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STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: January 13, 2026

DATE: Monday, December 8, 2025

TO: Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Francisco Gamboa Lieutenant, Special Operations Division
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THROUGH: Darin Balaam, Sheriff

SUBJECT: Recommendation to accept a Fiscal Year 2026 United States Marshals Service (USMS) grant award [amount not to exceed \$17,000.00, no County match required] as administered from the USMS, Obligation Document Control #M-26-D48-O-000009, for overtime costs for the Joint Law Enforcement Operations (JLEO) Task Force for the retroactive grant period of November 3, 2025 through September 30, 2026; authorize the Sheriff to retroactively execute the award document; and direct Finance to make the necessary budget amendments. Sheriff. (All Commission Districts) FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

SUMMARY

This item is presented seeking approval to accept the grant award from the United States Marshals Service (USMS).

Per County policy, the Washoe Board of County Commissioners must accept grant awards and must approve amendments to the adopted fiscal year budget and direct Finance to make the necessary budget amendments.

The USMS has awarded the Washoe County Sheriff's Office funding for overtime costs incurred in relation to the Joint Law Enforcement Operations (JLEO) Task Force in fugitive investigations. This award will fund overtime worked in association with the JLEO Task Force mission, on activities such as monitoring sex offenders and sex offender investigations, fugitive apprehensions, and missing child investigations.

Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item: Vulnerable Populations:
Support vulnerable populations with a regional approach

PREVIOUS ACTION

On June 10, 2025, the Board of County Commissioners approved Item 7.G.2., \$21,741.00 of FY25 USMS JLEO Task Force funding as administered through the USMS for overtime costs incurred in relation to the JLEO Task Force.

BACKGROUND

The United States Marshals Service (USMS) oversees the nation's regional fugitive task forces, established under the Presidential Threat Protection Act of 2000. The purpose of regional fugitive task forces is to combine the efforts of federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies to locate and apprehend the most dangerous fugitives and assist in high profile investigations.

Reason for retroactive submittal: Item was submitted to the first available BCC meeting once documents were received and processed.

GRANT AWARD SUMMARY

Project/Program Name: *FY26 U.S. Marshals Joint Law Enforcement (JLEO) Task Force Operations*

Scope of the Project: *Fund overtime worked in association with the JLEO Task Force*

Benefit to Washoe County Residents: *Increased resources for fugitive investigations*

On-Going Program Support: *N/A*

Award Amount: *\$17,000.00*

Grant Period: *11/3/25 – 09/30/26*

Funding Source: *United States Marshals Service*

Pass Through Entity: *N/A*

Assistance Listing #/CFDA: *16.922*

Grant ID Number: *M-26-D48-O-000009*

Match Amount and Type: *N/A*

Sub-Awards and Contracts: *N/A*

FISCAL IMPACT

Should the Board accept this grant award and approve these amendments, the FY26 Washoe County Sheriff's Office adopted budget will be increased by \$17,000.00 in both revenues and expenditures in the following accounts:

Cost Object & Description	G/L Account & Description	Amount
IO 12627 - FY26 USMS JLEOTF	431100 – Federal Grants	\$17,000.00
IO 12627 - FY26 USMS JLEOTF	701300 – Overtime	\$17,000.00

- No match required
- Indirect costs are not allowable on this grant award as no salary or wages are included in the grant budget.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners accept a Fiscal Year 2026 United States Marshals Service (USMS) grant award [amount not to exceed \$17,000.00, no County match required] as administered from the USMS, Obligation Document Control #M-26-D48-O-000009, for overtime costs for the Joint Law Enforcement Operations (JLEO) Task Force for the retroactive grant period of November 3, 2025 through September 30, 2026; authorize the Sheriff to retroactively execute the award document; and direct Finance to make the necessary budget amendments.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: "move to accept a Fiscal Year 2026 United States Marshals Service (USMS) grant award [amount not to exceed \$17,000.00, no County match required] as administered from the USMS, Obligation Document Control #M-26-D48-O-000009, for overtime costs for the Joint Law Enforcement Operations (JLEO) Task Force for the retroactive grant period of November 3, 2025 through September 30, 2026; authorize the Sheriff to retroactively execute the award document; and direct Finance to make the necessary budget amendments."