



Memorandum

Date: April 10, 2024

To: Honorable Mayor and Councilmembers

From: Kathie Brooks
Interim City Manager

Department: Edwin Lopez
Chief of Police

Subject: **Memorandum of Understanding with Broward Sheriff's Office for the South Florida Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Operational Task Force**

Introduction

The Police Department respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council Members authorize the Police Department to enter a Memorandum of Understanding with Broward Sheriff's Office for the South Florida Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Operational Task Force.

Background

The principal goals of the Task Force shall be the successful identification, apprehension and prosecution of child molester, child pornographers, child pornography collectors or distributors, child abusers, and preferential sexual offenders who target children. The Task Force shall strive to prevent the victimization of sexual exploitation of children by also educating the public via Internet Safety Presentations.

Strategic Plan Alignment

This item is aligned with the Public Safety Strategic Goal, as it will assist in continuing to ensure the well-being and security of residents, maintain social order, support economic growth, foster community engagement, and improve the overall quality of life for residents.

Recommendation

The City Manager's Office respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Councilmembers authorize the Resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute and enter a Memorandum of Understanding with Broward Sheriff's Office for the South Florida Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Operational Task Force.

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