

**TOWN OF PRESCOTT VALLEY
REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION
Date: February 25, 2010**

SUBJECT: Governor's Office of Highway Safety: Federal Fiscal Year 2011 Highway Safety Plan Grant Program

SUBMITTING DEPARTMENT: Police Department

PREPARED BY: Candace Manibusan, Administrative Supervisor, on behalf of Chief Jim Maxson

AGENDA LOCATION: Comments/Communications , Consent , Work/Study ,
New Business , Public Hearing , Second Reading

ATTACHMENTS: a) Resolution No. 1692, b) Governor's Office of Highway Safety Federal Fiscal Year 2011 Proposal Guide

SUMMARY/BACKGROUND: The Governor's Office of Highway Safety (GOHS) is currently requesting submission of proposals for grants relating to highway safety issues from state, county, municipal, university, tribal and non-profit agencies for the 2011 Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) which commences on October 1, 2010 and ends on September 30, 2011.

GOHS funds highway safety projects utilizing Federal 402 (State and Community Highway Safety Grants), 410 (Alcohol Incentive), 408 (Information System Improvement) and 2010 (Motorcycle Safety) funds. Additionally, GOHS receives funding through the US Department of Justice for underage Drinking Enforcement.

The GOHS 2011 Highway Safety Plan will specifically target the following areas and proposals addressing these areas will be given priority:

- Impaired Driving
 - DUI Enforcement (overtime and equipment)
 - Youth Alcohol Enforcement
 - Training (Phlebotomy, Drug Recognition Expert, etc)
- Speed and Police Traffic Services
 - Aggressive Driving
 - Exceeding Maximum Posted Speed
 - School Zones
 - Red Light Running
 - Distracted Driving
- Occupant Protection
 - Seat Belts
 - Child Safety Seats/Booster Seats

Proposals will also be accepted that address the following program areas: Accident Investigation, Emergency Medical Services, Motorcycle Safety, Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety, and Traffic Records.

Over the past several years, grant awards from GOHS have provided the Prescott Valley Police Department (PVPD) with various equipment and supplies, overtime monies and multiple traffic

enforcement vehicles. Without this funding, the PVPD is limited in its ability to provide concentrated off-duty enforcement activities related to highway safety throughout the year. The department is requesting Council's approval to submit an application for the FFY2011 GOHS Highway Safety Plan Grant Program. The proposal will focus on obtaining overtime funds, equipment, and supplies necessary to carry out objectives related to the priority enforcement areas of impaired driving, speed and police traffic services, and occupant protection within Prescott Valley. As part of the application requirements, a certified Council Resolution is to be included in the proposal.

OPTIONS ANALYSIS: Council may either approve the submittal of an application to GOHS for the FFY2011 Highway Safety Plan Grant Program through adoption of the grant application resolution, or decline to adopt the grant application resolution.

ACTION OPTION: Motion to authorize the Mayor (or, in his absence, the Vice Mayor) to sign Resolution No. 1692 approving submittal of an application for the FFY2011 GOHS Highway Safety Plan Grant Program, OR Motion not to approve Resolution NO. 1692. **VOTE.**

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends authorizing signature of Resolution No. 1692 approving the submittal of a grant application.

FISCAL ANALYSIS: There is no fiscal impact to the Town. This grant is fully reimbursable through the Governor's Office of Highway Safety.

REVIEWED BY:

Management Services Director _____

Town Clerk _____

Town Attorney _____

Town Manager _____

COUNCIL ACTION:

Approved Denied Tabled/Deferred Assigned to _____

RESOLUTION

Resolution Number: 1692

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PRESCOTT VALLEY, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF PROJECTS FOR CONSIDERATION IN ARIZONA'S 2011 HIGHWAY SAFETY PLAN; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BE EFFECTIVE AFTER ITS PASSAGE AND APPROVAL ACCORDING TO LAW.

WHEREAS, the Governor's Office of Highway Safety is seeking proposals from state and local agencies for projects relating to all aspects of highway safety; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Prescott Valley, through its Police Department, is interested in submitting projects to be considered for funding in the form of reimbursable grants from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Prescott Valley, Arizona as follows:

1. THAT approval of the submission of an application for projects for consideration in Arizona's 2011 Highway Safety Plan is hereby granted.
2. THAT Jim Maxson, Chief of Police, is appointed agent for the Town of Prescott Valley to conduct all negotiations and to execute and submit all documents and any other necessary or desirable instruments in connection with such grant.

RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Prescott Valley, Arizona, this 25th day of February, 2010.

ATTEST:

TOWN CLERK
Diane Russell (928) 759-3028

MAYOR
Harvey Skoog (928) 759-3100

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution Number ____ was duly passed and adopted by the Council of the Town of Prescott Valley, Arizona, at a regular meeting held on the 25th day of February, 2010, and that a quorum was present at the meeting.

TOWN CLERK
Diane Russell

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

TOWN ATTORNEY
Ivan Legler