

LRB-FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

ITEM 23, FILE # 050988

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File # 050988 is a resolution authorizing the Milwaukee Police Department to accept a donation of money from the Target Corporation.

Background

This resolution authorizes the Milwaukee Police Department (MPD) to accept a donation of money from the Target Corporation to increase the effectiveness of MPD's "Bait Car."

Discussion

1. MPD has received an offer from the Target Corporation to donate \$1,200 to enhance the capabilities of the Bait Car program. File # 050152 authorized the Milwaukee Police Department to accept a donation of a 2000 Honda Accord from the State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company in order to assist in apprehending auto theft suspects.
2. Enhancements to be purchased with this money include GPS tracking, remote-operated alarms and a remote-controlled locking mechanism to detain a suspect.
3. Authority to accept such donations for the same purpose is continued unless otherwise rescinded or amended by future Common Council action.

Fiscal Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this resolution.

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