

1340.00 Purchasing and Receiving Military Surplus Items

Stakeholder Review: 07/22/24-08/21/24

Refer:

- ORS 181A.338 Purchase and receipt of property from military equipment surplus program
- MCSO Agency Policy 200.00 Board of Commissioner Meetings

Definitions:

- Firearms Silencer – Any device for silencing, muffling, or diminishing the report of a firearm.

Policy:

1. The Multnomah County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) is prohibited from receiving the following property from a military surplus program operated by the Federal Government:
 - 1.1. Unmanned aircraft systems that are armored or weaponized.
 - 1.2. Aircraft that are combat-configured or combat coded.
 - 1.3. Grenades or similar explosives, or grenade launchers.
 - 1.4. Firearm silencers.
2. The Sheriff's Office shall not use Federal Government Funds for the purchase of permissible military surplus program items, only state and local funds may be used to purchase military surplus program items.

Procedure:

1. To receive property from military surplus programs, not prohibited by ORS 181A.338, the Sheriff's Office shall:
 - 1.1. Follow the procedures outlined in MCSO Agency Policy 200.00 Board of Commissioner Meetings to prepare and present an Agenda Placement Request (APR) and Board Resolution to the Multnomah County Board of Commissioners, to include the following:
 - 1.1.1. Information about the property being requested,
 - 1.1.2. The estimated cost savings to the County if the request is granted,
 - 1.1.3. The estimated costs of refurbishing or repairing the property, and
 - 1.1.4. The intended use by the Sheriff of the property.
 - 1.2. Upon completion of Subsection 1.1. above, the request for property shall be added to an upcoming Board Agenda and voted on. After which, if the Board provides written approval, the Sheriff's Office may proceed with a request to the military surplus program for the approved upon property.
 - 1.3. The Sheriff's Office shall publish notice of the request for the property within the ["Public Notices"](#) section of the Sheriff's Office website, within

fourteen (14) days after the request to the military surplus program.

History:

- Originating Policy: 01/13/2022 (Legislative Updates)
- Next Review: 01/13/2024 (Comprehensive Stakeholder Review)
- Review By: Executive Office
- **Reviewed:**
- **Next Review:**
- **Review By: Executive Office**

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