



Town Council

Board Meeting Date: 9/14/2021

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SUBJECT:

A Resolution of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Erie Approving an Intergovernmental Agreement with St. Vrain Valley School District RE-1J for the School Resource Officer Program **DEPARTMENT: Police**

PRESENTER: Chief Kimberly A. Stewart

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approval of the Resolution.

SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND OF SUBJECT MATTER:

The Erie Police Department and the St. Vrain Valley School District have jointly developed a School Resource Officer (SRO) Program to provide a school-based approach to foster a positive relationship between students and police officers and help prevent youth delinquency, alcohol and substance abuse, and gang involvement. Such programs are recognized as being effective in promoting a positive relationship between the police, faculty, students and parents in preventing delinquency and promoting school safety.

The attached 2021-2022 Intergovernmental Agreement outlines the duties and responsibilities of the Police Department and the School District, desired outcomes, and related administrative responsibilities. The Agreement is in principal a continuance of previous year's agreements and commitment to the SRO Program.

Board Priority(s) Addressed:

- ✓ Engaged and Diverse Community
- ✓ Prosperous Economy
- ✓ Small Town Feel
- ✓ Safe and Healthy Community
- ✓ Effective Governance
- ✓ Fiscally Responsible

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Resolution 21-104

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2. Intergovernmental Agreement