MEMORANDUM

December 8, 2016

TO:

Charles Cato

Chief of Police

THRU:

Robert Piccioni

Assistant Chief of Police

FROM:

David Gill

Captain

SUBJECT:

Proposed items for purchase from Treasury Seizure Account # SA16/17-352-003

The following items are proposed for purchase from the US Treasury seizure account:

1. Prisoner Restraint Chair

\$2,000

This request is for the purchase of a restraint chair to be stored and used at Dallas Regional Hospital (DRG). DRG currently performs blood draws on DWI suspects for the police department. In recent weeks, several of these suspects have become combative and have had to be restrained to obtain the evidence and protect the phlebotomists who are taking the sample. The police department currently has one restraint chair in the municipal jail, which is used to restrain violent prisoners. This chair was brought to the hospital and used successfully to restrain a violent prisoner while the blood warrant was executed. The chair is heavy and bulky and is not easily moved. DRG staff has requested a chair and have a place to store the chair on site for future use. The police department would like to use seizure funds to purchase an additional chair to keep at the hospital for police use at that facility.

Total Requested:		\$2,000
1. Restraint Chair	6108	\$2,000
Description of Items	Object Code	Requested Amount

David Gill Captain

Approved:

Charlie M. Cato Chief of Police Cliff Keheley City Manager