

**Minutes of Public Meeting of the
Constable Ethics, Standards and Training Board
December 12, 2016**

A public meeting of the Constables Ethics, Standards and Training Board (CESTB) was convened on December 12, 2016 at 1:05 p.m. at the offices of Capitol Consulting 818 North First Street Phoenix, AZ 85004. Present via teleconference were the following members of the CESTB - Constable Mike Cobb, Sheriff Adam Shepherd, Constable David Lester, Constable Brandon Schmoll, Constable Scott Tipton, and Judge Barbara Brown. The following staff was present – Tracy Unmacht. There were no members of the public in attendance. Absent were the following members of the CESTB – Christine Shipley, Stuart Goodman, Dan Field.

A quorum was reached and the following matters were discussed and decided at the meeting:

Grant Applications for Constable Equipment: Eight applications were received for constable Equipment grants requesting funding in total for the amount of \$35,968.29. Funds available for this cycle are \$40,000. Board members submitted their scores for the record. Each grant was discussed and voted on.

- **Coconino County/People Finder \$2,084.14**
Constable Tipton made a motion to approve the application in the amount requested. Judge Brown seconded. Discussion – Constable Schmoll felt the software was not useful enough to justify the funds. Constable Cobb disagreed – he has had experience with this particular software and said it was indeed useful. Judge Brown stated the applicant provided a lot of data showing its usefulness. Motion carried with 1 opposed.
- **Yavapai County/ Firearms & Ammo \$4,297.89**
Consensus was there is not a need for constables to have this type of firearm. Constable Schmoll made a motion to deny this request and Constable Tipton seconded. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.
- **Pima County/Uniforms \$2,983.01**
Constable Schmoll made a motion to approve the application in the amount requested and Constable Lester seconded. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.
- **Maricopa County/Response Jackets \$1,804.69**
Constable Schmoll made a motion to approve the application in the amount requested and Sheriff Shepherd seconded. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.
- **Maricopa County/Ballistic Vests \$17,400.85**
Constable Schmoll made a motion to approve the application in the amount requested and Judge Brown seconded. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.
- **Maricopa County/Warrants Databank \$5,409.58**
Constable Tipton made a motion to deny the request and Judge Brown seconded. Discussion – Judge Brown stated the applicant didn't provide much data showing how useful the software might be. The motion passed unanimously.
- **Yuma County/Printer \$463.00**
Constable Schmoll made a motion to approve the application in the amount requested. Sheriff Shepherd seconded. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.
- **Maricopa County/Uniform \$1,525.13**
This grant application will benefit Constable Lester directly so he abstained from scoring and voting. Constable Lester was asked if he has already been accepted into the program that will require this uniform

and he stated yes. Constable Schmoll made a motion to approve the application in the amount requested. Judge Brown seconded. There was no discussion and the motion passed with Constable Lester abstaining.

Adjournment: Constable Tipton made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Constable Schmoll seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Meeting was adjourned at 1:23 p.m.

Dated this 16 day of Jan, ~~2016~~ ²⁰¹⁷

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mike Cobb". The signature is written in a cursive style with a small mark above the first letter of "Mike".

Chairman Mike Cobb