

Program #60065 - River Patrol

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Department: Sheriff **Program Contact:** Steve Dangler

Program Offer Type: Existing Operating Program Program Offer Stage: As Adopted

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics:

Executive Summary

The Sheriff's River Patrol Unit partners with the Oregon Marine Board, the Port of Portland, and the U.S. Coast Guard to provide safe commercial and recreational access and passage to the county's 110 miles of waterways along the Columbia River, Willamette River, Sandy River and Multnomah Channel. The River Patrol Unit provides law enforcement and search and rescue services to all river, lake, shoreline and island locations in Multnomah County.

Program Summary

The River Patrol Unit provides protection and intervention for the numerous county moorages, marinas, and houseboat communities. The country's fifth largest port requires unobstructed ingress and egress of commercial ship movement into the region. Marine deputies respond to all life threatening marine calls for service such as boat collisions, drowning, missing persons, and environmental hazards. Deputies provide boater safety education and intervention through classroom, boat inspections and enforcement activities. It is crucial for the local economy that cargo vessels, carrying consumer products, efficiently transport these goods in a timely and efficient manner. In FY 2015, the Port of Portland moved 8,380,848 short tons of cargo through its facilities and there were 352 calls to port terminals by ocean-going vessel. Community livability contributes to a thriving economy and access to work, cultural, and recreational activity is an important element of a thriving economy. River Patrol participates in regional multi-agency marine security drills to promote efficient coordination of first responder resources. This unit provides critical infrastructure security protection along Multnomah County waterways. The Oregon Marine Board contributes approximately one third of the funding needs for the Sheriff's Office River Patrol. The River Patrol Unit is key to emergency preparedness on/near the regional waterways; they participate in numerous agency collaborations and are a significant function to a visible public safety system.

Performance Measures									
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY15 Actual	FY16 Purchased	FY16 Estimate	FY17 Offer				
Output	Hours of community water safety education	326	230	230	230				
Outcome	Number of citizens issued boater examination reports, warning, and citations	3380	3,400	3400	3400				

Performance Measures Descriptions

Data from Oregon State Marine Board website "Number of citizens issued boater examination reports, warning, and citations" includes the following boater contact types: HIN Insp, Pass MTR, Fail w/warn MTR, Fail w/cite MTR, Pass NM, Fail w/warn NM, and Fail w/cite NM. (Education for FY13 plus 59 prep hours, FY14 40 prep hours).

Legal / Contractual Obligation

Patrol operates under ORS Chapter 830 and contracts with the Oregon Marine Board.

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds	
Program Expenses	2016	2016	2017	2017	
Personnel	\$1,523,529	\$771,871	\$1,604,826	\$858,346	
Contractual Services	\$1,000	\$0	\$1,000	\$0	
Materials & Supplies	\$146,634	\$63,890	\$181,333	\$63,712	
Internal Services	\$143,751	\$11,416	\$109,518	\$12,276	
Capital Outlay	\$108,797	\$240,095	\$33,797	\$0	
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,923,711	\$1,087,272	\$1,930,474	\$934,334	
Program Total:	\$3,01	\$3,010,983		\$2,864,808	
Program FTE	10.00	5.00	10.00	5.00	

Program Revenues								
Indirect for Dept. Admin	\$7,823	\$0	\$8,799	\$0				
Intergovernmental	\$0	\$1,041,272	\$0	\$888,334				
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$30,000	\$0	\$30,000				
Service Charges	\$0	\$16,000	\$0	\$16,000				
Total Revenue	\$7,823	\$1,087,272	\$8,799	\$934,334				

Explanation of Revenues

Fed/State Fund:

\$16,000 - River Patrol Services for Government Island

\$790,334 - River Patrol Services for the Oregon Marine Board

Special Ops Fund:

\$30,000 - Reimbursement for Boat Repair and Boat Fuel from other Jurisdictions

\$98,000 - Riverplace Docks Project w/Portland Parks & Rec

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2016: 60065-16 MCSO River Patrol

Reduce Capital Equipment line in the amount of \$75,000 to be reallocated elsewhere in the Sheriff's Office. UASI Grant for dive bus was one-time-only and did not carry into Fiscal Year 2017. The dive bus was purchased and outfitted in Fiscal Year 2016.