

**City of Palmer  
Resolution No. 23-026**

**Subject:** Accepting and Appropriating \$5,000 From MEA Charitable Foundation to Support the Palmer Police Department Bicycle Patrol Unit

**Agenda of:** August 7, 2023

**Council Action:**    ☒ **Approved**                      ☐ **Amended:** \_\_\_\_\_  
                                 ☐ **Defeated**

**Originator Information:**

**Originator:**    John Moosey, City Manager

**Department Review:**

Route to:	Department Director:	Signature:	Date:
_____	Community Development	_____	_____
_____	Finance	_____	_____
_____	Fire	_____	_____
_____	Police	_____	_____
_____	Public Works	_____	_____

**Certification of Funds:**

Total amount of funds listed in this legislation:    \$ 5,000.00

This legislation (√):


<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Creates revenue in the amount of:	\$ <u>5,000.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Creates expenditure in the amount of:	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Creates a saving in the amount of:	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Has no fiscal impact	

Funds are (√):

<input type="checkbox"/>	Budgeted	Line item(s): <u>09-00-00-3690; 09-01-10-6055</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Not budgeted	_____

Director of Finance Signature: 

**Approved for Presentation By:**

	Signature:	Remarks:
City Manager	<u></u>	_____
City Attorney	_____	_____
City Clerk	_____	_____

**Attachment(s):**

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**Summary Statement/Background:**

Palmer Police Department officers are often the frontline in identifying youth at risk to substance abuse issues. The Bicycle Patrol Unit, staffed primarily with School Resource Officers (SROs), will maintain strong connections with the youth of the Palmer community throughout the year. Bike Patrol Officers, through their approachable presence and the example of their healthy lifestyle, will promote responsible choices for our youth.

**Administration's Recommendation:**

Approve Resolution No. 23-026.

**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY**

Introduced by: Manager Moosey

Date: 8/7/2023

Action: Approved

Vote: Unanimous

Yes:

No:

Melin

Alcantra

Mayor Carrington

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**CITY OF PALMER, ALASKA**

**Resolution No. 23-026**

**A Resolution of the Palmer City Council Authorizing the City Manager to Accept and Appropriate \$5,000 From MEA Charitable Foundation to Support the Palmer Police Department Bicycle Patrol Unit**

WHEREAS, Palmer Police Department officers are often the frontline in identifying youth at risk to substance abuse issues; and

WHEREAS, the Bicycle Patrol Unit, staffed primarily with School Resource Officers (SROs), will maintain strong connections with the youth of the Palmer community throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, the Palmer Police Department and its officers, particularly the SROs, are heavily invested in community-oriented policing and have established deep relationships with students in the community; and

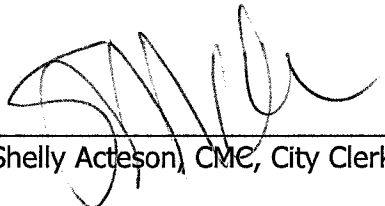
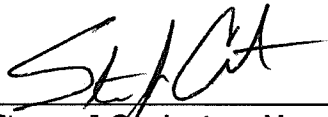
WHEREAS, Bike Patrol Officers, through their approachable presence and the example of their healthy lifestyle, will promote responsible choices for our youth; and

WHEREAS, the focus population to be served by this project is the entire community of Palmer, with particular attention to its youth; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Palmer City Council hereby to Accept and Appropriate \$5,000 From MEA Charitable Foundation to Support the Palmer Police Department Bicycle Patrol Unit.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Palmer City Council hereby to authorize the City Manager to execute the grant as offered.

**Approved** by the Palmer City Council this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.

  
Shelly Acteson, CMC, City Clerk  
Steven J. Carrington, Mayor