

CITY OF KENT FIRE DEPARTMENT REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION.

The City of Kent, WA has developed a program to establish the deployment of an accelerant detection canine to be used throughout the Western Washington area.

The canine will be under the command of an assigned handler who can be deployed to any jurisdiction within the western Washington area.

The City of Kent has agreed to fund the position and training of both the canine and handler.

A request for consideration for equipment has been requested and consists of:

\$2500 Funding of equipment for transport to investigation sites of canine

\$30,000 for purchase of SUV-type vehicle to transport the canine and handler to scenes

Also considered, as donation would be a vehicle suitable for customization, which would allow for the safe transport of the handler and canine to scene investigations.

Accelerant canines have proved invaluable in the detection of potential arson scenes and have proven successful in the eventual prosecution of arson suspects.

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