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The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Los Angeles
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

**ACCEPTANCE OF A DONATION OF TWO 2013 POLARIS SPMN 550 ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES
TO THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT'S LAKEWOOD STATION
(FOURTH DISTRICT) (3 VOTES)**

SUBJECT

The city of Bellflower (City) intends to donate two 2013 Polaris SPMN 550 all-terrain vehicles, Vehicle Identification Numbers 4XAZN55A0DA043669 and 4XAZN55A2DA043706 (Vehicles), to the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department's (Department) Lakewood Station. The Vehicles are to be used exclusively in the City to patrol the City's river bed trails, bike paths, and parks.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE BOARD:

1. Approve and instruct the Chair to accept the donation of two Vehicles, valued at \$19,400, for exclusive use in the City to patrol the City's river bed trails, bike paths, and parks.
2. Approve the Los Angeles County (County) to indemnify and defend the agency from all liability arising from the County's use of the vehicles, other than liability resulting from defects or malfunctions related to acts or omissions of the manufacturer.
3. Instruct the Executive Officer-Clerk of the Board to send a letter of appreciation to Jeffrey L. Stewart, Bellflower City Manager, 16600 Civic Center Drive, Bellflower, California 90706, for the generous donation.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The City wishes to donate two Vehicles for exclusive use by the Department's personnel assigned to the City.

Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

Acceptance of this donation supports the County's Strategic Plan, Goals 1, Operational effectiveness; and Goal 3, Integrated Services Delivery. The Vehicles will enhance both the quality and productivity of services provided by Lakewood Station personnel assigned to the City.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The Department will provide fuel and general maintenance for the daily operation of the Vehicles.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

State law authorizes the acceptance of gifts for specific County purposes in Government Code Section 25355.

This Board letter has been reviewed by County Counsel.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)

There is no impact on current County services.

CONCLUSION

Upon Board approval, please return an adopted copy of the letter to the Department's Communications and Fleet Management Bureau.

Sincerely,



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Sheriff

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