



THE CITY OF KEY WEST

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MEMORANDUM

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

TO: Jim Scholl, City Manager
Greg Veliz, Assistant City Manager

CC: Donald J. Lee Jr., Chief of Police

FROM: Carolyn Sheldon, Senior Grants Administrator

DATE: June 13, 2018

RE: **Ratifying the attached Customized Training Agreements with CareerSource South Florida in the amount of \$29,678.00 in funding for police academy basic law enforcement tuition.**

ACTION STATEMENT:

This resolution will ratify the attached Customized Training Agreements with CareerSource South Florida (CSSF) in the amount of \$29,678.00 in funding for police academy basic law enforcement tuition.

BACKGROUND:

CareerSource South Florida coordinated with the Key West Police Department to provide partial funding for the 2018 police academy basic law enforcement training course offered at the Florida Keys Community College (FKCC). The funding is through the Employed Worker Training program.

PURPOSE AND JUSTIFICATION:

The City of Key West has a continuous need for Police Officers. Graduates from a locally sponsored Police officer training program have proven to be a vital part of the Key West Police Department's ability to successfully provide public safety services to the community. CSSF funding, while only partial, helps to reduce the City's tuition cost.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Revenue from the police academy tuition funding of \$29,678.00 will be budgeted in Account 0010000 3312000 to offset the expenses for police academy tuition of approximately \$47,100.00 with the difference funded by the City's General Fund City Manager Contingency Fund.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the City Commission ratify the Customized Training Agreements with CareerSource South Florida in the amount of \$29,678.00 in funding for police academy basic law enforcement tuition.