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JANUARY 1, 2016

UNDERSHERIFF RAYMOND J. ROSE
OFFICE OF SHERIFF MARK CURRAN, JR.
COUNTY OF LAKE
25 S. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. AVE.
WAUKEGAN, IL 60085

RE: POLICE CANINE UNIT

DEAR UNDERSHERIFF ROSE:

BASED ON THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDED IN YOUR LETTER OF NOVEMBER 30, 2016 AND THE FOLLOW-UP E-MAIL FROM MARIA EVARISTO, WE ARE PLEASED TO ADVISE YOU THAT THE D.A.S. CHARITABLE FUND FOR THE PRESERVATION OF FELINE ANIMAL LIFE HAS APPROVED A GRANT TO LAKE COUNTY TO ASSIST YOUR CANINE UNIT FOR 2016. A CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$37,413.00 IS ENCLOSED. THIS IS A ONE-TIME GRANT AND IS RESTRICTED TO THE ACTIVITIES SPECIFIED IN YOUR PROPOSAL. UNDER THE TERMS OF THE TRUST THAT SET UP OUR FUND, WE ARE RESTRICTED TO GRANTS FOR THE CARE AND TRAINING OF THE CANINES ONLY AND CANNOT FUND EQUIPMENT, VEHICLES OR POLICE OFFICER SALARIES.

THE D.A.S. CHARITABLE FUND SUPPORTS ORGANIZATIONS THAT SEEK TO PRESERVE AND ADVANCE ANIMAL LIFE IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS. WE ARE INTERESTED IN YOUR ORGANIZATION AND WANT TO STAY INFORMED. WE ASK THAT YOU PROVIDE A REPORT ON THE USE OF THIS GRANT AND OVERALL PROGRESS ON A QUARTERLY BASIS WITH THE FIRST REPORT BY MARCH 30, 2016. YOUR REPORT SHOULD BE MAILED TO THE UNDERSIGNED.

WE WISH YOU CONTINUED SUCCESS IN YOUR WORK.

SINCERELY,

DENNIS P. RYAN
TRUSTEE
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FOR THE PRESERVATION
OF FELINE ANIMAL LIFE

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Lake County Sheriff

\$ 37,413.00

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OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF
Lake County, Illinois

MARK C. CURRAN, JR.
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RAYMOND J. ROSE
UNDERSHERIFF

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November 30, 2015

**EMERGENCY
DIAL 911**

Mr. Dennis P. Ryan, Trustee
D.A.S. Charitable Fund
P. O. Box 6630
Libertyville, IL 60048

DIVISIONS

Civil Process
(847) 377-4400

RE: 2016 Grant Request

Dear Trustee Ryan,

Communications
(847) 549-5200

Last year the Lake County Sheriff's Office was successful in receiving a grant for three K-9s. We are proud to have K-9 Deputies Diesel, Dax and Duke on our force. As you know by our quarterly reports their training and deployment has been successful and our efforts have also been acknowledged by other law enforcement agencies.

Community Service
(847) 377-4211

With the deployment of three new K-9s in the last year we are requesting additional funds to assist with the continuation of our program. Additional funding costs include:

Court Security
(847) 377-4911

Criminal Investigations
(847) 377-4250

Emergency Management Agency
(847) 377-7100

Highway Patrol
(847) 377-7020

| <u>Description</u> | <u>Cost</u> |
|---|--------------------|
| Food (Per year) | \$2,160.00 |
| Training (including monthly and Cadaver Land and Water Classes) | \$11,250.00 |
| <u>Veterinary services and canine supplies</u> | <u>\$1,924.00</u> |
| Total | \$15,334.00 |

In this past year the Sheriff's Office has realized there is a need to have an explosive detector K-9 and the cost associated with obtaining and training this type of K-9 would be very difficult within our current Sheriff's Office budget. The cost to employ an explosive detector K-9:

Jail
(847) 377-4150

Judicial Sales
(847) 377-4401

Marine Unit
(847) 587-4471

Records
(847) 377-4200

Training
(847) 377-4350

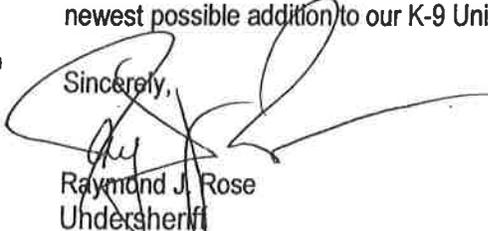
Warrants
(847) 377-4300

Work Release
(847) 377-4450

| <u>Description</u> | <u>Cost</u> |
|--|--------------------|
| Three week K-9 explosive detector course | \$13,000.00 |
| Training Aids | \$ 5,299.00 |
| <u>Food (Per year)</u> | <u>\$ 780.00</u> |
| Total | \$22,079.00 |

The Lake County Sheriff's Office total request is \$37,413.00 in D.A.S. charitable funding for the support of our newest possible addition to our K-9 Unit. We thank you for your support and generosity.

