

pd 2019-
5-15-19

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-001

Request for: Weakland/Hewitt/Guerin/Sprankle/Roland

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

Via e-mail
Peter J. Weeks
Assistant District Attorney

Via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

Via e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

3-18-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$4,449.55

Line Item: Search Warrant

Date Requested: March 4, 2019

line.

Sprankle was operating the vehicle. Guerin was in the front passenger seat and attempted to provide a false name. Officers observed Guerin attempt to remove an item from her jacket and conceal it behind her. Guerin was removed from the vehicle and placed into custody. A search was conducted on the vehicle as Guerin had attempted to conceal narcotics. Sprankle and Guerin were both arrested for possession and paraphernalia. A male in the backseat was arrested for syringes as well. Both Guerin and Sprankle stated they were at Weaklands earlier this date and he was in possession of a large amount of meth. Both were unsure if he had a gun.

Officers then executed the search warrant on room 115 and seized a small amount of drugs and paraphernalia.

Contact was made with Roland in room 114 and he denied Hewitt was there. Roland was advised officers were going to get a search warrant for the room and he called for Hewitt to come out. Hewitt was arrested for the task force warrants and a BCSD warrant. Roland was arrested for hindering apprehension and a BCSD warrant. A search warrant was compiled for room 114 and paraphernalia was seized.

Allegheny Twp police then conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle operated by Lena Chura, where Weakland was a passenger in the vehicle. Weakland was arrested for possession of meth, heroin and Xanax as a result of the stop. Weakland also had a BCSD warrant and was transported to APD.

Officers learned Chura had rented a room, 243 at Motel 6 with Weakland and they were there prior to the traffic stop. Contact was made at the room with a female, Bri Allen, and items were observed in plain view to obtain a search warrant for the room.

The search warrant was executed and a small amount of drugs were located. Allen was also arrested for false id and a warrant from Cambria County.

Officers then obtained a search warrant for Weaklands residence. White powder was observed on the kitchen/dining room table and a K-9 alerted on a safe in the residence. The safe was empty and it appeared Weakland had removed the drugs when he left the residence that night.

Officers then returned to APD and packaged evidence and transported prisoners to BCP.

Officers had also gone to Sprankle's residence for a welfare check on her teenage children. CYS was called and the kids were released to their father. The gun Kunkle referred to that Sprankle had was determined to be a pellet gun.

Charges for this incident will be filed both by APD, Logan Twp PD and Allegheny Twp PD.

The items seized are as follows:

Room 114: Liquid Xanax and paraphernalia seized. Hewitt and Rolan to be charged

Room 115: Small amounts of marijuana, heroin and meth seized. Guerin to be charged.

Room 243: (5) grams of meth, (2) loaded syringes, prescription pills and paraphernalia seized. Weakland, Chura and Allen to be charged.

Chura/Weakland Traffic stop: (3.5) grams meth, (4) heroin packets and liquid Xanax seized. Weakland to be charged by Allegheny Twp PD.

Weakland Residence: No items seized/drugs appeared to have been moved.

Budget Projection

Drug Purchases \$0

Informant Payments \$0

Overtime (local officers) \$3,556.27 (APD) \$893.28 (LTPD)

Administrative Expenses (provide details) \$0

PROJECTED TOTAL \$4,449.55

Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed

Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser

pd. 5-15-19

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-002

Request for: Williams/Graham

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

Via e-mail
Peter J. Weeks
Assistant District Attorney

Via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

Via e-mail
Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

4-17-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$857.89

Line Item: Search Warrant

Date Requested: April 15, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 4-15-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Jared Williams/Shianne Graham			
Location(s) of Activity: 1821 14 th Ave #2			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 4-12-19 APD Officers were dispatched to 1821 14th Ave #2 for a report of a domestic disturbance. Jared Williams fled the residence prior to officer arrival. Williams currently has pending warrants through PSP for PWID charges. Officers made contact with Shianne Graham. Upon clearing the residence officers observed marijuana and a large amount of paraphernalia, to include packaging material in plain view.</p> <p>ADA Weeks was contacted and additional manpower was called in. A Search Warrant was compiled and executed on the residence. Officers seized approximately ¼ pound of marijuana, THC Wax, Xanax and paraphernalia.</p> <p>Graham was taken to Central Booking for processing and arraignment. A warrant will be obtained for Williams. Two additional suspects will be arrested via summons for misdemeanor drug violations.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$857.89	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$857.89	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-003

