



Capital Budget Request - EQUIPMENT

Project Name Armoury Weapon Storage **\$** **50,000**

Order Code New **Project Location** Timberlea
Project Category Public Safety **Ward** 5 - Muni-Wide
Type of Project New Asset - Acquisition and/or Instal **Municipal Function** 21 - Police Protection

Project Description and Scope

The Municipality of Wood Buffalo has contracted the RCMP to provide policing services. The Timberlea Detachment’s armoury houses most of the firearms that make up the Wood Buffalo RCMP inventory. Since the introduction of the Colt C8 semi-automatic rifle (carbine) in 2013, the demands on this armoury has increased exponentially. These firearms are issued to RCMP detachments based on other resources that are present and this has meant more of these carbines have been issued here than anywhere else in Alberta. The growth in the number of these operational pieces of equipment that have become necessities, has left the required infrastructure to securely and efficiently store them completely inadequate. Along with effective storage, a system that records when this equipment is drawn from inventory and by who has also been identified as an absolute must to maintain 100% accountability of these high-priced weapons.

An effective storage system should not only aid in accountability for the inventory as mentioned above, but also ensure that when weapons are needed they can be accessed quickly from their secured state and put into service. This is expected by the public to maximize their safety and that of the police officers deploying them.

Project Cash Flows

Year	Total Annual Cost	Federal Grant	Provincial Grant	Reserve	Other	Debenture
2017 & Prior	-					
2018	50,000					
2019	-					
2020	-					
2021	-					
2022	-					
Thereafter	-					
Total	50,000	-	-	-	-	-

Additional Funding Details

Project Sponsor Department RCMP Support
Project Sponsor Director Carole Bouchard
Project Delivery Department RCMP Support
Delivery Department Contact Lorna Dicks
Project Manager (if assigned) _____