# **Broward County**



## Legislation Details (With Text)

**File #**: 22-1755 **Version**: 1

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Title: MOTION TO ADOPT budget Resolution within the Law Enforcement Trust Fund for the Broward

Sheriff's Office in the amount of \$1,256,342 for the purpose of supporting the Forfeiture Unit for Fiscal

Year 2023.

Sponsors:

Indexes:

**Code sections:** 

**Attachments:** 1. Exhibit 1 - BSO Request, 2. Exhibit 2 - Budget Resolution

Date Ver. Action By Action Result

#### **Broward County Commission Regular Meeting**

**Director's Name:** Norman Foster

**<u>Department:</u>** Office of Management and Budget

### Information

#### Requested Action

MOTION TO ADOPT budget Resolution within the Law Enforcement Trust Fund for the Broward Sheriff's Office in the amount of \$1,256,342 for the purpose of supporting the Forfeiture Unit for Fiscal Year 2023.

#### Why Action is Necessary

Florida Statutes 932.7055(5)(a) requires that proceeds from the disposition of liens and forfeited property obtained from criminal procedures and corrections be deposited in a special law enforcement trust fund to be used for law enforcement purposes. Recommendation of the Sheriff and Board approval are necessary to appropriate LETF funds.

#### What Action Accomplishes

Provides LETF funding in the amount of \$1,256,342 to support the Forfeiture Unit for Fiscal Year 2023.

#### Is this Action Goal Related

No

#### **Previous Action Taken**

None.

#### **Summary Explanation/Background**

A. The Broward Sheriff's Office supports this LETF request for \$1,256,342 to fund the Broward

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County Forfeiture Unit. Funding for this program is shared by local forfeiture and the Federal Justice Law Enforcement Trust Fund.

#### **Source of Additional Information**

Colonel James Reyes, BSO Department of Administration, (954) 831-8180 Norman Foster, Director, Office of Management and Budget, (954) 357-6346

#### **Fiscal Impact**

## **Fiscal Impact/Cost Summary**

Funds are available within the Law Enforcement Trust Fund for these actions. According to BSO, the current balance of the LETF, as of October 28, 2022, is \$3,951,652 in the local account (\$3,115,609 of which is unrestricted) and \$3,960,748 in the federal account (\$2,322,223 of which is unrestricted). These actions will utilize \$962,672 in unrestricted local funds and \$293,670 in unrestricted federal funds.