Request for: Numerous

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

via e-mail
Peter J. Weeks
Assistant District Attorney

via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

4-22-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$5,000.00

Line Item: OCDEF

Date Requested: April 22, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 4-19-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Numerous			
Location(s) of Activity: Various Locations in Altoona			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: The Altoona Police Department and Pa Office of Attorney General have an active investigation into large scale methamphetamine and heroin distribution occurring in Blair County by several individuals who have been identified and numerous unknown co-conspirators. Officers have been making half and full ounce purchases of meth from several of the targets.</p> <p>The Altoona Police Department has developed a CI that is able to purchase meth from one of the upper level distributors within this organization. The Altoona Police Department in requesting \$5,000.00 in OOT Funds to conduct surveillance and also pay officer overtime during purchases from this subject. Buy Money for purchases from this subject will be provided by the Altoona Police Department.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$5,000.00	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$5000.00	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Until Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-004

Request for: Numerous

Request made by: Chief Romeo

Support Not Support

Peter J. Weeks
Assistant District Attorney

✓

via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

✓

via e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

✓

Requestor
Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

4-22-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$5,000.00

Line Item: OCDEF

Date Requested: April 22, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request: 03/26/2019	Requesting Agency/Dept: Tyrone Borough	Requestor Name/Title: Chief John R. Romco	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Individuals Dealing Drugs which lead o Crimes within the Borough, and also funding for Community Policing.			
Location(s) of Activity: Tyrone Borough			
Agency(ies) Involved: Tyrone Borough Police Department			
<p>This Department would like to request funding from Operation Our Town for Community Policing, and for Targeting individuals who are dealing Drugs in the Borough, which leads to rise in Thefts, vandalism and assaults with Tyrone Borough. Police Officers will take a proactive approach to Policing, interacting with residents, businesses owners, and individuals who travel through the Borough, identifying problem areas, and then directing resources to eliminate the identified problems.</p> <p>We have identified at least four different locations we would like to conduct surveillance on in order to further clarify who the individuals are that are involved in the illegal trafficking. 400 W. 16th Street, 323 Village Drive, 304 W. 10th Street and 1358 Pennsylvania Ave. that have recently been identified as high traffic areas for drug activity. Our end state goal is to reduce the amount of drug traffic in the borough of Tyrone and to restore relations and trust with the residents. With additional funding we will be able to conduct surveillance operations and add additional shifts for enforcement. In addition to an increased police presence we will be augmenting our efforts with the use of our new K-9 officer starting in April of 2019. With the addition of this new and powerful resource we will be taking a giant step forward to make our community safer and would use the additional funding to augment these efforts.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$ 1500	
Informant Payments		\$ 500	
Overtime (local officers)		\$ 3,000	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$ 5,000	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: not less than 6 months		Lead Agent Assigned:	

SENT TO Joke WALKER
3/27/19

pd. 5-15-19

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-005

Request for: Calderon/Archie

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

via e-mail
Peter J. Weeks
Assistant District Attorney

via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

via e-mail
Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail
Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

4-30-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$2,586.99

Line Item: SW

Date Requested: April 29, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 4-29-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Enma Calderon/Jalen Archie			
Location(s) of Activity: 400 Grandview Ave/2710 Oak St			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department/Logan Twp PD			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 4-24-19 officers from Logan Twp PD and Altoona PD conducted a briefing to execute a search warrant at the residence of Enma Calderon, 400 Grandview Ave Apt T-8. Officers conducted a controlled purchase of marijuana the previous day from Calderon and Logan Twp PD compiled a search warrant from that information. Officers executed the warrant and arrested Calderon. Officers seized approximately 1/2 oz of marijuana and \$2000.00 in currency from the residence.</p> <p>Calderon agreed to purchase marijuana from one of her suppliers, who she knew as JD, and later identified as Jalen Archie. Officers purchased (2) oz of marijuana from Archie and then arrested him at his residence, 2710 Oak ST, which is directly behind the PSU Altoona PD. Members of the PSU Altoona PD stated the dealing was occurring from the residence all semester long. Archie attempted to discard marijuana and paraphernalia out his window when officers approached. A search warrant was obtained and officers seized approximately 1 oz of marijuana and \$760.00 in currency.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$2,224.91 APD/ \$362.08 LTPD	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$2,586,99	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-009