Sincerely,


Raymond J. Rose
Undersheriff

RJR:DWR

c: Sheriff Mark C., Curran, Jr.
Chief John Byrne
Deputy Chief Lou Kent
Sergeant Jim McKinney

Evaristo, Maria

From: Dennis Ryan <dennisryan@dasfund.com>
Sent: Tuesday, December 08, 2015 11:19 AM
To: Sheriff
Subject: 2016 Grant Request to D.A.S. Charitable Fund

Attn: Undersheriff Raymond J. Rose

We received your 2016 Grant Request and had some questions regarding the specialized Explosive Detector Course proposed:

- 1) Based on prior years, what is your estimate as to how many times annually this specialized training would be required in your jurisdiction and in all of Lake County?
- 2) Are there any other K-9s in Lake County that already have this training?
- 3) The cost of the three week course and training aids seems rather high. Could you please give us a more detailed explanation and itemization of the expenses.

Please provide this additional information at your earliest convenience. Thanks very much.

Dennis Ryan
D.A.S. Charitable Fund

Evaristo, Maria

From: Dennis Ryan <dennisryan@dasfund.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 10, 2015 12:11 PM
To: Evaristo, Maria
Subject: RE: Lake County Sheriff K-9 Grant Request

Dear Ms. Evaristo:

Thank you for your prompt response. It was quite helpful.

Dennis Ryan
D.A.S. Charitable Fund

From: Evaristo, Maria [mailto:MEvaristo@lakecountyil.gov]
Sent: Thursday, December 10, 2015 11:43 AM
To: dennisryan@dasfund.com
Subject: Lake County Sheriff K-9 Grant Request

Sending on behalf of Undersheriff Raymond J. Rose

Mr. Ryan –

Below are answers to your inquiries regarding our 2016 Grant Request. Also attached is a breakdown of all costs which show justification for the amount requested for the grant. Thank you for your consideration with this request.

- 1) Based on prior years, what is your estimate as to how many times annually this specialized training would be required in your jurisdiction and in all of Lake County?

We currently do not have the capability to respond to bomb threats with an explosive trained K-9 in order to protect our shopping malls, schools, court houses or other public buildings. In addition to responding to bombs and bomb threats, explosive-trained K-9s are also used to find guns and ammunition. Illinois was named by ISIL as one of the states that they will attack. In such an event, the Lake County Sheriff's Office would need to rely on federal/local agencies outside Lake County for clearing bomb threats or to clear an area where a bomb was detonated. The ATF would be the primary agency to respond, then Cook County Sheriff, and then the Chicago PD. Since the ATF tasks their bomb K-9s by region, any response needed is further delayed by this process. Cook County Sheriff Office and Chicago PD's response would be based on availability.

- 2) Are there any other K-9s in Lake County that already have this training?

There are no explosive-trained K9 teams in Lake County. Lake County Sheriff's Office would be the first.

- 3) The cost of the three week course and training aids seems rather high. Could you please give us a more detailed explanation and itemization of the expenses.

Please see the attached cost quote (page 1) for the cost breakdown for the following:

- (1) K9 class (\$3,000);
- (2) One (1) explosive detector pre-trained K-9 (\$10,000);

- (3) K-9 equipment (further itemized on page 1, \$349), and
- (4) Training aids (ScentLogic) (\$5,299) (further itemized on pages 3 and 4).

Considering all that is needed to achieve a successful and effective explosive-trained K9 team, which will provide service to all Lake County residents, the cost quote is expensive but this resource is absolutely necessary to better safeguard the residents of Lake County. All explosive-trained K-9s are required to be periodically trained and to be annually certified with real explosives. The training/certification is regulated by the ATF. The training aids provide pseudo odor that the K-9s can be trained with on a daily basis. The ScentLogic pseudo training aids also allow for a safer environment for both the K-9 and handler because real explosives are not transported on a daily basis. Additionally, the K-9 handler cannot transport live explosive material across state lines without special permits. The pseudo training aids have no restrictions in transportation.

If you have additional questions/comments, please contact Undersheriff Raymond J. Rose at rrose@lakecountyil.gov

Thank you.



Sheriff's Office

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