



**SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Agenda Item 9.2

Meeting Date: October 18, 2018

Subject: Approve City of Sacramento Police Department School Resource Officer
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_____ : The Sacramento City Unified School District has had a strong partnership with the City of Sacramento Police Department for more than 9 years (with the increase of gang-i).004 Tc -0.002 Tw 0.33 0 Td [(r)7(e37.13o P)10(S)1(ac)4(o)10(ol)6(D)6(iRc)4(o)1

Financial Considerations: \$2,987,301

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I. Overview/History of Department or Program

The School Resource Officer (SRO) program, coordinated through the Safe Schools Office, is essential in assisting our District by ensuring the safety of students and staff on our campuses. SROs work closely with school administrators, staff, and the District office in crime prevention and focusing on long-term solutions to ensure the safety of students, staff, parents and surrounding community members

The prior Agreement for Peace Officer Assignment with the City of Sacramento Police Department was adopted by the SCUSD Board of Education and the City of Sacramento for the 2016-2018 school years. The term of the Agreement was effective September 1, 2016 through June 30, 2018 and was extended for an additional 12-month period to accommodate the District's request for Extended Summer Learning Program coverage, ending on July 31, 2018

Through the Agreement, eight officers and one sergeant are assigned to our schools: J.F. Kennedy, C.K. McClatchy, Rosemont, Johnson, and Luther Burbank and American Legion High Schools with two floater SROs for the entire remaining year

The current Agreement for Peace Officer Assignment with the City of Sacramento Police Department is pending SCUSD Board of Education Approval for the 2018 school year. The term of the Agreement is for the prevention or minimization of property damage in the school and

- o Prevention of student injuries and even death due to violence, drug overdoses, etc.
- o Reduction of the need for schools to call 911
- o Reduction of the likelihood that a student will get a criminal record
- o Increase of the likelihood that students (particularly those with mental health issues) will get the help they need from the social service and health care systems
- o Increase in feelings of safety among students and staff

Additionally, research from the Congressional Research Service (2013) illustrated that schools with SROs were more likely to create and implement an emergency plan

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AGREEMENT FOR PEACE OFFICER ASSIGNMENT

3. SCOPE OF WORK

City agrees to assign eight (8) officers (collectively, the "Police Officers") as the minimum staffing level under this Agreement. ~~The Police Officers shall work under the supervision~~

Association then in effect. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Police Officers shall

be bound by the District Police Department's policies which may involve a Police

shall be reassigned from duties under this Agreement either upon the reasonable request

of the District or upon the mutual consent of the District and City.

its schools, unless otherwise authorized by the Superintendent or his/her designee or

Police officers are required by California Peace Officer's Standards and Training to be fingerprinted and obtain Department of Justice clearance. Sacramento police officers are

to the City.

The District represents and warrants that as of the commencement of the term of this Agreement it has duly appropriated funds to pay its obligations hereunder or that it will

during the term hereof use its best efforts to obtain appropriation of sufficient funds to discharge its obligations hereunder

11. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

In the performance of services under this Agreement, the City, the Police Officers shall

act as independent contractors and not as employees of the District. Nothing herein shall be construed or deemed to create the relationship of employer/employee or

condition of District property which arise out of the acts or failure to act by the District, its officers, agents or employees which are not created by a City employee or City invitee

The indemnification provisions contained in this Agreement include but are not limited to

- 1) This policy shall provide coverage for Workers' Compensation (Coverage A) with statutory limits.
- 2) This policy shall also provide coverage of \$100,000 Employers' Liability (Coverage B).

C. Comprehensive Business Auto

A policy with a minimum of not less than \$2,000,000 combined single limit per

occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. Coverage shall be applicable (without deductibles) to any and all leased, owned, hired, or non-owned vehicles used in pursuit of any of the activities associated with this agreement.

