



## Colonial Heights City Council Meeting Agenda Item Executive Summary

### City Council Meeting

**MEETING TYPE:** City Council Regular Meeting

**MEETING DATE:** January 10, 2023

**ITEM:** Ordinance No. 22-21

**DEPARTMENT:** City Manager

**PROPOSED ACTION:** Consider approval on second reading of Ordinance No. 22-21 to ratify payment of a one-time \$1,000 pandemic bonus to School Resource Officers provided by Colonial Heights Public Schools.

**BACKGROUND:** Colonial Heights Public Schools received funding from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) to provide one-time \$1,000 pandemic bonuses to full-time Standards of Quality (SOQ) funded instructional and support positions. The School Board approved using its General Fund dollars to provide a \$1,000 pandemic bonus to non-SOQ funded positions. School Administration contacted the City indicating a desire to include the City's School Resource Officers (SRO's) in the bonus; the School Board approved this as well. The City included the bonus in the SRO's paychecks for November 30, 2022. Ordinance No. 22-21 provides for ratification of the City Finance Department's November 30, 2022 payment of a one-time \$1,000 bonus to the six School Resource Officers.

**BUDGET/FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

**Funding for this item was:**  included  not included in the current-year budget  N/A

The \$1,000 bonus for the six SRO's is being provided to the City by the Schools (will be incorporated in the year-end City/Schools true up for FY 23)

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends approval of Ordinance No.22-21 on second reading.

**ATTACHMENTS:** Ordinance No. 22-21

- Staff will be making a detailed presentation on this agenda item at the meeting.
- Staff will provide brief comments and answer questions on this item at the meeting.
- This is a routine procedural item and no presentation is planned for the meeting.

*Councilmembers who have any detailed questions or would like to request additional information regarding this item are encouraged to contact the City Manager at their earliest convenience.*