

**CITY OF OJAI
RESOLUTION NO. 15-19**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF OJAI, CALIFORNIA
ALLOCATING THE CITIZEN'S OPTION FOR PUBLIC SAFETY (COPS) REVENUE
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016**

WHEREAS, in 1996 Assembly Bill 3229 established the Citizen's Option for Public Safety (COPS) permanent and ongoing program for frontline law enforcement services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ojai is eligible to receive funds from the State for law enforcement purposes in the approximate amount of \$100,000 for fiscal year 2015-2016; and

WHEREAS, Cities are required to appropriate Citizen's Option for Public Safety revenues pursuant to written requests from the Chief of Police; and

WHEREAS, Citizen's Option for Public Safety revenues shall supplement existing services and shall not be used to supplant any existing funding for law enforcement services currently being provided; and

WHEREAS, the Ojai City Council met on June 23, 2015, to consider requests for use of Citizen's Option for Public Safety Revenue allocations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Ojai supports the funding allocations for fiscal year 2015-2016 as follows:

Funding for a part-time Sheriff's Service Technician.

Estimated Cost: \$43,204

Funding for the Ojai Police Department's Special Enforcement Program.

Estimated Cost: \$56,796

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of June 2015 by the following vote:

AYES: Blatz, Clapp, Haney, Lara, Weirick

NOES: None


ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

CITY OF OJAI, CALIFORNIA


Severo Lara, Mayor

ATTEST:


Rhonda Basore, City Clerk

Approved as to Form


Matthew Summers, Interim Assistant City Attorney