



RED RIVER VALLEY S.W.A.T.

To: FAHR Committee

From: LT Nate Nieman

Date: 07/17/2026

Re: Acceptance of Wrigley Family Donation for Red River Valley SWAT Equipment

The Wrigley Family has generously donated **\$20,000** to the City of Fargo for the benefit of the Red River Valley SWAT Team to support our ongoing efforts to serve and protect the communities we represent. The family requested that the donation be used for protective equipment or other needs that enhance the safety and effectiveness of the team.

After discussing the team's current needs with the Wrigley Family, we shared our plan to use these funds to complete the transition of our SWAT sniper team from aging and outdated weapon systems to modern, reliable platforms. The family fully supported this proposal and understood the importance of providing our personnel with dependable, lifesaving equipment that enhances both officer safety and operational effectiveness.

At this time, I respectfully request that the donated funds be accepted and transferred into the Red River Valley SWAT General Supplies expense account (216-5016-411.61-40). Once the funds are available, the Red River Valley SWAT Team will follow all applicable City of Fargo purchasing policies. When the project is ready to move forward, we will complete the required Request for Quote (RFQ) process and comply with all City procurement requirements before making any purchases.

On behalf of the Red River Valley SWAT Team, I would like to express our sincere appreciation to the Wrigley Family for their generosity and commitment to supporting the safety of our officers and the communities we serve.

Recommended Motion:

Approve the acceptance of the Wrigley Family donation and transfer the funds to the 2026 Operating Budget.

Expense Account

216-5016-411.61-40 (General Supplies) = **\$20,000.00**





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Certified For:
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July 17, 2026

Lieutenant Nate Nieman
Criminal Investigations Lieutenant
Red River Valley SWAT Commander

Please accept this donation of **\$20,000.00** to the **Red River Valley SWAT Team** in support of your ongoing efforts to serve and protect our communities. Put the money towards protective gear or whatever you need for safety and effectiveness of your team.

Thank you for your dedication, professionalism, and commitment to public safety.

With gratitude for your dedication and service,

The Wrigley Family

Gloria Wrigley
Blake and Cathie Wrigley
Drew Wrigley
Keith and Tanya Wrigley-Lingle

BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUEST

This form must be completed for all budget adjustments. Please include this form with any requests submitted to FAHR and Commission. If the requested adjustment is a reallocation of budgeted funds within the same department, the request form can be sent directly to Finance. Please email to: Finance@fargond.gov.

Finance should review this adjustment request form for validity before it is presented to ensure accuracy. Any budget adjustments that increase expenditures **MUST** be approved by City Commission to be entered.

DEPARTMENT: Red River Valley SWAT

REQUESTED BY: Lt. Nate Nieman PROJECT NUMBER : _____

DATE PREPARED: 7/17/2026

DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST:

NOTE: if relevant, please identify the appropriate fiscal year in the description

I respectfully request approval to accept a \$20,000 donation from the Wrigley Family and transfer the funds into the Red River Valley SWAT General Supplies expense account. These funds will support critical SWAT equipment needs.

REVENUE ACCOUNT NUMBER:	CURRENT BUDGET	REQUESTED ADJUSTMENT	NEW BUDGET
216-5016-365.10-00	\$ 28,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 48,000
			=
		+	=
		+	= \$ -
TOTAL REVENUE ADJUSTMENTS:		\$ 20,000	

EXPENSE ACCOUNT NUMBER:	CURRENT BUDGET	REQUESTED ADJUSTMENT	NEW BUDGET
216-5016-411.61-40	\$ 148,209	\$ 20,000	= \$ 168,209
			= \$ -
		+	= \$ -
		+	= \$ -
		+	= \$ -
		+	= \$ -
		+	= \$ -
TOTAL EXPENSE ADJUSTMENTS:		\$ 20,000	

PLEASE NOTE: Budget Adjustments that increase expenditures MUST be approved by Finance & Commission.

MONTHLY ALLOCATION (if not evenly over the remaining months of the year)					
Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June
Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec

FINANCE DEPT USE ONLY:	
FAHR REVIEWED ON:	_____
COMMISSION APPROVED ON:	_____
ENTERED BY FINANCE:	Date: _____
	By: _____
	BA# _____

Report of Action:
FAHR Meeting of July 27, 2026



☐	Purchase Policy
☒	Budget Adjustment/Reallocation
☐	Personnel Request
☒	Other Financial

Department: SWAT

Net Financial Impact: \$20,000.00

Description: See attached Memo. SWAT has been awarded a donation from Wrigley Family to support SWAT's operational needs and enhance the safety and effectiveness of our personnel.

At their meeting, FAHR endorsed this request.

Suggested Motion:

Approve the donation of \$20,000.00 from the Wrigley Family along with the budget adjustment as presented.