

ENROLLED ORDINANCE 174-106

MODIFY THE 2020 SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT BUDGET FOR THE  
EXPENDITURE OF SEIZED FUNDS TO PARTICIPATING AGENCIES

WHEREAS, Enrolled Ordinance 141-41 authorizes the Sheriff's Department to participate in the program to transfer seized property to local enforcement agencies; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Department has such assets that had not been allocated during the 2020 budget process; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Department has agreed to allocate a percentage of assets received to participating Metro Unit agencies.

THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF WAUKESHA ORDAINS that seized assets received and reserved in general fund balance be appropriated by increasing in the 2020 Budget General Fund Balance account by an amount not to exceed \$1,355 and increasing the Operating Expense appropriation unit by an amount not to exceed \$1,355 to allow for the distribution of funds to participating Metro Unit agencies in accordance with seized asset guidelines.

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*Waived by committee. Approved at Co. Board level.*

Approved By:  
Judiciary & Law Enforcement Committee

Approved By:  
Finance Committee

Peter M. Wolff, Chair

James A. Heinrich, Chair

Jim Batzko

Timothy Dondlinger

Michael A. Crowley

Tyler J. Foti

Timothy Dondlinger

Thomas A. Michalski

*absent*

Tyler J. Foti

Richard Morris

Jennifer Grant

Duane E. Paulson

Chuck Wood

Ted Wysocki

The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of Waukesha County, Wisconsin, was presented to the County Executive on:

Date: 3/30/2020,   
Margaret Wartman, County Clerk

The foregoing legislation adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of Waukesha County, Wisconsin, is hereby:

Approved:   X    
Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 3/30/2020,   
Paul Farrow, County Executive

FISCAL NOTE

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Enrolled Ordinance 141-41 authorized the Sheriff's Department to participate in a federal program which transfers forfeited assets (seized funds) to those state and local agencies that contributed directly to the seizure of that property. The Sheriff's Department receives funds through the State Asset Forfeiture Program and acts as a trustee for a portion of these funds on behalf of participating Metro Drug Unit agencies.

According to Sheriff's Department staff, the Department annually distributes a share of State asset forfeiture seized funds received to participating Metro Drug Unit agency communities based on their participation status at the time of each seizure. Sheriff staff has determined that an amount not to exceed \$1,355 will be disbursed to Metro Drug Unit participating police agencies. The following participating agencies will receive seizure fund revenue: City of Waukesha (\$306.52); City of New Berlin (\$223.86); City of Brookfield (\$306.52); Village of Menomonee Falls (\$306.52); City of Muskego (\$16.20); Village of Hartland (\$27.67); Village of Pewaukee (\$61.30); Village of Elm Grove (\$61.30); and City of Oconomowoc (\$45.10).

This ordinance results in no additional direct tax levy impact in 2020.

*Linda Witkowski*

Linda Witkowski  
Budget Manager  
3/2/2020  
SMK  
BA #2020-00002077

**Ordinance 174-O-110**



Ordinance 174-O-110: Modify The 2020 Sheriff's Department Budget For The Expenditure Of Seized Funds To Participating Agencies

**VOTE RESULTS: Passed With 17 Yes Votes Needed**

**AYE: 21** **NAY: 0**

**ABSENT: 4**

D1 - Foti	Yes
D2 - Zimmermann	Yes
D3 - Morris	Yes
D4 - Batzko	Yes
D5 - Dondlinger	Yes
D6 - Walz	Yes
D7 - Grant	Second
D8 - Michalski	Yes
D9 - Heinrich	Yes
D10 - Swan	Yes
D11 - Howard	ABSENT
D12 - Wolff	Motion
D13 - Decker	Yes

D14 - Wood	Yes
D15 - Mitchell	Yes
D16 - Crowley	ABSENT
D17 - Paulson	Yes
D18 - Nelson	Yes
D19 - Cummings	ABSENT
D20 - Schellinger	Yes
D21 - Gaughan	Yes
D22 - Wysocki	ABSENT
D23 - Hammitt	Yes
D24 - Whittow	Yes
D25 - Johnson	Yes