Request for: Numerous

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

Peter J. Weeks
Assistant District Attorney

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

6-6-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$1,715.54

Line Item: OCDEF

Date Requested: June 6, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 6-6-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Numerous			
Location(s) of Activity: Various			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department/Logan Twp PD			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 6-5-19 members of APD, LTPD and PA OAG met at the Altoona Police Department and conducted a briefing to serve arrest warrants on (9) suspects for drug violations. Officers were able to locate and arrest (7) of (9) targets who were then transported to Blair County Prison for processing and arraignment by MDJ Ben Jones. The following suspects were arrested: Robert Longnecker (suboxone), Brandon Ford (meth), Emory Grace (suboxone), Daniel Mattem (suboxone), Robert Smith (morphine/prescription pills), Guy Eilenberger (suboxone), Edward Clemens (suboxone). Warrants remain for Neil Myers (suboxone) and Daniel Eichenlaub (meth).</p> <p>Additionally, (7) suspects who are incarcerated had charges filed on them and will arraigned at a later time. Those suspects include: Kenneth Harrell (heroin), Melvin Dick (meth), Dustin Edwards (meth), Charles Hann (meth), Teresa Keller (meth), Jamie Lansberry (meth), Brandi Petrauskas (meth).</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$1,309.53 APD/ \$406.01 LTPD	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$1,715.54	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-010

Request for: Loretta Shepard
Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

via e-mail
Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail
Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

7-25-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$249.86

Line Item: OCDEF

Date Requested: July 25, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 7-25-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Loretta Shepard			
Location(s) of Activity: 2106 Washington Ave			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 7-24-19 APD Detectives obtained an arrest warrant for a Loretta Shepard for armed robbery. Shepard is currently on bail for drug delivery charges and is still associated with high level drug dealers. Officers conducted surveillance at Shepard's residence, 2106 Washington Ave, to arrest her on the robbery warrant and with the intent to attempt to obtain probable cause for a search warrant on the residence.</p> <p>After conducting surveillance, Shepard arrived home to the residence. Shepard was taken into custody without incident. Officers were unable to develop probable cause and she was transported to APD. Shepard was interviewed by APD Detectives in regards to the robbery and later transported to BCP.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$249.86	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
	PROJECTED TOTAL	\$249.86	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-011

Request for: Woomer/Conrad

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

✓ _____

Via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

✓ _____

Via e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

8-12-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$1,897.39

Line Item: Buy/Bust

Date Requested: August 12, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 8-12-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Christopher Woomer/George Conrad			
Location(s) of Activity: 2103 W Chestnut Ave 3 rd Floor			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department/Logan Twp Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 8-7-19 members of APD, LTPD, PA OAG and PA State Parole met at APD and conducted a briefing to conduct a controlled purchase/buy bust and search warrant on Christopher Woomer.</p> <p>A CI arranged a purchase of ¼ oz of meth from Woomer. After Woomer delivered the meth to the CI he was taken into custody. A search warrant was then executed at the residence where Woomer had come from, 2103 W Chestnut Ave 3rd Floor. George Conrad was located in the residence when officers executed the search warrant. Officers located an additional ¼ oz of meth and (2) bundles of heroin in the residence. Woomer was transported to BCP and Conrad was eventually released with charges to be filed.</p> <p>There are also (4) additional drug sales to file on Woomer at a later time.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$1,035.96 (APD) \$861.43 (LTPD)	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$1,897.39 ✓	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-012

Request for: _____ Numerous _____

Request made by: _____ Sgt. Moser _____

Support Not Support

via e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

Via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Via e-mail

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

8-22-19
Date

Amount Requested: __\$7,500.00

Line Item: __OCDEF__

Date Requested: __August 22, 2019__

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 8-22-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Numerous			
Location(s) of Activity: Various Locations within Blair County			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department/PA OAG			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: In September of 2018 members of the Altoona Police Department began an investigation comprised of controlled purchases on various targets in the Altoona, Blair County area. The targets of the investigation were selling cocaine, methamphetamine, ecstasy and heroin.</p> <p>Through the controlled purchases, officers were able to develop informants who were able to purchase larger quantities of meth and heroin from upper level distributors in the area. Officers also made several seizures of drugs and monies through the investigation. Officers also began to conduct interviews on suspects, who provided details to the inner workings of the organization.</p> <p>Officers were able to identify (2) upper level distributors in the Altoona area, as well as their out of town source. It is anticipated that this investigation will be culminated with non-consensual interceptions.</p> <p>The Altoona Police Department is requesting \$7,500.00 in OOT funds to assist in covering overtime costs for surveillance and future controlled purchases. These funds will supplement an OCDETF request that will be submitted by the PA OAG.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$7,500.00	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$7,500.00	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-013

