



MEMORANDUM

City of Venice

Police Department

TO: Ron Feinsod, Mayor

THROUGH: Edward F. Lavalley, City Manager

FROM: Andy Leisenring, Acting Chief of Police

DATE: April 12, 2022

COUNCIL APPROVAL: Yes

MEETING DATE: April 26, 2022

STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL: Provide Efficient, Responsive Government with High Quality Services

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Understanding between Bob Gualtieri, Pinellas County Sheriff, and the City of Venice

Background: The Pinellas County Sheriff's Office has updated the Face Analysis Comparison & Examination System (FACES) system and retitled it as FACESNXT. Although we have an existing MOU for FACES, we need a new MOU for FACESNXT.

FACESNXT will provide the following:

- The new system utilizes two (2) of the industry leading facial recognition algorithms for more accuracy.
- Provides a brand new user application.
- Provides the ability for agencies to monitor and audit their own user activity.
- Provides a new online user registration process which includes training videos.

VPD will be adding language to our Standard Operating Procedures outlining the following:

- Authorized Users (limited to investigative and data analyst personnel).
- What the limitations of use will be.
- Accountability
- User Training

Requested Action: Please forward to Mayor Feinsod for signature.

If for an agenda item, this document and any associated backup created by City of Venice staff has been reviewed for ADA compliance: Yes

City Attorney Review/Approved: Yes

Risk Management Review: Yes

Finance Department Review/Approved: N/A

Funds Availability (account number): N/A

ORIGINAL(S) ATTACHED: Memorandum of Understanding

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