CONSENT ITEM

RE: Ammunition Order: State of Missouri Ammunition Contract – Gulf States Distributors, Missouri State Contract #C114052005

DEPARTMENT: Police Department

PROGRAM: Firearms Training & Qualification

RECOMMENDATION: Award the 2014 Ammunition order under the Cooperative Procurement Agreement within the Missouri State Ammunition Contract, resulting from the State's competitive RFP process for the contract periods of October 29, 2013 through October 28, 2014. The State of Missouri Notification of Statewide Contract for Federal Ammunition was awarded to Gulf States Distributors, the sole authorized distributor for law enforcement of Federal Cartridge Company in this region.

Ammunition Order

.40 Caliber Duty Ammunition - Federal P40HST3 (1000 round case) - 10 Cases $349.00 per Case/Total $3,490.00

.40 Caliber Practice Ammunition - Federal AE40R3 (1000 round case) - 30 Cases $269.00 per Case/Total $8,070.00

.223 Duty Ammunition - Federal T223F (500 round case) - 5 Cases $319.00 per Case/Total $1,595.00

.223 Practice Ammunition - Federal XM193BK (1000 round case) - 5 Cases $339.00 per Case/Total $1,695.00

12 Gauge Buckshot - Federal LE132-00 (250 round case) - 6 Cases $119.00 per Case/Total $714.00

12 Gauge Birdshot Practice - Federal TGL 12-8 (250 round case) 3 cases @ $69.00 per Case-Total $207.00.

Total for Ammunition $15,771.00

Recommendation is under budget for this portion of the ammunition budget by $658.00.

EXPLANATION: Ammunition is used for training, bi-annual qualification of officers for firearms assigned to them and/or personally owned off-duty firearms authorized by department policy, and issuing of replacement duty ammunition. Use of Force incidents carry the highest liability risk next to motor vehicle operations requiring the highest level of training and qualification standards. Extensive testing by the Firearms Training Unit has proven the Federal Cartridge Company produces a product that is superior in accuracy, reliability and quality control. Retail business have been contacted and are unable to meet the Missouri State bid price, nor can guarantee availability.

SUBMITTED BY: Chief Steven Schicker
Captain George Boswell

DATE: March 17, 2014