CITY OF APPLETON 2019 BUDGET PROGRAM ADDITIONS/DELETIONS

IDENTIFICATION						
Title of Request:	Contracting with security service					
Department:	Library Administration - 16010					
Program:						
Priority:	1					

FUNDING								
Description	Povonuo	Doroonnol	Supplies & Services	Fixed		Not		
Description	Revenue	Personnel	Services	Assets		Net		
Year 2019 Budget Increase	69,345	-	•	-	\$	(69,345)		
Year 2019 Budget Reduction	-	-	1	1	\$	-		
Future Years' Net Impact	1	-	1	1	\$	-		

DESCRIPTION/JUSTIFICATION

In March of 2018 the library began contracting with Securitas Security Services to address the increase in disruptive behaviors within the library. The library interviewed and trained guards the month of March and were staffed weekday afternoon and evening hours and weekends by the end of March.

Since then library incidents have decreased dramatically and staff are experiencing less pushback from patrons when they enforce rules. Through May in 2018, there have been only nine restrictions given to patrons. This compares to 42 restrictions for 2017.

APD calls for service have been as follows:

2016 186 2017 250

2018 78 (through June 26)

January - March 48 April - June 30

Based on the effectiveness of this approach we request funding this position during the library's operating hours for 2019.

16010.6599 \$ 69,345