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Questions about RIPA

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Hello,

Please see my responses after each question below.

Create a great day,

Lieutenant Karen Stubkjaer



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From: Tarryn Mento [mailto:tmento@kpbs.org]
Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2018 1:58 PM
To: Media Relations
Subject: Questions about RIPA

Hello,

I have a question about costs associated with the implementation of the Racial and Identity Profiling Act.

Did the sheriff's department receive additional funds for the specific purpose of implementing RIPA or have costs been covered by the department's general budget? **No additional funds were received and the costs have been covered by our general operating budget.

Was the department's application and data interface, which it shared with other agencies, developed by IT employees already on staff or were workers contracted for a limited time to produce these tools? If so, what was the cost and length of those contracts? **The application was developed by in-house staff.

Does the department intend to required additional funds from the county or seek reimbursement from the state for costs associated with RIPA implementation? **The Sheriff's Department is not requesting reimbursement at this time. We are evaluating the time and costs related to the implementation of RIPA and may address this issue at a later date.

Please get back to me by Wednesday at 4 p.m.

Thank you,

Tarryn

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