTE ORDER NO. 4**

**SUBJECT: SHERIFF - ACCEPTANCE OF DONATIONS FROM THE SAN DIEGO  
HONORARY DEPUTY SHERIFF'S ASSOCIATION (DISTRICTS: ALL)**

**OVERVIEW**

County of San Diego Administrative Code Article III, Section 66 Acceptance of Gifts and Board of Supervisors Policy A-112, Acceptance and Use of Gifts and Donations, permit the acceptance of gifts and donations by the administrative heads of each department in the County, subject to approval by the Board of Supervisors.

The San Diego Honorary Deputy Sheriff's Association (HDSA) is a group of local business and community leaders with a long history of providing support to the San Diego Sheriff's Department. This is a request to approve the acceptance of donations totaling \$67,102, including \$58,784 cash for the Sheriff's Canine program and bike racks for Emergency Services valued at \$8,318.

**RECOMMENDATION(S)  
SHERIFF**

1. In accordance with County of San Diego Administrative Code Article III, Section 66 Acceptance of Gifts and Board of Supervisors Policy A-112, Acceptance and Use of Gifts and Donations, accept cash valued at \$58,784; and equipment valued at \$8,318 from the San Diego Honorary Deputy Sheriff's Association.
2. Authorize the Chair of the Board of Supervisors to sign a letter of appreciation on behalf of the Board of Supervisors and the County of San Diego to the San Diego Honorary Deputy Sheriff's Association.

**EQUITY IMPACT STATEMENT**

The donations totaling \$58,784 of cash from the HDSA will be used to purchase canines for four Sheriff's units. The canines are critical resources and will enhance the level of service provided by the department. The canines specifically will ensure the welfare and safety of people in the community and in the department's care. The bike racks donated by the HDSA will assist Emergency Services in protecting the public during events.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no direct fiscal impact associated with today's request to accept donations valued at \$67,102 from the San Diego Honorary Deputy Sheriff's Association. Future ongoing costs associated with care of the canines and equipment stemming from this donation will be included in future years' Operational Plan in the Sheriff's department. There will be no change in net General Fund cost and no additional staff years.

**BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT**

N/A

**ACTION:**

ON MOTION of Supervisor Fletcher, seconded by Supervisor Vargas, the Board of Supervisors took action as recommended.

AYES: Vargas, Anderson, Lawson-Remer, Fletcher, Desmond

State of California)  
County of San Diego)

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Original entered in the Minutes of the Board of Supervisors.

ANDREW POTTER  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors



**Signed**  
**by** Andrew Potter

