



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE  
City Commission Agenda Memo  
REGULAR MEETING**

**#21-0593**

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**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the  
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** June 15, 2021

**TITLE:** Motion Approving Agreement with the School Board of Broward County,  
Florida for the School Resource Officer Summer School Program -  
**(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

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**Recommendation**

Staff recommends the City Commission authorize the Mayor and City Manager to execute an agreement with the School Board of Broward County (SBBC), Florida for the School Resource Officer Summer School Program commencing June 21, 2021 and concluding July 29, 2021.

**Background**

The SBBC has established a School Resource Officer Program in accordance with the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Act. The City of Fort Lauderdale Police Department will assign six (6) law enforcement officers to serve as School Resource Officers at six (6) schools operated by the SBBC from June 21, 2021 through July 29, 2021. Participating schools are as follows: Dillard Elementary, Dillard Middle, Sunrise Middle, William Dandy Middle, Fort Lauderdale High and Whiddon-Rogers Education Center. The SBBC will contribute \$9,000 per officer for a total amount of \$54,000 for the 6-week summer school session. The SBBC reimburses the same amount per officer to all participating Broward County law enforcement agencies.

**Resource Impact**

The revenues related to this new agreement in the amount of \$54,000 will be contingent upon the approval of the contract. The FY2021 Operating Budget contains the appropriate allocation amount for the contract expenditure of \$65,981.

<b>Funds available as of May 28, 2021</b>					
<b>ACCOUNT NUMBER</b>	<b>INDEX NAME (Program)</b>	<b>CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME</b>	<b>AMENDED BUDGET (Character)</b>	<b>AMOUNT RECEIVED (Character)</b>	<b>AMOUNT</b>
POL030701	School Resource Officers	Permanent Salaries	\$904,451	\$356,327	\$65,981
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT ►</b>					<b>\$65,981</b>

**Strategic Connections**

This item is a 2021 Commission Priority, advancing the Safety initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Safety Focus Area
- Goal 6: Build a safe and well-prepared community.
- Objective: Prevent and solve crime in all neighborhoods.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035* Vision Plan: We Are Community.

**Attachment**

Exhibit 1 – School Resource Officer Agreement

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