## INTRADEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

December 29, 2017 1.10

**TO:** The Honorable Board of Police Commissioners

FROM: Chief of Police

**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF NON-MONETARY DONATION** 

## RECOMMENDED ACTION

1. That the Board of Police Commissioners APPROVE the Department's report and TRANSMIT to the Mayor and City Council for ACCEPTANCE small Unmanned Aerial Systems (sUAS) valued at \$31,528.36 for Metropolitan Division.

## **DONOR INFORMATION:** ITEM: AMOUNT/VALUE:

**sUAS** 

\$31,528.36

Los Angeles Police Foundation (#327-17) Ms. Cecilia Glassman, Executive Director 633 West 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 960 Los Angeles, California 90071 (213)489-4636

## **DISCUSSION**

The donation is for the benefit of Metropolitan Division's Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) Team and the Los Angeles Police Department (Department). The sUAS will be used during a variety of tactical scenarios, while improving the safety of both law enforcement personnel and the public during high risk operations and catastrophic events. The equipment comes with a one year warranty. Metropolitan Division has a restricted fund account with the Los Angeles Police Foundation. Funds from this account will be used to pay for any future maintenance or repairs after the warranty. There will be no costs to the City to obtain or operate these devices.

No expressed or implied commitments or promises were made to the donor or representatives of the donor. The donor will not receive any preferential treatment, endorsement, or recommendation; and the donor is not allowed the use of any Department patents.

Administrative Services Bureau has reviewed the donation and determined that it has been submitted in accordance with Section 5.467 et seq. of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, which provides for the receipt and acceptance of donations to the Department.

If you have any questions, please contact Captain Jonathan Tippet, Commanding Officer, Metropolitan Division, at (213) 352-4800.

Respectfully,

CHARLIE BECK Chief of Police