

Military Equipment

706.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The purpose of this policy is to provide guidelines for the approval, acquisition, and reporting requirements of military equipment (Government Code § 7070; Government Code § 7071; Government Code § 7072).

706.1.1 DEFINITIONS

Definitions related to this policy include (Government Code § 7070):

Governing body – The elected or appointed body that oversees the Department.

Military equipment – Includes but is not limited to the following:

- Unmanned, remotely piloted, powered aerial or ground vehicles.
- Mine-resistant ambush-protected (MRAP) vehicles or armored personnel carriers.
- High mobility multipurpose wheeled vehicles (HMMWV), two-and-one-half-ton trucks, five-ton trucks, or wheeled vehicles that have a breaching or entry apparatus attached.
- Tracked armored vehicles that provide ballistic protection to their occupants.
- Command and control vehicles that are either built or modified to facilitate the operational control and direction of public safety units.
- Weaponized aircraft, vessels, or vehicles of any kind.
- Battering rams, slugs, and breaching apparatuses that are explosive in nature. This does not include a handheld, one-person ram.
- Firearms and ammunition of .50 caliber or greater, excluding standard-issue shotguns and standard-issue shotgun ammunition.
- Specialized firearms and ammunition of less than .50 caliber, including firearms and accessories identified as assault weapons in Penal Code § 30510 and Penal Code § 30515, with the exception of standard-issue firearms.
- Any firearm or firearm accessory that is designed to launch explosive projectiles.
- Noise-flash diversionary devices and explosive breaching tools.
- Munitions containing tear gas or OC, excluding standard, service-issued handheld pepper spray.
- TASER® Shockwave, microwave weapons, water cannons, and long-range acoustic devices (LRADs).
- Kinetic energy weapons and munitions.
- Any other equipment as determined by a governing body or a state agency to require additional oversight.

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706.2 POLICY

It is the policy of the Sierra Madre Police Department that members of this department comply with the provisions of Government Code § 7071 with respect to military equipment.

706.3 MILITARY EQUIPMENT COORDINATOR

The Chief of Police should designate a member of this department to act as the military equipment coordinator. The responsibilities of the military equipment coordinator include but are not limited to:

- (a) Acting as liaison to the governing body for matters related to the requirements of this policy.
- (b) Identifying department equipment that qualifies as military equipment in the current possession of the Department, or the equipment the Department intends to acquire that requires approval by the governing body.
- (c) Conducting an inventory of all military equipment at least annually.
- (d) Collaborating with any allied agency that may use military equipment within the jurisdiction of Sierra Madre Police Department (Government Code § 7071).
- (e) Preparing for, scheduling, and coordinating the annual community engagement meeting to include:
 1. Publicizing the details of the meeting.
 2. Preparing for public questions regarding the department's funding, acquisition, and use of equipment.
- (f) Preparing the annual military equipment report for submission to the Chief of Police and ensuring that the report is made available on the department website (Government Code § 7072).
- (g) Establishing the procedure for a person to register a complaint or concern, or how that person may submit a question about the use of a type of military equipment, and how the Department will respond in a timely manner.

706.4 MILITARY EQUIPMENT INVENTORY

The following constitutes a list of qualifying equipment for the Department:

[See attachment: SMPD Military Equipment Inventory.pdf](#)

706.4.1 MILITARY EQUIPMENT INVENTORY REPLENISHMENT

The inventory of certain items of consumable "military equipment" (i.e., ammunition, diversionary devices, chemical agents, etc.) can fluctuate throughout the year. This can be due to operational usage, training, operational wear, and/or manufacturer-recommended replacement guidelines. While the Department strives to provide accuracy in its inventory reporting as prescribed by law, the quantities listed in the inventory reflect approximations of certain consumable items of "military equipment" at the time. By the adoption of the ordinance approving this procedure, the City Council

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hereby approves additional purchases of any item listed in this inventory as needed to meet the Department's operational needs, to be reported on each year's annual report.

