City Council – Action Request Form Date: January 22, 2019 To: The City Manager From: Catrina A. Thompson, Chief of Police

Council Action Requested:

Items pertaining to a grant from the Walmart Foundation:

- a. Approval to accept grant from Walmart Foundation for Winston-Salem Police Department's Community Resources Unit.
- b. Amendment to the FY 2018-19 Project Budget Ordinance

Strategic Focus Area: Safe and Secure Community **Strategic Objective:** Expand Community Policing

Strategic Plan Action Item: No

Key Work Item: No



Summary of Information:

The Winston-Salem Police Department was recently awarded a \$5,000 grant from the Walmart Foundation. Grant funds will primarily be used for activities pertaining to 2019 National Night Out, an annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make neighborhoods safer. National Night Out enhances the relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a true sense of community. Furthermore, it provides a great opportunity to bring police and neighbors together under positive circumstances.

The 2019 National Night Out will take place on August 6, 2019. There is no match for this grant.

Committee Action:			
Committee	Finance 1/14/19 Public Safety 1/14/19	Action	Approval
For	Unanimous	Against	
Remarks:		-	