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First Reading	Second Reading	
Ordinance No	Council Bill No	<u>B66-13</u>
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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL FOLLOWS:	OF THE CITY OF COLUM	MBIA, MISSOURI, AS
SECTION 1. The sum of \$36,56 Revenue Account No. 110-2120-461.10-2120-511.65.25 GFORFJ.		
SECTION 2. The sum of \$127,58 Account No. 110-0000-341.01-00 to the		
SECTION 3. At the request of the \$63,495.00 from the Police Autos Account No. 110-2120-511.65.25.		
SECTION 4. This ordinance shapassage.	all be in full force and effe	ect from and after its
PASSED this day of		_, 2013.
ATTEST:		
City Clerk	Mayor and Presidir	ng Officer

APPROVED AS TO	D FORM:
City Counselor	
CERTIFICATION:	I certify there are sufficient funds available in the following accounts to cover the above appropriation:
	Federal Revenue Account No. 110-2120-461.10-01 GFORFJ Fund Balance Account No. 110-0000-341.01-00
	Director of Finance



Source: Police Department

To: City Council

From: City Manager and Staff

Council Meeting Date:

Mar 4, 2013

Agenda Item No:

Re:

Armored Personnel Carrier (APC) Purchase

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Staff has prepared for Council consideration an ordinance authorizing the appropriation of \$36,505.00 from Asset Forfeiture Funds; the appropriation of \$127,587.00 from Fund Balance; and the transfer of \$63,495.00 from Police Autos to Police Trucks for the purchase of the Armored Personnel Carrier (APC).

DISCUSSION:

Armored Personnel Carriers (APC) in use by civilian law enforcement have proven their value in countless highrisk law enforcement operations. One of the primary benefits of these vehicles is the ballistic protection they offer from gunfire. There are countless examples in American policing where the effective use of an APC has saved the lives of police officers and citizens.

The psychological effect of an APC when introduced to a high risk incident has often resulted in the surrender of the suspect(s). CPD SWAT officers have been told by arrested suspects that one of the reasons they surrendered was they knew "things were getting serious" when they saw the APC arrive on scene.

The CPD has used a military surplus APC since 2001, and as valuable as our vehicle has been to the department and the citizens we serve it has become extremely unreliable. The vehicle is over 30-years old and over the past twelve years there have been 27 documented mechanical or electrical failures resulting in over \$35,000 in repair costs. As recently as September of 2012, the APC was needed after the SWAT team was activated to serve an arrest warrant for a murder suspect, but the vehicle could not be utilized at the scene due to mechanical failure.

The use of APC's by SWAT teams has become the norm, not the exception. Of over 500 agencies nationwide, there are nine police agencies in Missouri which currently utilize an APC, including Lee's Summit, Springfield, Kansas City and the St. Clair County Sheriff's Department. The most common APC in use in Missouri is the Lenco Bearcat and the life expectancy of this replacement vehicle is 20-25 years.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Asset Forfeiture funding will pay for a portion of this purchase, with no fiscal impact. The remaining portion of this purchase will be made with fund balance and existing funding approved in FY14 supplemental for the purchase of three new CSA vehicles which will be put on hold until FY15.

VISION IMPACT:

http://www.gocolumbiamo.com/Council/Meetings/visionimpact.php

None

SUGGESTED COUNCIL ACTIONS:

Staff recommends acceptance and passing of ordinance.

FISCAL and VISION NOTES:								
City Fiscal Impact Enter all that apply		Program Impact		Mandates				
City's current net FY cost	\$0.00	New Program/ Agency?	No	Federal or State mandated?	No			
Amount of funds already appropriated	\$0.00	Duplicates/Expands an existing program?	No	Vision Implementation impact				
Amount of budget amendment needed	\$227,587.00	Fiscal Impact on any local political subdivision?	No	Enter all that apply: Refer to Web site				
Estimated 2 year net costs: Resources R		Resources Rec	vired	Vision Impact?	No			
One Time	\$0.00	Requires add'l FTE Personnel?	No	Primary Vision, Strategy and/or Goal Item #				
Operating/ Ongoing	\$0.00	Requires add'I facilities?	No	Secondary Vision, Strategy and/or Goal Item #				
		Requires add'l capital equipment?	No	Fiscal year implementation Task #				