San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Advisory Foundation (SAF)

Funding Accomplishments for Year 2020

During the Year 2020, the Sheriff's Advisory Foundation made payments for community events and Requests for Funds received from the Sheriff's Office & Auxiliary Units, and local law enforcement agencies and local law enforcement support organizations in San Luis Obispo County:

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ORGANIZATION/PROGRAM	AMOUNT	UTILIZATION OF FUNDS:			
SLOC Sheriff's Office & Auxiliary Units					
Atascadero K-9 Unit	\$2,462	Payment of fundraising expenses for the Atascadero Police K-9 Foundation. The overall dollar donations raised for the Police K-9 program was \$11,830.00			
Behavioral Health Unit (BHU)	\$6,090	Payment of \$\$3,709.88 was to replace facilities equipment for a Standard Combo Unit with a ADA Combo Unit. Payment of \$2,380.00 was to provide funds directly for the benefit of individual inmates. It was for inmates with mental illnesses who received treatment in the BHU by our mental health staff to connect with loved ones during the pandemic. \$18.45 was applied to 258 inmates NCIC Inmate Communications phone accounts which equals \$4,760.10. The amount over \$2,380.00. was provided by the Holland Foundation.			
Bicycle Program	\$3,500	Purchased miscellaneous supplies and parts to fix bicycles. Supplies are utilized byr inmates on the Honor Farm to refurbish bicycles to give to less fortunate children in the community at SAF's annual Christmas Bicycle Give-A-Way Program. This program continues to be a very successful community outreach program where the Sheriff's Office helps underprivileged children.			
Crisis Intervention Training (CIT) Seminar Classes	\$2,400	\$2,000 for the speaker's fee for a Crisis Intervention Specialty Presentation to meet the need of changing demographics and types of calls for service. The Sheriff's Office has developed a 40-hour peace Officer's Standard and Training (POST) certified Crisis Prevention Training (CIT) class for custody and Patrol sworn personnel. Attendees will develop skills to better handle situations with persons with mental health conditions, autism, traumatic brain injuries, PTSD and drug and alcohol abuse. \$400 for Crisis Intervention Specialty Assistance- Actors.			
Explorer Cadet Post #781	\$146	Purchase of reflective Traffic Safety Vests			
Explorer Competition	\$8,313	\$4,559.70 payment for painting the exterior of the CAMP/Explorer trailer. The trailer is towed to the location of the camps and explorer competition. \$2,890.58 for the purchase of items for the Central Coast Explorer Competition; T-shirts, Embroidery-Polo, Trophies, Plaques, & Embroidery-hats. \$862.62 for the purchase of Flip-Totes and Shelf Steel Storage Units for the Explorer/Camp Trailer.			
Gaing Resistance Education and Training Program (GREAT)	\$565	\$350.00 The Los Osos Middle School sixth graders graduated from their GREAT Program and had a 'Character Counts' assembly. Motivational school speaker, Retro Bill, was the guest speaker. \$350.00 was requested to pay a portion of his speaker's fee.\$214.84 was for the purchased of supplies for the Friday Night Live Partnership session for the 2019 GREAT camps.			