Request for: Numerous_(Rental Cars)

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

via e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

via e-mail

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

8-30-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$2,164.11

Line Item: OCDEF

Date Requested: August 27, 2019

\$1,050.00 pd directly from OOT
~~add~~ put in budget

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-014

Request for: _____ Numerous _____

Request made by: _____ Sgt. Moser _____

Support Not Support

via e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

8-28-19
Date

Amount Requested: __\$4,193.01

Line Item: __OCDEF__

Date Requested: __August 29, 2019__

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 8-28-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Numerous (see below)			
Location(s) of Activity: Various Locations within Altoona			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 8-28-19 officers of the Altoona Police Department conducted an interdiction detail on the 500 blk of 10th St, specifically watching the residence of Robert Patterson, who resided at 510 10th St. Officers received information that Patterson was involved in a drug delivery resulting in death during the weekend. Surveillance officers viewed Patterson's wife leave the residence and drive approximately a half block where she stopped and picked up Patterson and another male. Officers were able to gain probable cause for a traffic stop on the vehicle. As a result of the traffic stop Patterson was arrested and officers seized approximately (5) bricks of heroin, (5) grams of bulk heroin and a ½ oz of methamphetamine. Patterson was transported to APD where he immediately agreed to cooperate.</p> <p>Officers then conducted buy busts on Patterson's sources. Officers first arrested Jamie Lansberry on the 400 blk of N 2nd St after she delivered meth to Patterson. Lansberry was currently on bail for previous drug deliveries. Lansberry was arrested and later transported to BCP. Bail revocation will be filed by the Blair County DA's Office.</p> <p>Officers next arrested Timothy Thomas after delivering a bundle of heroin to the CI at Dollar General 1230 14th Ave. Thomas was arrest and later transported to BCP.</p> <p>Officers next arrested Michael Fletcher after delivering heroin to the CI. Fletcher fled on foot and was apprehended after a brief pursuit through several yards. Fletcher also had an outstanding warrant from APD for Aggravated Assault. Fletcher was later transported to BCP.</p> <p>Officers next arrested Michael Burchfield and Summer Heil at the Super 8 motel after the CI purchased an 8-ball of meth. Officers obtained a search warrant for Burchfield and Heil's motel room after their arrest. Officers seized (5) firearms from the room, including (1) which was reported stolen. Officers also seized approximately (1 ½) bricks of heroin and a half oz of meth from the room. During an interview Burchfield admitted he would trade drugs to obtain the guns. Burchfield and Heil was later transported to BCP.</p> <p>The investigation is currently ongoing with the CI and it is anticipated he will be able to provide officers with more information to arrest other drug dealers.</p>			

Budget Projection

Drug Purchases \$0

Informant Payments \$0

Overtime (local officers) \$4,193.01

Administrative Expenses (provide details) \$0

PROJECTED TOTAL \$4,193.01

Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed

Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-015

Request for: _____ Numerous _____

Request made by: _____ Sgt. Moser _____

Support

Not Support

e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

e-mail

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

9-4-19
Date

Amount Requested: __\$2,050.63

Line Item: __OCDEF__

Date Requested: __September 2, 2019__

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 9-2-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Numerous (see below)			
Location(s) of Activity: Various Locations within Altoona			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 8-29-19 officers of the Altoona Police Department conducted a series of buy busts in the City of Altoona utilizing a CI.</p> <p>Officers conducted a controlled purchase of cocaine and Adderall from Joshua Brehm at 29th St and 6th Ave alley. After Brehm met with the CI and delivered the cocaine and Adderall he was arrested in the 2800 blk of 6th Ave alley. Brehm was eventually transported to Blair County Central Booking.</p> <p>Officers then conducted a controlled purchase of heroin from Michael Bryant at his residence in Fairview Hills. The CI arranged to make a payment of \$1900.00 to Bryant for heroin that was fronted to him previously (5 bricks on 8-25-19). The CI met with Bryant and gave him the \$1900.00. Bryant then fronted the CI an additional (4) bricks of heroin to which he now owed Bryant additional money. Officers arrested Bryant after the delivery and recovered the \$1900.00. Bryant immediately agreed to cooperate and stated he was a middle man for the heroin and the source was a black male from Mt Union named "T". Officers confirmed this information with the CI and also through phone/bxt communication Bryant had with "T". Bryant was later released from APD and later would agree to conduct a buy bust on "T" on 9-2-19.</p> <p>Officers then conducted a controlled purchase of (5) packets of heroin from Michael Reilly. Reilly was driven to the drug deal by Brandon Moore. Officers learned that Moore was Reilly's source for the heroin and a search of Moore's vehicle was conducted. Officers seized a shard of meth weighing approximately 1.5 ounces and a Lorcin handgun from the vehicle. Reilly provided a statement stating Moore had just obtained the handgun earlier this date from someone in Beech Ct. It is likely that the handgun will be reported stolen, but has not been at this time. Reilly was released from APD pending his cooperation and Moore was transported to Blair County Central Booking.</p> <p>Officers then conducted a controlled purchase of suboxone from Christina Davis. Davis was approached at her residence after the delivery and agreed to cooperate. Davis will be arrested at a later time.</p> <p>Officers then conducted a controlled purchase of suboxone from Nicholas Blackie on the 4000 blk of Maple Ave. Blackie was arrested after the delivery and transported to Blair County Central Booking.</p>			