706.5 APPROVAL

The Chief of Police or the authorized designee shall obtain approval from the governing body by way of an ordinance adopting the military equipment policy. As part of the approval process, the Chief of Police or the authorized designee shall ensure the proposed military equipment policy is submitted to the governing body and is available on the department website at least 30 days prior to any public hearing concerning the military equipment at issue (Government Code § 7071). The military equipment policy must be approved by the governing body prior to engaging in any of the following (Government Code § 7071):

- (a) Requesting military equipment made available pursuant to 10 USC § 2576a.
- (b) Seeking funds for military equipment, including but not limited to applying for a grant, soliciting or accepting private, local, state, or federal funds, in-kind donations, or other donations or transfers.
- (c) Acquiring military equipment either permanently or temporarily, including by borrowing or leasing.
- (d) Collaborating with another law enforcement agency in the deployment or other use of military equipment within the jurisdiction of this department.
- (e) Using any new or existing military equipment for a purpose, in a manner, or by a person not previously approved by the governing body.
- (f) Soliciting or responding to a proposal for, or entering into an agreement with, any other person or entity to seek funds for, apply to receive, acquire, use, or collaborate in the use of military equipment.
- (g) Acquiring military equipment through any means not provided above.

706.6 COORDINATION WITH OTHER JURISDICTIONS

The Sierra Madre Police Department provides law enforcement services to the City of Sierra Madre and provides mutual aid countywide.

The Sierra Madre Police Department works in conjunction with the Foothill Special Enforcement Team (FSET/SWAT), the Foothill Air Support Team (FAST), Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force and may enter into an agreement with a joint task force to provide services to the City of Sierra Madre. This is done under the guidance of an approved and consolidated Memorandum of Understanding between the entities.

Military equipment used by any member of this Department shall be approved for use and in accordance with this Department policy. Military equipment used by other jurisdictions providing mutual aid to this Department, or otherwise engaged in law enforcement operations in this jurisdiction, shall comply with their respective military equipment use policies in rendering mutual aid.

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706.7 USE IN EXIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES

In exigent circumstances and with the approval of the Chief of Police or their designee, the Police Department may acquire, borrow and/or use Military Equipment from a neighboring law enforcement entity that is not included in the Military Equipment Use Policy. If the Police Department acquires, borrows, and/or uses Military Equipment in exigent circumstances, in accordance with this section, it must take all of the following actions

- Provide written notice of that acquisition or use to the City Council within 30 days following the commencement of such Exigent Circumstance, unless such information is confidential or privileged under local, state, or federal law.
- If it is anticipated that the use will continue beyond the Exigent Circumstance, submit a proposed amended Military Equipment Use Policy to the City Council within 90 days following the borrowing, acquisition, and/or use, and receive approval applicable from the City Council.
- Include the Military Equipment in the Police Department's next annual Military Equipment Report.

706.8 ANNUAL REPORT

Upon approval of a military equipment policy, the Chief of Police or the authorized designee should submit a military equipment report to the governing body for each type of military equipment approved within one year of approval, and annually thereafter for as long as the military equipment is available for use (Government Code § 7072).

The Chief of Police or the authorized designee should also make each annual military equipment report publicly available on the department website for as long as the military equipment is available for use. The report shall include all information required by Government Code § 7072 for the preceding calendar year for each type of military equipment in department inventory.

706.9 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Within 30 days of submitting and publicly releasing the annual report, the Department shall hold at least one well-publicized and conveniently located community engagement meeting, at which the Department should discuss the report and respond to public questions regarding the funding, acquisition, or use of military equipment.

706.10 COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

Pursuant to California Government Code §7071(d)(6), members of the public may register complaints, concerns, or submit questions about the use of each specific type of Military Equipment in this policy by any of the following means:

- (a) Via email to: [Military Equipment Coordinator](#)
- (b) Via mail sent to: Sierra Madre Police Department, Attn: Military Equipment Coordinator, 242 W. Sierra Madre Blvd, Sierra Madre, CA, 91024

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The Sierra Madre Police Department is committed to responding to complaints, concerns, and/or questions regarding its Military Equipment in a timely manner.

