

Legislation Text

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The City of Columbus, Division of Police, has received a contribution of \$2500.00 to be used solely for feeding horses in the Division of Police Mounted Unit.

FISCAL IMPACT: This contribution of \$2500.00 will benefit the City by mitigating the costs of maintaining the Mounted Unit.

To establish fund No. 223-309, titled "Feed-Police Horses Only" and to authorize the Public Safety Director to expend said monies solely for the purpose of feeding horses in the Division of Police Mounted Unit. (\$2,500.00)

WHEREAS, Mr. Christopher Soteriades, 811 Northwest Blvd, Columbus, Ohio, on October 2, 2009 has contributed \$2,500.00 to the City of Columbus, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Soteriades has explicitly directed that these monies be used solely for the feeding of horses within the City's Division of Police Mounted Unit, and

WHEREAS, the Police Mounted Unit currently has 9 horses (standardbred, thoroughbred and quarter), and

WHEREAS, the Mounted Police Unit provides available police services especially during events where unruly crowds are anticipated, and

WHEREAS. the Mounted Police Unit also provides Police presence throughout the City, high school football games and other special events, and

WHEREAS, the Council thanks Mr. Soteriades for his contribution and directs his contribution be used solely for the purpose he intends,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:

Section 1. The City of Columbus accept a \$2,500.00 contribution and directs the City Auditor to deposit such monies into fund no. 223-309, titled "Feed-Police Horses Only".

Section 2. That monies in such fund are to be used solely for feeding horses of the Police Mounted Unit.

Section 3. The Director of Police Safety is hereby authorized to expend monies contained in Fund 223-309 and such monies contained in fund 223-309 are hereby deemed appropriated to the extent of available cash, to be used solely for the purpose of feeding such horses.

Section 4. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.