Budget Projection

Drug Purchases	\$0
Informant Payments	\$0
Overtime (local officers)	\$2,050.63

Administrative Expenses (provide details)	\$0
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PROJECTED TOTAL	\$2,050.63 ✓
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Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed

Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-016

Request for: _____ Numerous _____
Request made by: _____ Sgt. Moser _____

Support Not Support

e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

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Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

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Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

9-4-19
Date

Amount Requested: __\$2,183.88

Line Item: __OCDEF__

Date Requested: __September 2, 2019__

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 9-2-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Numerous (see below)			
Location(s) of Activity: Various Locations within Altoona			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department/Logan Twp PD			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 8-30-19 members of the Altoona PD, Logan Twp PD, PA OAG and Blair County Adult Probation/Parole met at APD and conducted a briefing to conduct an organized raid. Officers had obtained felony warrants for (14) persons in Blair County accused of selling various controlled substances. The warrants and arraignments were handled by MDJ Deantonio.</p> <p>Officers were able to locate and arrest (12) of the (14) targets. Drugs purchased included suboxone, methamphetamine, methadone, heroin, and molly.</p> <p>A raid list is attached with the suspects.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$1,593.48 (APD) & \$590.39 (LTPD)	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$2,183.88	✓
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-017

Request for: Scott/Wilson

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

e-mail

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

9-4-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$1,192.29

Line Item: OCDEF

Date Requested: September 2, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS
To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 9-2-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:

Target/Subject of Investigation: Tasheem Scott and Floyd Wilson

Location(s) of Activity: Various 200 E Chestnut Ave

Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department

Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 8-31-19 officers attempted to utilize a CI to arrest Tasheem Scott from Mount Union for delivering heroin and other drugs to Blair County. Officers had arrested an individual on 8-27-19 which had (5) bricks of heroin in his possession which he had obtained from Scott. On 8-29-19 officers arrested another individual who delivered (4) bricks of heroin to a CI. Those (4) bricks of heroin also came from Scott. On 8-31-19 a CI was going to make a payment of \$2900.00 to Scott for the heroin that officers had seized and Scott was going to be arrested after the meeting. Scott told the CI he was having car problems and the detail was suspended until 9-1-19.

On 9-1-19 Scott made arrangements to meet the CI in Altoona. The CI met with Scott and another male, Floyd Wilson. The CI gave the \$2900.00 to Scott and returned to an undercover officer. Officers then attempted to conduct a vehicle stop to take Scott into custody. Wilson, who was driving the vehicle fled and a brief pursuit ensued. Wilson stopped his vehicle in the 100 blk of Walnut Ave alley and Scott fled on foot. Wilson was taken into custody at the vehicle and Scott was arrested after a brief foot chase. Scott had the \$2900.00 on his person. Officers located a digital scale in the trunk of the vehicle.

Scott and Wilson were transported to Blair County Central Booking.