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Section One

Equipment Type: Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS)/Drones
Equipment Name: Autel EVO II Drone
Quantity Owned: One (1) Quantity Sought: Two (2)
Manufacturer Product Description: The EVO II drone provides hi-end specifications and abilities well beyond videography and photography. The 7100mAh battery lets it fly for up to 40 minutes at a time, the motors can fly in Ludicrous Speed mode at up to 44.8 mph, and you can transmit HD footage back to the controller's 3.3" OLED screen from up to 5.6 miles away. While flying and tracking, 12-sensor omnidirectional obstacle avoidance is coupled with a dual-core processor and AI machine learning to let the EVO II navigate itself around the environment safely, while still getting the shot.
Lifespan: Approximately 10 years.
Purposes/Authorized Uses: Unmanned Aerial Systems may be used in any way that supports the mission of the Sierra Madre Police Department to protect lives and property when not otherwise prohibited by policy or statute. This may include, but is not limited to, search and rescue operations, documentation of crimes or accident scenes, documentation of wildlife emergencies or natural disasters, monitoring hazards, suspect apprehension, scene security, crisis communications, emergency calls for service, tactical operations, legally authorized surveillance, or other uses.
Fiscal Impact: The initial cost outlay to purchase the Autel EVO II UAS system was zero as it is currently personally owned by its operator. The cost of training all of our licensed operators totaled \$1,640.00. The total cost for this item was \$1,640.00. The Sierra Madre Police Department would like to purchase a two Autel EVO II UAS system bundle that would include one thermal camera on a UAS. This bundle was quoted at \$15,000.
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: Use of the UAS/Drone follows all rules and regulation put in place for such by the Federal Aviation Administration, state and federal surveillance laws, and Sierra Madre Police Department Policy and Standard operating procedures. Absent exigent circumstances or warrants issued, no UAS/Drone use will infringe upon privacy rights or security rights of any person or entity.
Training Required: All UAS/Drone operators shall complete training and certification to receive an FAA Remote Pilot License as well as any training as required by the Sierra Madre Police Department in the care, use, or management of the UAS/Drone.
Other Notes: None.

Equipment Type: Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS)/Drones
Equipment Name: DJI Mavic Mini Drone
Quantity Owned: Two (2) Quantity Sought: Zero
Manufacturer Product Description: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ultralight & Foldable • 31-Min Max Flight Time • 10km Video Transmission • Level 5 Wind Resistance • Ultra-Clear 4K Video • Intelligent Modes & QuickShots
Lifespan: Approximately 5-10 years.
Purposes/Authorized Uses: Unmanned Aerial Systems may be used in any way that supports the mission of the Sierra Madre Police Department to protect lives and property when not otherwise prohibited by policy or statute. This may include, but is not limited to, search and rescue operations, documentation of crimes or accident scenes, documentation of wildlife emergencies or natural disasters, monitoring hazards, suspect apprehension, scene security, crisis communications, emergency calls for service, tactical operations, legally authorized surveillance, or other uses.” The Sierra Madre Police Department would utilize the DJI Mavic Mini drone for interior operations to enhance Public and Officer safety.
Fiscal Impact: The initial cost outlay to purchase the DJI Mavic Mini is zero, as its operator personally owns it.
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: Use of the UAS/Drone follows all rules and regulation put in place for such by the Federal Aviation Administration, state and federal surveillance laws, and Sierra Madre Police Department Policy and Standard operating procedures. Absent exigent circumstances or warrants issued, no UAS/Drone use will infringe upon privacy rights or security rights of any person or entity.
Training Required: All UAS/Drone operators shall complete training and certification to receive an FAA Remote Pilot License as well as any training as required by the Sierra Madre Police Department in the care, use, or management of the UAS/Drone.
Other Notes: None.

