

City Council – Action Request Form

Date: September 18, 2017
To: The City Manager
From: Catrina A. Thompson, Chief of Police

Council Action Requested:

Consideration of items related to the 2014 Solving Cold Cases With DNA Grants Program:

- (1) Adoption of resolution authorizing execution of an amendment extending the term for:
 - a. Interlocal Agreement between the City of Winston-Salem, the City of Greensboro, and the City of High Point to collaborate and solve cold case homicides in the Piedmont Triad Area.
 - b. Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Winston-Salem (Grant Administrator), City of Greensboro, the City of High Point, and NMS Labs, Incorporated.

Strategic Focus Area: Safe and Secure Community
Strategic Objective: Improve Public Safety Service Quality
Strategic Plan Action Item: No
Key Work Item: No



Summary of Information:

In 2014, the City of Winston-Salem Police Department was awarded a grant through the Solving Cold Cases With DNA Grants Program in the amount of \$246,444. This grant award, funded by the United States Department of Justice, is shared with the City of Greensboro and the City of High Point for the purposes of investigating and solving cold cases in the Piedmont Triad Area.

An extension for this grant through September 30, 2018 was requested and approved by the U.S.

Committee Action:

Committee	Public Safety 9/11/17	Action	Approval
For	Unanimous	Against	
Remarks:			

Department of Justice. Per the federal agency's requirements, the existing Interlocal Agreement and Memorandum of Understanding must be amended to reflect a new closing date of September 30, 2018 before the extension request can be approved.