Budget Projection

Drug Purchases	\$0
Informant Payments	\$0
Overtime (local officers)	\$1,192.29
Administrative Expenses (provide details)	\$0
PROJECTED TOTAL	\$1,192.29 ✓

Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-018

Request for: _____ Numerous _____

Request made by: _____ Chief Romeo _____

Support Not Support

per e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

per e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

per e-mail

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

per e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

10-9-19
Date

Amount Requested: ~~\$5,000.00~~ \$3,000.00

Line Item: ___OCDEF___

Date Requested: ___October 4, 2019___

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request: 10/04/2019	Requesting Agency/Dept: Tyrone Borough PD	Requestor Name/Title: Chief John R. Romeo	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Individuals Dealing Drugs which lead to Crimes within the Borough, and also funding for Community Policing.			
Location(s) of Activity: Tyrone Borough			
Agency(ies) Involved: Tyrone Borough Police Department			
<p>This Department would like to request funding from Operation Our Town for Community Policing, and for Targeting individuals who are dealing Drugs in the Borough, which leads to rise in Thefts, vandalism and assaults with Tyrone Borough. Police Officers will take a proactive approach to Policing, interacting with residents, businesses owners, and individuals who travel through the Borough, identifying problem areas, and then directing resources to eliminate the identified problems.</p> <p>During the last several months of surveillance and multiple buys on at least 7 different individuals our Department is looking for additional funds to continue our drug work. Our end state goal is to reduce the amount of drug traffic in the borough of Tyrone and to restore relations and trust with the residents. With additional funding we will be able to conduct drug buy operations and add additional shifts for enforcement. In addition to an increased police presence we will be augmenting our efforts with the use of our new K-9 officer starting in April of 2019. With the addition of this new and powerful resource we will be taking a giant step forward to make our community safer and would use the additional funding to augment these efforts. So far this year we have made 9 controlled buys. Since June we have incident numbers 2019-00470; 01641; 1690; 2015; 2824; 2926; 2913; 2969; 2985 that were all on our targets that were gained through surveillance of known drug houses in our community. Additional funding will allow us to grow our pool of CI's, make additional buys, and the continued surveillance that we need to reach our goal.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$ 1500	- Not OOT Funded
Informant Payments		\$ 500	- Not OOT Funded
Overtime (local officers)		\$ 3,000	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$ 5,000	\$ 3,000

**Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: not less than 6
months**

Lead Agent Assigned:

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-019

Request for: Walk/Wansley

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

per e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

per e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

per e-mail
Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

11-12-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$1,135.56

Line Item: S/W

Date Requested: November 8, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 11-8-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Brittany Walk and Joshua Wansley			
Location(s) of Activity: Various 211 N 5 th Ave			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 11-6-19 PA State Parole and Blair County Probation went to the residence of Joshua Wansley, 211 N 5th Ave to arrest Brittany Walk on a Blair County Probation warrant. Wansley was to be on State Parole and Walk was on county probation. Walk was located at the residence and arrested. State Parole Agents then conducted a searched the of the apartment and located (75) packets of heroin, ziplock baggies containing suspected bath salt and methamphetamine, a 9mm handgun with an obliterated, serial number and a large amount of paraphernalia. APD was called on scene to assist. Officers spoke with Walk and she stated Wansley had another gun, which she described as a 9mm carbine style rifle and she believed it was either in his vehicle or a neighboring apartment. Officers spoke with Wansley and he admitted he had another gun and stated it was in his neighbors 2nd floor apartment. Officers then compiled a search warrant for the 2nd floor apartment and recovered the gun as well as a small amount of meth and additional paraphernalia.</p> <p>Wansly and Walk were both transported to BCP. Both also have pending drug deliveries to be filed by the Blair County Drug Task Force.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$1,135.56	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$1,135.56	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-020

Request for: _____ Stahl _____

Request made by: _____ Patrolman Hollern _____

Support Not Support

via e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Per phone via DA Consiglio

