



Police Department

DATE: January 22, 2020
FROM: Dave Draovitch, Chief of Police
ITEM: MOU with United Way for Single Point of Contact

REQUEST

I am requesting the Commission's approval of an MOU with the MSA United Way for "Single Point of Contact" services related to the operation of their homeless shelter.

Please place this item on the 1/28/2020 City Commission meeting agenda.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

As a result of the partnership between the City of Bismarck and the MSA United Way, I am seeking the Commission's approval of an MOU with MSA United Way for "Single Point of Contact" services. The single point of contact services will allow us to bring all people we come in contact with that are in need of social or behavioral services to the MSA United Way homeless shelter. The shelter will then determine the best resource for the person in need and ensure the person is connected with that resource. This single point of service will greatly benefit the City and the people in need by saving time, effort and frustration.

RECOMMENDED CITY COMMISSION ACTION

Grant approval of the MOU.

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