Equipment Type: Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS)/Drones
Equipment Name: Autel EVO II Nano+ Drone
Quantity Owned: One (1) Quantity Sought: Two (2)
Manufacturer Product Description: <p>“The EVO II Nano+ drone has a 1/1.28-inch CMOS sensor for 50MP photos. The Nano+ offers superior noise reduction capabilities and the power to effortlessly produce quality images in low-light conditions thanks to its RYYB color filter array design with a large fixed aperture of f/1.9. Track fast-moving subjects with incredible precision through a PDAF + CDAF autofocus system. Squeeze rich detail from shadows and highlights no matter how extreme the lighting conditions using HDR mode, which rapidly snaps several photos at different exposures so they can be stitched together in post-production.”</p> <p>30 Minute flight time, 7.5 miles cruise range, level 5 class wind resistance.</p>
Lifespan: Approximately 10 years.
Purposes/Authorized Uses: <p>Unmanned Aerial Systems may be used in any way that supports the mission of the Sierra Madre Police Department to protect lives and property when not otherwise prohibited by policy or statute. This may include, but is not limited to, search and rescue operations, documentation of crimes or accident scenes, documentation of wildlife emergencies or natural disasters, monitoring hazards, suspect apprehension, scene security, crisis communications, emergency calls for service, tactical operations, legally authorized surveillance, or other uses.</p> <p>The Sierra Madre Police Department would utilize the Nano+ drone more for interior operations to enhance Public and Officer safety. While it is not the optimal choice for interior operations, It offers a significantly less fiscal impact than the Loki Mk2.</p>
Fiscal Impact: <p>The initial cost outlay to purchase the Autel EVO II Nano+ UAS system and its associated peripheral products (charging cables, batteries, controllers, etc.) was \$1,020.00. The total fiscal impact would be approximately \$2,040.00</p>
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: <p>Use of the UAS/Drone follows all rules and regulation put in place for such by the Federal Aviation Administration, state and federal surveillance laws, and Sierra Madre Police Department Policy. Absent exigent circumstances or warrants issued, no UAS/Drone use will infringe upon privacy rights or security rights of any person or entity.</p>
Training Required: <p>All UAS/Drone operators shall complete training and certification to receive an FAA Remote Pilot License as well as any training as required by the Sierra Madre Police Department in the care, use, or management of the UAS/Drone.</p>
Other Notes: <p>None.</p>

Equipment Type: Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS)/Drones
Equipment Name: Autel EVO II Pro 6K
Quantity Owned: One (1) Quantity Sought: Two (2)
Manufacturer Product Description: “The EVO II Pro 6K drone provides hi-end specifications and abilities well beyond videography and photography. The 7100mAh battery lets it fly for up to 40 minutes at a time, the motors can fly in Ludicrous Speed mode at up to 44.8 mph, and you can transmit HD footage back to the controller's 3.3" OLED screen from up to 5.6 miles away. While flying and tracking, 12-sensor omnidirectional obstacle avoidance is coupled with a dual-core processor and AI machine learning to let the EVO II Pro 6K navigate itself around the environment safely, while still getting the shot.”
Lifespan: Approximately 10 years.
Purposes/Authorized Uses: Unmanned Aerial Systems may be used in any way that supports the mission of the Sierra Madre Police Department to protect lives and property when not otherwise prohibited by policy or statute. This may include, but is not limited to, search and rescue operations, documentation of crimes or accident scenes, documentation of wildlife emergencies or natural disasters, monitoring hazards, suspect apprehension, scene security, crisis communications, emergency calls for service, tactical operations, legally authorized surveillance, or other uses.
Fiscal Impact: The initial cost outlay to purchase the Autel EVO II Pro 6K system and its associated peripheral products (charging cables, batteries, controllers, etc.) was \$1,595.00. The total fiscal impact for the bundle was \$2,424.38
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: Use of the UAS/Drone follows all rules and regulation put in place for such by the Federal Aviation Administration, state and federal surveillance laws, and Sierra Madre Police Department Policy and Standard operating procedures. Absent exigent circumstances or warrants issued, no UAS/Drone use will infringe upon privacy rights or security rights of any person or entity.
Training Required: All UAS/Drone operators shall complete training and certification to receive an FAA Remote Pilot License as well as any training as required by the Sierra Madre Police Department in the care, use, or management of the UAS/Drone.
Other Notes: None.