Disapprove

11/14/19
Date

Amount Requested: __\$1,000.00

Line Item: __OCDEF__

Date Requested: __November 13, 2019__

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requester

Date of Request	Requesting Agency/Dept.	Requestor Name/Title	Request #
11/13/2019	Logan Township Police Dept.	Justin Hollern / Patrolman	
Target/Subject of Investigation: Bryant STAHL			
Location(s) of Activity: 205 Charlotte Drive, Altoona, PA 16601 (Champs Sports Bar)			
Agency(ies) Involved: LOGAN TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT			
Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative):			
<p>On 10/19/2019 the Logan Township Police Department received information in regards to illegal drug sales occurring out of Champs Sports Bar. The above-named person, Bryant STAHL, is to be conducting illegal transactions of cocaine and methamphetamine during work hours and on the property. STAHL is an employee at Champs. This information was received by the manager of the establishment. A follow up interview was conducted to confirm the alleged events. The manager is still in cooperation with LTPD Officers and is providing the work schedule and hours in which STAHL conducts these transactions.</p> <p>LTPD Officers are requesting Operation Our Town funds to cover over time to conduct surveillance of the suspect. LTPD would like to conduct three separate surveillance details, each of which will be four hours periods with two officers for each detail. The purpose for surveillance will be to identify the vehicle STAHL operates, where on the property the transactions are taking place, witness possible hand-to-hand transactions, and possibly perform interdiction stops. Officers will also be attempting to collect additional intelligence in regards to the investigation and identify whether or not co-conspirators are involved in the operation. This will help obtain further evidence to make additional actions for the investigation such as controlled buys, search warrants, etc.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0.00	
Informant Payments		\$0.00	
Overtime (local officers)		\$1,000.00	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0.00	
	PROJECTED TOTAL	\$1,000.00	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry:		Lead Agent Assigned:	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-021

Request for: _____ Keller/Patterson _____

Request made by: _____ Sgt. Moser _____

Support Not Support

via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

via e-mail
Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail
Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

11-21-19
Date

Amount Requested: __\$2,687.55

Line Item: __S/W__

Date Requested: __November 20, 2019__

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 11-20-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #: :
Target/Subject of Investigation: Nicole Keller and Robert Patterson			
Location(s) of Activity: Various 221 E Maple Ct and 510 10 th St			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 11-17-19 APD Patrol Officers responded to an overdose at 221 E Maple Ave. Officers located Michael Bryant deceased in the residence as a result of a suspected heroin overdose. APD Detectives were called to assist and as a result of the investigation officers were going to obtain (2) search warrants for the residence of Nicole Keller (E Maple Ct) and Robert Patterson (10th St), who had provided the heroin to Bryant. Patterson left APD prior to officers obtaining the search warrants and returned to his residence. It is believed Patterson flushed heroin in the toilet prior to officers making contact with him. Search warrants were obtained for both locations. Officers seized (10) packets of heroin from Keller's residence, along with a marijuana pipe, grinder and \$200.00. Officers seized a large amount of paraphernalia from Patterson's residence and a packet of heroin stamped "OD" which is the same stamp that was recovered from Keller's residence.</p> <p>Both Keller and Patterson were charged with Drug Delivery resulting in death as well as related drug delivery charges.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases:		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers).		\$2,687.55	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$2,687.55	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-022

Request for: _____ Saturation _____

Request made by: _____ Sgt. Moser _____

Support

Not Support

via e-mail

Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

via e-mail

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

11-26-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$6,704.09

Line Item: S/W

Date Requested: November 20, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 11-25-19	Requesting Agency/Dept. Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Saturation Detail and Search Warrants			
Location(s) of Activity: Various			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department/Logan Twp PD			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 11-22-19 into 11-23-19 APD and LTPD conducted a Saturation Detail in the City of Altoona and Logan Township. Officers conducted traffic stops and field contacts within those jurisdictions. As a result of the detail officers made the following arrests:</p> <p>Andrew Heffer: PWID Methamphetamine Stephen Drags: Poss Small Amount Marijuana and Paraphernalia Cory Burket: RSP/Theft and paraphernalia (officers recovered a stolen vehicle) Paul Grimme: BCSD Warrant and False ID Cheryl Hartman: BCSD Warrant and Paraphernalia Glenn Wagner: Hollidaysburg PD Warrant Robin Laino: Paraphernalia Nicole Weyandt: APD Warrant Darien Banks: Fleeing and Eluding William Stahl: Paraphernalia Patricia Tabor: PWID (85) packets of heroin and meth</p> <p>The detail ran from 1600-0000. At approximately 2330 hrs officers received information that Donald Jones would be coming the Super 8 motel. Jones was wanted by APD for a domestic violence case involving a handgun. Some officers remained on the detail and eventually located Jones. Jones was arrested for PWID meth and possessing a stolen firearm. Michelle Hartman was also arrested for Hindering Apprehension. Officers then prepared and executed a search warrant on Hartman and Jones' hotel room.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$6,080.01 (APD) and \$624.08(LTPD)	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$6,704.09 ✓	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-023

