

Resolution authorizing the La Crosse Police Department to continue participation in the Wisconsin Emergency Management Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO) Program.

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the La Crosse Police Department has been a participant in the Wisconsin Emergency Management Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO) Program for over ten (10) years; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department has existing inventory of items acquired at that time; and

WHEREAS, the LESO Program recently updated the requirements for participation to include:

- Agencies with existing inventory must maintain participation in the LESO program; and
- Agencies must receive annual approval from their City Council to continue being participants of the LESO Program; and
- Agencies must obtain approval by the City Council if an agency is requesting future items from the LESO; and

WHEREAS, the La Crosse Police Department is not requesting items from LESO, but due to existing inventory, would like approval to maintain participation in the LESO Program.

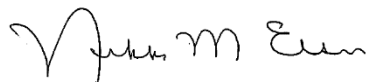
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that it hereby authorizes the La Crosse Police Department to maintain participation in the Wisconsin Emergency Management Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO) Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the La Crosse Police Department will request authorization annually and notify the City Council of any intention to request items from LESO and obtain pre-approval.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Police Chief and City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents in connection with the same.

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*I, Nikki M. Elsen, certify that this resolution was duly and officially adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse on May 9, 2024.*



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*Nikki M. Elsen, WCMC, City Clerk  
City of La Crosse, Wisconsin*