Section Twelve

Equipment Type: Pava Projectile Launcher and Munitions
Equipment Name: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. PepperBall Full Tactical Carbine (FTC) Launcher2. PepperBall Live Pava (OC) Powder Projectiles
Quantity Owned: 1 (one) Quantity Sought: 2 (two)
Manufacturer Product Description: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. PepperBall Full Tactical Carbine (FTC) Launcher: The PepperBall FTC launcher with it's simple to operate controls functions in semiautomatic mode only and is supplied with an adapter so it can be deployed in a bottle forward or bottle rearward configuration. The hopper can hold up to 180 round pepper ball projectiles. The PepperBall FTC can utilize an electronic or gravity feed hopper and exhibits a profile that is distinct to officers and the public. The FTC utilizes a 0.68 caliber projectile with a maximum distance of 150 feet. The FTC has a height of 13in/33cm and length of 8.5in/21.6cm (without tank) with an overall weight of 2.95lbs.2. PepperBall Live Pava (OC) Powder Projectiles: The classic .68 caliber PepperBall projectile. Contains 2% PAVA, and is excellent for direct impact and area saturation, especially in confined, interior spaces. Ultrasonically welded, 100% waterproof and non-flammable.
Lifespan: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. PepperBall Full Tactical Carbine (FTC) Launcher: Ten (10) years2. PepperBall Live Pava (OC) Powder Projectiles: Three (3) years
Purposes/Authorized Uses: <p>The PepperBall Live Pava (OC) Powder Projectiles may be deployed under circumstances in which less intrusive methods have been unsuccessful or are not feasible.</p> <p>Circumstances appropriate for deployment include, but are not limited to, situations in which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The suspect is armed with a weapon and the tactical circumstances allow for the safe application of approved munitions.• The suspect has made credible threats to harm him/herself or others.• The suspect is engaged in riotous behavior or is throwing rocks, bottles or other dangerous projectiles at people and / or officers. <p>There is probable cause to believe that the suspect has already committed a crime of violence and is refusing to comply with lawful orders.</p>
Fiscal Impact: <p>The cost of purchase for the PepperBall Full Tactical Carbine (FTC) Launcher in fiscal year 2020-2021 was \$591.00. The cost of purchase for the PepperBall Live Pava (OC) Powder Projectiles in fiscal year 2020-2021 was \$967.00.</p>
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: <p>All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations governing the use of firearms, and any such agency policies. All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations regarding use and deployment of crowd control devices, and any such agency policies.</p>
Training Required: <p>All persons qualified to use and assigned to the PepperBall Full Tactical Carbine munitions launchers undergo training under certified Less-Than-Lethal Munitions instructor(s), to include at a minimum classroom instruction, policy review, nomenclature, safe handling, appropriate targeting considerations, verbal commands and de-escalation, safe deployment, scenario based training, and deployment after-action activities.</p>
Other Notes: <p>None.</p>