Request for: Raia/Dick

Request made by: Sgt. Moser

Support Not Support

 via e-mail
Agent Sassano
Task Force Representative

 via e-mail
Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

 via e-mail
Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

 via e-mail
Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

11-26-19
Date

Amount Requested: \$2,228.01

Line Item: S/W

Date Requested: November 26, 2019

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 11-25-19	Requesting Agency/Dept. Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Numerous			
Location(s) of Activity: Super 8 Motel 3535 Fairway Dr			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 11-23-19 APD Patrol Officers were dispatched to Super 8 Motel for a routine patrol call. While on scene front desk personnel advised officers of high flow traffic from rooms 302, rented by Jenna Raia and 303 rented by Roxie Dick. Officers made contact at the rooms and were granted consent by Raia to search the room. Officers observed items in plain view to obtain a search warrant for the room. Raia and Robert McCloskey were taken into custody and transported to APD.</p> <p>In room 303 officers encountered Roxie Dick, Michael Beck and Ryan Hines. Officers learned that Himes was there to purchase meth from Dick. Beck and Himes were transported to APD for items they had on their person during a pat down search. Additional manpower was then called in to compile and execute the search warrants for both rooms.</p> <p>Raia and McCloskey were arrested for Conspiracy and PWID/Delivery of Meth. Officers located a small amount of meth in the room with owe sheets, digital scales and communication on the phones arranging drug deals. Dick was arrested for PWID meth after officers located over an 8-ball of meth in her purse. Beck and Himes were arrested for misdemeanor drug offenses and released.</p> <p>While on scene, Allen Shannon arrived to room 302. Shannon was arrested for possession of the meth and searched incident to arrest. Shannon had a 9mm handgun in his bag (later reported stolen by the owner) which he was prohibited from possessing. Shannon also had paraphernalia and assorted pills on his person and in his bag.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$2,228.01	✓
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$2,228.01	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	

SPECIAL OPERATIONS FUND

OPERATION # 2019-SO-024

Request for: _____ Delacruz _____

Request made by: _____ Sgt. Moser _____

Support Not Support

via e-mail

Thomas Brandt
Task Force Representative

via e-mail

Chief Janice Freehling
Altoona Police Department

via e-mail

Chief David Reese
Logan Township Police

via e-mail

Chief John Romeo
Tyrone Borough Police

District Attorney Consiglio

Approve

Disapprove

1-13-20
Date

Amount Requested: __\$1,194.85

Line Item: __S/W__

Date Requested: __December 31, 2019__

REQUEST FOR OPERATION OUR TOWN FUNDS

To Be Completed by Requestor

Date of Request 12-31-19	Requesting Agency/Dept Altoona City Police Dept.	Requestor Name/Title Chief Janice Freehling	Request #:
Target/Subject of Investigation: Jonathon Delacruz			
Location(s) of Activity: Super 8 Motel 2815 6 th Ave			
Agency(ies) Involved: Altoona Police Department			
<p>Detailed Investigative Goals and Scope of Drug Activity (attach additional sheets of paper as needed for narrative: On 12-27-19 members of the Altoona Police Department were at 512 12th St apt 2 for a patrol call when officers encountered a male, Jeremiah Phillips, in a room with several thousand new unused packets commonly used to package heroin. Officers obtained a search warrant and seized a large amount of drug packaging material and approximately 1.5 ounces of raw unpackaged heroin in a false bottom container. As a result of the search warrant Phillips and Tori Wilt were both arrested and charged. While officers were inside the apartment, a neighbor informed officers that a male named Jonathan Delacruz had showed up outside with multiple bundles of heroin in his hand. When Delacruz saw police, he asked the neighbor if police were at his apartment and he then fled. Delacruz is a known high-level distributor of heroin, who recently moved to Altoona from Cambria County. Wilt also identified Delacruz as the source for the heroin seized in the residence. Beginning on 12-27-19 and through 12-29-19 officers then conducted surveillance on Delacruz's residence 2815 6th Ave in an attempt to obtain a search warrant for his residence. Officers observed minimal activity at the residence. Officers also checked local hotels for Delacruz's vehicle, a black Audi with negative results. Agent Quist later observed a vehicle believed to be owned by Delacruz's relative at the rear of the residence but officers did not observe Delacruz. After minimal activity the detail was suspended. Officers will be able to arrest Delacruz for the heroin seized from the 12th St residence, however the investigation is still ongoing in an attempt to gain a search warrant to additional stash house locations.</p>			
Budget Projection			
Drug Purchases		\$0	
Informant Payments		\$0	
Overtime (local officers)		\$1,194.85	
Administrative Expenses (provide details)		\$0	
PROJECTED TOTAL		\$1,194.85	
Anticipated Duration of Inquiry: Completed		Lead Agent Assigned: Sgt Christopher Moser	