D. Special Provisions

The foregoing requirements as to the types and limits of insurance coverage to be

occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. Coverage shall be applicable

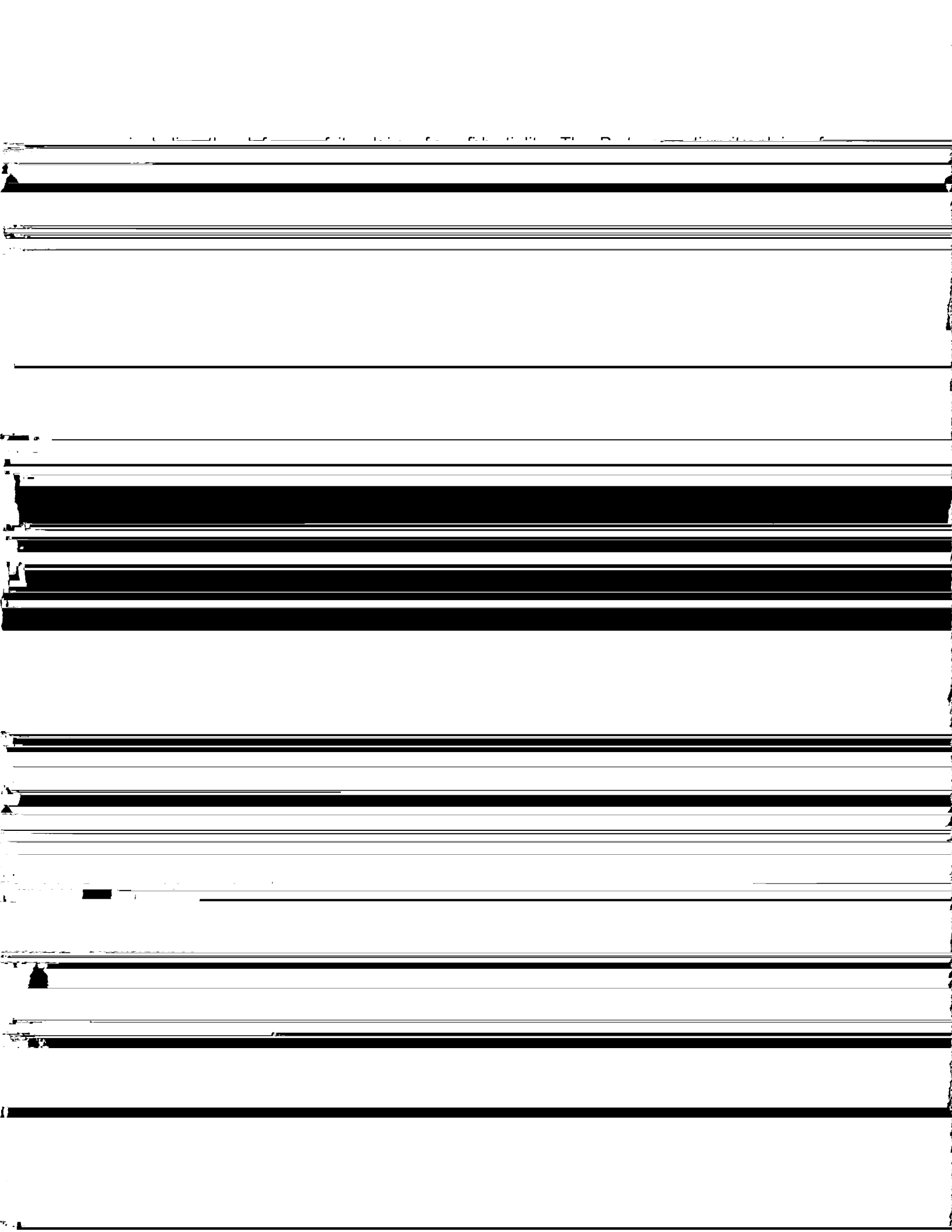
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forth herein.

Each of the Parties has carefully reviewed this Agreement and has agreed to each term of this Agreement. No ambiguity shall be presumed to be construed against either Party.

All rights of each Party under this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of its successors



SACRAMENTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT, a local public agency

By: _____
John Quinto, Chief Business Officer

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER

EXHIBIT A

The School Resource Officer (SRO) will work closely with school staff in identifying specific problems and focus on long term solutions. The SRO will establish and

EXHIBIT A

The SRO will solve conflicts among youth groups within the school environment. They will operate under the philosophy of community-oriented policing and problem solving

Exhibit B

Corpus Christi Unified School District