

To: **Mayor and City Council**  
 Through: **Ryan Schroeder, City Manager**  
 From: **City Staff**  
 Date: **February 11, 2019**

## Donations to the City

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### BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The below described individuals and/or organizations have donated to the City:

**St. George Antiochian Orthodox Church** – As the Council is aware, St. George’s Church holds an annual festival every year whereby residents and others can gather for fun, food and music. While this is a fundraiser for the church, they recognize the efforts of others in helping their festival be a success, especially the Police Officers and volunteers who help and stop by during the event. As such, St. George’s Church is donating \$1,000 to the Police Department to use towards outreach activities. Police Chief Bud Shaver thanks the church for their generosity and states the funds will be put to good use.

**American Veterans Post 1** – The staff at the American Veterans Post 1 continue to be supportive of Crime Prevention Specialist Laura Vaughan’s efforts in teaching our youth about the roles and responsibilities of first responders by holding a Teen Academy. The Teen Academy is a six-week class held each Saturday. It is open to any high school student who lives, works or attends school in West St. Paul (including Sibley High School) and who are interested in learning more about the West St. Paul Police Department. The American Veterans Post 1 has generously donated \$1,000.

### FISCAL IMPACT:

		<b>Amount</b>
<b>Fund:</b>	101	\$2,000
<b>Department:</b>	3000	
<b>Account:</b>	Multiple	

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Publically thank the above listed individuals/organizations and accept their generous donations by adopting the attached draft resolution.