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CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER, MARYLAND

ORDINANCE NO. 10-2013

(Drafted by: Police Chief & City Attorney)

Introduced by _____

An Ordinance transferring the appropriation of \$10,000 from the Restricted Public Safety Fund Balance (Line Item 5902) to Speed Camera—Public Safety Related Exp. (Line Item 5900) for a comprehensive review and revision of the Mount Rainier Police Department's Policies and Procedures Manual and authorizing the City Manager to enter into a contract with the law firm of Funk & Bolton, P.A. to perform the review and revisions.

WHEREAS, the City of Mount Rainier Police Department has established and maintains a policy and procedures manual that establishes rules, regulations and policies governing the conduct and actions of its police officers and the overall operation of the Department; and

WHEREAS, the policies and procedures established in this manual define complex law enforcement operations that are necessary to minimize liability and risk to the City; and

WHEREAS, the personnel policies and personnel management provisions established in the manual are necessary to ensure that modern, industry standard policies and procedures are in place; and

WHEREAS, a comprehensive review and revision of the manual will ensure that the policies and procedures established in the manual are complete, reduce the risk of liability to the City, and adhere to current law and modern police procedures; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department's policies and procedures manual has not undergone a thorough and detailed revision in over ten years;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER, as follows:

SECTION 1. Appropriation.

\$10,000 from the Restricted Public Safety Fund Balance (Line Item 5902) shall be transferred to the Speed Camera—Public Safety Related Exp. (Line Item 5900) in the Fiscal Year 2014 budget for the purpose of obtaining a comprehensive review and revision of the Mount Rainier Police Department's policies and procedures manual.

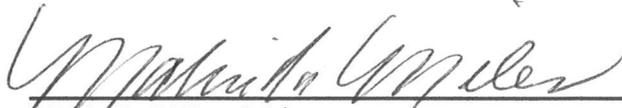
SECTION 2. Contract.

The City Manager is authorized to enter into a contract with the law firm of Funk & Bolton to perform the review and revision of the policies and procedures manual.

THIS ORDINANCE IS ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOUNT RAINIER THIS ____ DAY OF _____ 2013.

Attest:

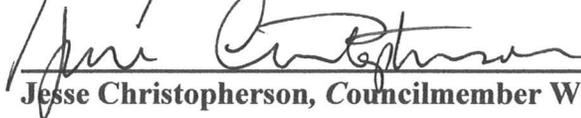
Jeannelle B. Wallace, City Manager



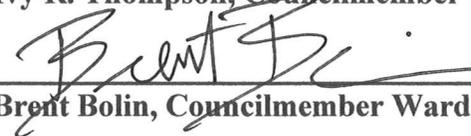
Malinda Miles, Mayor



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