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The City Council
Niagara Falls, New York

**RE: *Approval of Acceptance of District Attorney's Forfeiture Fund Award
(Niagara Falls Police Department)***

Council Members:

The Manhattan County District Attorney's office has created a Forfeiture Fund that is specifically meant to assist law enforcement agencies throughout New York State with costs brought on by the recent criminal discovery reforms and bail reform laws. Through the Niagara County District Attorney's office, the Niagara Falls Police Department is scheduled to receive \$116,933.00 from this Fund for its work on the aforementioned compliance and reform matters.

Will the Council so approve the acceptance of this funding and authorize the Mayor to execute any documents necessary to implement the same, provided these documents are in form and content acceptable to the Corporation Counsel?

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT M. RESTAINO
Mayor

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