SLOC Sheriff's Office & Auxiliary Units (continued)				
Medical Expense Aid	\$1,000	Medical Expenses for Deputies Nicholas Dreyfus & Michael Smiley who were shot and critically injured during the Paso Robles Active Shooter incident.		
Sheriff's Office - PA System	\$4,609	The Sheriff's Office utilized the funds to purchased a public address system (PA system) comprising of microphones, amplifiers, loudspeakers, and related equipment. The PA system will be used for venues that require an announcer, performer, etc. be sufficiently audible at a distance or over a large area.		
Mounted Posse	\$845	\$139.00 to purchase a pop-up tent for Mounted Posse events. \$410.37 for food purchased for a Mounted Posse (volunteers) annual event. \$296.31 Annual Captain's gift.		
Sheriff's Office Detectives Division	\$4,991	Purchased updated and current Detective Ballistic Vest Carriers. The Detective's assigned to the Detective Division had mismatched and outdated ballistic vest carriers. These vest carriers hold the ballistic armor used routinely by Detectives and are a vital and necessary piece of safety equipment.		
Sheriff's Office Cannabis Enforcement Unit	\$4,150	50% deposit for Sheriff's Office Cannabis Enforcement Unit to purchase a new, modern dump trailer for use in Cannabis Eradication. The current trailer is a decades old tow behind trailer which is open with 4 foot side rails which makes it difficult to tie down large quantities of cannabis for transportation. Also, it requires manual unloading at the dump which increases the risk of injury to Sheriff's Office personnel. Last year. the trailer was used to transport approximately 10,000 pounds of abated cannabis to the landfill from various locations in the county and we anticipate higher numbers this year. The cost for the new dump trailer with higher walls and cover is \$8,300.04.		
Sheriff's Office Off-Highway Vehicle Team (OHV)	\$9,861	Purchased a second 8.5X24 foot enclosed cargo trailer for the Sheriffs Off-Highway Vehicle team. The 8.5x24 foot trailer stores and transports one Polaris Ranger and one Polaris RZR vehicle. The purchase of the second 8.5x24 foot trailer would allow the storage and transport of a second Polaris Ranger Vehicle.		
Sheriff's Family Day	\$4,919	Items purchased for future Sheriff's Family Day event which had to be cancelled for Year 2020 because of Covid-19.		
Sheriff's Office Teen Driver's Challenge	\$4,800	Payment for two Teen Drivers Challenge classes. The Teen Driver's Challenge is a "hands on" course designed to give teenagers the experience they need to drive safety and defensively under the supervision and training from certified law enforcement instructors. The class is held at Allan Hancock College public safety training complex in Lompoc California.		

Sheriff's Office Special Enforcement Detail	\$2,428	Funds were provided to upgrade the Special Enforcement Detail teams five single shot break action 40mm launchers. The Special Enforcement Detail (SED) was in need of updating less lethal deployment technology. The team currently utilizes less lethal 40mm launchable impact rounds but the launchers are single round devices and require reloads during dynamic scenarios. The newest and best launchers on the market are built to contain 4 rounds which do not require a reload until all 4 rounds are expended. Having 4 less lethal rounds readily accessible and deployable would greatly increase success in a dynamic scenario.
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SLOC Sheriff's Office & Auxiliary Units (continued)				
Search & Rescue	\$3,002	\$3,001.80 payment for the Sheriff's Search & Rescue Team to replace rescues ropes that have reached the end of service lift. New certified rope and associated equipment needed for the team to remail in service and able to conduct rescues.		
Service Awards	\$1,856	Purchased 50 Service Pins from 5 to 30 years of service for the Sheriff's Office personnel and presented them at the Sheriff's Administration Service Awards Ceremony.		
Covid - 19 Employee Appreciation	\$748	Eight Hundred Eighty (880) Madonna Inn Bakery's cookies were given to the Sheriff's Office first responders and essential employees to show appreciation for their services during the Covid - 19 pandemic.		
Top 40 Flyers Club	\$725	Parts and material for the Sheriff's Cessna Heli Avionics Aircraft upgrades.		
Local Law Enforcement Agencies				
Office of the District Attorney County of San Luis Obispo	\$5,000	To support the Office of the District Attorney's Courthouse Dog Program to incorporate a highly trained dog to provide support for the victims of, and witnesses to, crime. This will enhance their trauma informed approach to victim services.		
San Luis Obispo Police Department-Youth Program	\$369	Aspire Academy youth program supplies and storage containers for the academy supplies.		
Local Law Enforcement Support Organizations				
Cattleman/Cattlewoman	\$434	Purchased two Commemorative Belt Buckles which were presented to the Cattleman and Cattlewomen of the Year. Presentation builds stronger working relationships between the Sheriff's Office and our rural community partners.		
Community Emergency Response Team -Estero Bay 2379 (CERT)	\$2,379	Purchase \$1,619.68 of CERT supplies for Students - Estero Bay Class, January 2020. Student fees paid was used to off-set the total cost of the supplies. Purchased \$758.84 for 12 CERT bags, miscellaneous first aid supplies and propane for the fire extinguishers.		
Community Emergency Response Team - North County (CERT)	\$2,132	Purchase \$2,131.59 of CERT supplies for Students - North County Class, October 2019. Student fees paid was used to off-set the total cost of the supplies.		
Community Emergency Response Team -Cambria (CERT)	\$5,359	Purchased 2 watt radios for all CERT Cambria members. Current 0.5 watt radios did not have enough power to overcome the hilly terrain of Cambria, making it difficult, if not impossible, for Staging Area Managers to communicate with their members.		
Total Funding for Year 2020	\$83,083			