

WALK ON #3

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Lee County Board Of County Commissioners

Blue Sheet No. 20051792

Agenda Item Summary

1. ACTION REQUESTED/PURPOSE: Board approval for the Lee County Sheriff's Office (LCSO) to accept the FY 2005 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) award, as well as approve LCSO recommendations on how the funds should be allocated.

2. WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES: Approval will allow the Lee County Sheriff's Office to accept the awarded funds to obtain reimbursement expenditures associated with housing illegal aliens in our detention facilities. Approval of recommended allocations will allow the LCSO to purchase requested equipment and pay consulting fees.

3. MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION: Approval 4

4. Departmental Category: WO #3 5. Meeting Date: 12-20-2005

6. Agenda: <input type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative <input type="checkbox"/> Appeals <input type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Walk-On	7. Requirement/Purpose: (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Statute <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance <input type="checkbox"/> Admin. Code <input type="checkbox"/> Other	8. Request Initiated: Commissioner
		Department Lee County Sheriff's
		Division Dept.
		By: Mike Scott
		Mike Scott, Sheriff

9. Background: The State Criminal Alien Assistance Program provides federal compensation to localities that have incurred correctional officer salary costs for incarcerating undocumented criminal aliens. The Lee County Sheriff's Office is requesting permission to accept SCAAP funds through the 2005 application.

Lee County has been awarded \$186,685 through SCAAP. The LCSO recommends allocating the funds as follows:

- Justice Benefits, Inc: Consulting firm receives 22% of awarded funds resulting in a payment due of \$41,070.70;
- Fire Suits for Detention: 8 members of the LCSO Corrections Emergency Response Team (CERT) have been trained to fight a fire in a correctional facility. Each CERT member must be suited to carryout this responsibility. \$55,000 will fully equip the 8 members who have received this training. The LCSO requests the use of SCAAP funds for the purchase of the fire equipment;
- Mobile Command Post: The LCSO request \$90,614.30 to be allocated toward the purchase of a Mobile Command Post.

No matching funds are required as SCAAP is a reimbursement application.

10. Review for Scheduling:

Department Director	Purchasing or Contracts	Human Resources	Other	County Attorney	Budget Services				County Manager/P.W. Director
					Analyst	Risk	Grants	Mgr.	
				OS 12/16/05	CP 12/16/05	1/11/05	CP 12/16	CP 12/16	12-16-05

11. Commission Action:

- Approved
- Deferred
- Denied
- Other

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**Mike Scott**  
**Office of the Sheriff**



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December 13, 2005

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LEE CO. ATTORNEY

Dear Mr. Desalvo:

Please, accept the Lee County Sheriff's Office State Criminal Alien Assistance Program award acceptance request as a walk on item for December 20, 2005 due to the requirement to accept the funds within 45 days of award notification.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Julie Rocco".

Julie Rocco  
Planning and Research Manager