Section Fourteen

Equipment Type: 40mm Projectile Launch Platform and Munitions
Equipment Name: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Defense Technology Tactical LMT 40mm Launcher Model 14252. Defense Technology 40mm eXact iMpack Sponge Round Model 6325
Quantity Owned: One (1) Quantity Sought: Five (5)
Manufacturer Product Description: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Defense Technology Tactical LMT 40mm is a single shot launcher that features and expandable Rogers Super Stocck and adjustable Integrated Front Grip (IFG) with light rail, Ambidextrous Lateral Sling Mount (LSM) and QD mounting systems. The Defense Technology Tactical LMT 40mm will fire a standard 40mm less lethal ammunition, up to 4.8 inches in cartridge length. The Picatinny Rail Mounting System will accept a wide array of enhanced optics/sighting systems2. Defense Technology 40mm eXact iMpack Sponge Round is a point-of-aim, point-of-impact direct-fire round. This lightweight, high-speed projectile consisting of a plastic body and sponge nose that is spin stabilized via the incorporated rifling collar and the 40 mm launcher's rifled barrel. The round utilizes smokeless powder as the propellant, and, therefore, have velocities that are extremely consistent. Used for Crowd Control, Patrol, and Tactical Applications."
Lifespan: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Defense Technology Tactical 40mm Single Shot Launcher – Twenty (20) years2. Defense Technology 40mm eXact iMpack Sponge Round – Five (5) years
Purposes/Authorized Uses: <p>Defense Technology 40mm eXact iMpack Sponge Rounds may be deployed under circumstances in which less intrusive methods have been unsuccessful or are not feasible.</p> <p>Circumstances appropriate for deployment include, but are not limited to, situations in which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The suspect is armed with a weapon and the tactical circumstances allow for the safe application of approved munitions.• The suspect has made credible threats to harm him/herself or others.• The suspect is engaged in riotous behavior or is throwing rocks, bottles or other dangerous projectiles at people and / or officers.• There is probable cause to believe that the suspect has already committed a crime of violence and is refusing to comply with lawful orders.
Fiscal Impact: <p>The cost of purchase for the Defense Technology Tactical 40mm Single Shot Launcher in fiscal year 2020-2021 was \$985.70 The cost of purchase for Defense Technology 40mm Technology 40mm eXact iMpack Sponge Rounds in fiscal year 2020-2021 was \$573.00.</p>
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: <p>All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations governing the use of firearms, and any such agency policies. All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations regarding use and deployment of crowd control devices, and any such agency policies.</p>
Training Required: <p>All persons qualified to use and assigned to carry the Defense Technology 40mm munitions launchers undergo training under certified Less-Than-Lethal Munitions instructor(s), to include at a minimum classroom instruction, policy review, nomenclature, safe handling, appropriate targeting considerations, verbal commands and de-escalation, safe deployment, scenario based training, and deployment after-action activities.</p>
Other Notes: <p>None.</p>

