

**CITY OF GAUTIER
MEMORANDUM**

To: Samantha Abell, City Manager
From: Dante Elbin, Chief of Police *Just 01*
Date: November 12, 2013
Subject: Keesler Federal Credit Union Donation Request for Police Department Equipment

REQUEST:

The Gautier Police Department requests City Council approval to submit a donation request to Keesler Federal Credit Union for department equipment needs.

BACKGROUND:

Keesler Federal Credit Union supports the local community through donations and sponsorships. The Police Department has identified several areas of need including radios, body armor, SWAT Team equipment, dive team equipment, and a replacement police service dog.

DISCUSSION:

The Police Department has calculated the cost for all of the above items is approximately \$290,000.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Police Department recommends that City Council approve submission of a donation request in the amount of \$290,000 to Keesler Federal Credit Union.

The City Council may:

1. Approve the above donation request as presented;
2. Approve the above donation request with changes; or
3. Disapprove the donation request as presented.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Keesler Federal Credit Union Donation & Sponsorship Request Form

Donation & Sponsorship Request Form

(Form must be complete for consideration. Attach additional information to this form)

Today's Date: November 01, 2013 Date funds are needed: ASAP
(Request must be submitted at least **3 weeks** before donation funds are needed)

Organization requesting financial support: Gautier Police Department

Contact name: Captain Danny Selover

Contact phone number: 228-497-2486

Email: dselover@gautier-ms.gov Organization Website: www.gautier-ms.gov

Mailing address: 3329 Highway 90 Gautier Mississippi, 39553

Check payable to: Chief Dante Elbin

Check Mailing Address: Gautier Police Department, 3329 Highway 90 Gautier Mississippi, 39553

Is the requesting individual a member of Keesler Federal Credit Union? Yes No

Is your organization non-profit? Yes No

What is the purpose of your organization?
Public Safety

Type of assistance: If monetary, enter the amount requested \$290,000.00
If requesting other assistance or products,
please specify _____

If you are requesting funds for an event, what is the name of the event? Where and when will this take place? Who will attend this event and how many will be there?
No event

How will the funds be used?

Purchase equipment for police department radios, body armor, equipment for SWAT team, emergency services Dive Team and K-9 Unit.

How will Keesler Federal Credit Union be acknowledged as a contributor/sponsor? (Advertising, promotional opportunities, booth space, etc.)

The Chief of Police will personally make a press release to local newspapers.

Send completed form to: KFCU Marketing Dept, Attn: Donations and Sponsorships. 13083 A Seaway Road, Gulfport, MS 39503. Fax: 228-385-4373 or e-mail jessica.broome@kfcu.org
For questions concerning your request, please call 228-385-5500, ext. 6360.

For Keesler Federal Credit Union office use only

Approved _____ Denied _____

Date received/Initials: _____ Date approved/denied _____

Date contacted: _____ Contacted by phone or email

Item/Amount Donated: _____

Pick-up/Mail Date: _____

Reason for approval/denial _____

