

MEMORANDUM TO VENICE CITY COUNCIL

THROUGH CHARTER OFFICER: Edward Lavallee, City Manager

E-SIGN:

FROM: Charlie Thorpe, Chief of Police

DEPARTMENT: Police

DATE: 08/13/2024

MEETING DATE: 08/27/2024

SUBJECT / TOPIC: Accept Grant Award from University of North Florida University (University) and Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety High Visibility Education and Enforcement Campaign Grant

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) provided grant funds to the University to support law enforcement for pedestrian and bicycle safety awareness and traffics laws education. The purpose of this program is to mitigate pedestrians, bicyclists, and motorists' crashes and injuries by educating them on traffic laws to improve their safety.

The total amount of this grant is \$5,077.61. The University will work with the Venice Police Department to implement the program. If future funding is available, the City will apply.

SUPPORTS STRATEGIC PLAN: Goal Two: Provide Efficient, Responsive Government with High Quality Services

COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED: For Council Adoption by Consent Motion

Cc: Brenda Westlake, Grants Administrator

Review of Contract Routing Tracker:		
(Initial or Signature to indicate your Revie	w/Approval)	
Finance Department Reviewed: [s]		N/A ✓
Risk Management Reviewed: [s]	Reviewed by A. Bullock 07/03/24	
City Attorney Reviewed: [s]	Reviewed by D. Lewis 07/09/24	
City Manager Reviewed: [s]		
Funds Availability (account Project #:	#):	