Equipment Type: Bean Bag Shotguns and Munitions
Equipment Name: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Remington 870 Shotgun 2. Defense Technologies Drag Stabilized 12-Gauge Beanbag Round
Quantity Owned: Six (6) Quantity Sought: Zero (0)
Manufacturer Product Description: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Remington 870 Shotgun: The Remington 870 pump-action shotgun is a 4+1 capacity rugged 12-gauge with a short, tactical 18" barrel. The all-matte black gun is Parkerized for generalized durability and rust-resistance. The barrel has a front bead sight and fronted by an improved cylinder (IC) choke. Both the pump action forend and stock are robust and tough synthetic orange in color. Overall length is 38.5", and weight is 7.5 pounds. Thus, the pump-action is ribbed, and the gracefully curved grip is diamond-checked. You also get front and rear swivel studs. Other versions of this gun are largely the same as above but with a blued finish for the large metal components and an American walnut for the pump and stock." 2. Defense Technologies Drag Stabilized 12-Gauge Beanbag Round: "The Drag Stabilized™ 12-Gauge Round is a translucent 12-Gauge shell loaded with a 40-Gram tear shaped bag made from a cotton and ballistic material blend and filled with #9 shot. This design utilizes four stabilizing tails and utilizes smokeless powder as the propellant. The 12-Gauge Drag Stabilized Round has secured its place as the Law Enforcement Communities' number one choice for specialty impact munitions. This round has a velocity of 270 fps with a maximum effective range of 75 feet."
Lifespan: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Remington 870 Shotgun: Twenty (20) years 2. Defense Technologies Drag Stabilized 12-Gauge Beanbag Round: Five (5) years.
Purposes/Authorized Uses: Defense Technologies Drag Stabilized 12-Gauge Beanbag Rounds may be deployed under circumstances in which less intrusive methods have been unsuccessful or are not feasible. Circumstances appropriate for deployment include, but are not limited to, situations in which: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The suspect is armed with a weapon and the tactical circumstances allow for the safe application of approved munitions. • The suspect has made credible threats to harm him/herself or others. • The suspect is engaged in riotous behavior or is throwing rocks, bottles or other dangerous projectiles at people and / or officers. • There is probable cause to believe that the suspect has already committed a crime of violence and is refusing to comply with lawful orders.
Fiscal Impact: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The cost of purchase for the Remington 870 Beanbag Shotguns in **** was ****. 2. The cost of Defense Technologies Drag Stabilized 12-Gauge Beanbag Rounds for training and operations in Fiscal Year 2020-2021 was \$ 3,530.
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations governing the use of firearms, and any such agency policies. All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations regarding use and deployment of crowd control devices, and any such agency policies.
Training Required: All persons qualified to use and assigned to carry the Remington 870 Shotgun undergo regular departmental firearms training and qualifications as specified by law, POST regulations, and department policy. All persons qualified to use the Remington 870 Shotgun to deploy Defense Technologies Drag Stabilized 12-Gauge Beanbag Rounds undergo training under the supervision of a certified departmental Less-Than-Lethal Munitions instructor(s), to include at a minimum classroom instruction, policy review, nomenclature, safe handling, appropriate targeting considerations, verbal commands and de-escalation, safe deployment, scenario based training, and deployment after-action activities.
Other Notes: None.

Equipment Type: 40mm Projectile Launch Platform and Munitions
Equipment Name: Defense Technology Tactical 4 shot Launcher, Model 1440
Quantity Owned: Zero (0) Quantity Sought: Two (2)
Manufacturer Product Description: <p>Defense Technology Tactical 40mm four-shot launcher is a multi-shot launcher with a dricet-drive system to advance the magazine cylinder, single/double action trigger, an ambidextrous breech release, and a smoother operation of the pump action.</p> <p>The launcher features an expandable Rogers Super Stocc gun stock and an adjustable Integrated Front Grip (IFG) with light rail, Ambidextrous Lateral Sling Mount (LSM), and QD mounting systems. The launcher will fire a standard 40mm less-lethal ammunition, up to 4.8 inches in cartridge length. The Picatinny Rail Mounting System will accept a wide array of enhanced optics/sighting systems.</p>
Lifespan: Defense Technology Tactical 4 shot Launcher – Twenty (20) years
Purposes/Authorized Uses: <p>Defense Technology 40mm Tactical 4-shot Launcher may be deployed under circumstances in which less intrusive methods have been unsuccessful or are not feasible.</p> <p>Circumstances appropriate for deployment include, but are not limited to, situations in which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The suspect is armed with a weapon and the tactical circumstances allow for the safe application of approved munitions. • The suspect has made credible threats to harm him/herself or others. • The suspect is engaged in riotous behavior or is throwing rocks, bottles or other dangerous projectiles at people and / or officers. • There is probable cause to believe that the suspect has already committed a crime of violence and is refusing to comply with lawful orders.
Fiscal Impact: The cost of purchase for the Defense Technology Tactical 4 shot Launcher Model 1440 is \$1841.05
Legal/Procedural Rules Governing Use: All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations governing the use of firearms, and any such agency policies. All applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and regulations regarding use and deployment of crowd control devices, and any such agency policies.
Training Required: All persons qualified to use and assigned to carry the Defense Technology 40mm munitions launchers undergo training under certified Less-Than-Lethal Munitions instructor(s), to include at a minimum classroom instruction, policy review, nomenclature, safe handling, appropriate targeting considerations, verbal commands and de-escalation, safe deployment, scenario based training, and deployment after-action activities.
Other Notes: None.