

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-182

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

March 29, 2011

AGREEMENT WITH THE SACRAMENTO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT WITHIN THE SACRAMENTO URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE (UASI) REGION FOR THE REGIONAL TERRORISM THREAT ASSESSMENT CENTER (RTTAC)

BACKGROUND

- A. The Sacramento Regional Office of Homeland Security was established in 2004, and is comprised of the City of Sacramento, the County of Sacramento, the City of Folsom, the City of West Sacramento, the Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District, the City of Roseville and City of Elk Grove (City Council Resolutions #2003-792 and 2005-406).
- B. The Sacramento Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI), through the City of Sacramento, applied for and was awarded Fiscal Year 2009 UASI federal grant funds (Project #G11008600, City Council Resolution #2009-459). Federal grant terms and guidance require that a minimum of twenty-five percent of the awarded grant funding must be used for law enforcement terrorism prevention-oriented activities.
- C. On May 19, 2009, City Council authorized the Police Department to execute an agreement (City Council Resolution #2009-306, Agreement #2009-0451) with the Sacramento Regional Terrorism Threat Assessment Center (RTTAC), through the Sacramento County Sheriff's Department, for the provision of law enforcement services. This action was taken in order to comply with the Fiscal Year 2008 Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) grant award and guidance requirement to provide support for law enforcement terrorism prevention-oriented activities.
- D. The Sacramento RTTAC is one of only four fusion centers within the State of California and each is particular and unique to their own perspective region. The Sacramento Fusion Center is staffed with intelligence analysts with top secret clearances through the Department of Homeland Security which allows them to analyze and disseminate critical information for our region. Federal grant guidance requires that a minimum of twenty-five percent of the overall monetary award be expended on this type of activity.
- E. The Sacramento Fusion Center is comprised of the Terrorism Early Warning Group (TWEAG), the Terrorism Liaison Officer Program, and the terrorism intelligence gathering center. Information is received from law enforcement, fire departments, public health, and private sector organizations. The information is analyzed, evaluated, and disseminated to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Joint Terrorism Task Force (JTTF), as well as the State of California Terrorism Threat Assessment Center. The Sacramento Fusion Center is unique because it is the only fusion center in the nation that houses federal, State, and local jurisdictions in the same office for the analysis of critical information.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Interim City Manager, or the Chief of Police as the Interim City Manager's designee is authorized to execute, on behalf of the City of Sacramento, a two-year Professional Services Agreement with the Sacramento County Sheriff's Department for the provision of law enforcement services to the Regional Terrorism Threat Assessment Center in an amount not to exceed \$800,000 over the agreement term.

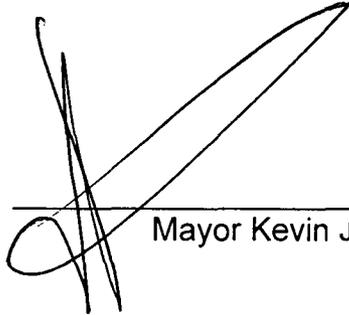
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on March 29, 2011 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Ashby, Cohn, D Fong, R Fong, McCarty, Pannell, Schenirer, Sheedy, and Mayor Johnson.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.



Mayor Kevin Johnson

Attest:



Shirley Concolino, City Clerk