DATE: February 27, 2019

TO: 911 Emergency Response Advisory Committee

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THROUGH: Sheriff Darin Balaam, Washoe County Sheriff's Office

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TRAVEL AND TRAINING FOR WASHOE COUNTY

SHERIFF'S OFFICE COMMUNICATIONS PSAP: A review, discussion and possible action to approve, deny or otherwise modify a request for reimbursement for the costs associated for attending Central Square 2019 conference a public safety training conference for two dispatchers for a total cost not to exceed

\$9000.00 for travel, registration, seminars, lodging, and meetings.

SUMMARY

PUBLIC SAFETY TRAINING CONFERENCE FOR PRIMARY PSAP (Public Safety Answering Point) WASHOE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE COMMUNICATIONS:

A review, discussion and possible action to approve, deny or otherwise modify a request for reimbursement for two (3) individuals from Washoe County Sheriff's Office Communications to attend Central Square conference, March 17, 2019 through March 21, 2019 – San Antonio, TX, not to exceed a reimbursement amount of \$9,000.00

NRS APPLICABLE: NRS 244A.7645 Provides approval of costs associated with maintenance, upgrade and replacement of equipment necessary for the operation of the enhanced telephone system.

STAKEHOLDER REVIEW(s)

Stakeholder is a primary Public Safety Answering Points (PSAP) – Washoe County Sheriff's Office Communications.

PREVIOUS ACTION BACKGROUND

Yearly a request is made for funding for two (2) individuals from each of the three (3) primary PSAP's to attend the conference. This conference will provide critical training on 911 technology operations, policies and education issues.

FISCAL IMPACT

The Enhanced 911 Fund is a special revenue fund which receives revenue pursuant to NRS 244A.7643 in the form of telephone surcharges collected to support the emergency reporting system. Budget authority exists within the E911 Fund to the travel and training to the public safety training conferences for registrations, seminars and meetings.

Central Square conference in San Antonio, TX registration is \$700.00 per person, airfare is approximately \$1000.00 per person round trip, car rental is approximately \$0 for one traveler, and travel and lodging is approximately \$1000.00 (estimated as taxes, resort fee's, and other fee's not included) per person, per diem/meals is approximately \$200.00 per person, for an approximate total per person of \$3000.00. Attending for Washoe County Sheriff's Office are Supervisor Jenn Felter, Supervisor Heather Meredith, and Karinah Prevost, all are assigned to Washoe County Communications.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the E911 Emergency Response Advisory Committee approve the request for the reimbursement costs associated with attending the Central Square 2019 conference not to exceed approximate funds of more than \$ 9000.00 total for Washoe County Communications PSAP.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Move to approve the recommendation to fund Central Square 2019 conference in San Antonio, TX not to exceed \$9000.00.