



Orange County Government

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Legislation Text

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Interoffice Memorandum

DATE: March 31, 2026

TO: Mayor Jerry L. Demings and County Commissioners

THROUGH: N/A

FROM: Kurt N. Petersen, Director, Office of Management and Budget

CONTACT: N/A

PHONE: 407-836-2902

DIVISION: Office of Management and Budget

ACTION REQUESTED:

Approval and execution for the Orange County Sheriff's Office to spend \$462,543.36 from the FY 2026 Law Enforcement Fund-Federal Justice Forfeitures for an eligible expense for Skydio X10 Aircraft (16). **(Office of Management and Budget)**

PROJECT: N/A

PURPOSE:

Equipment:

Skydio X10 Aircraft (16) - \$462,543.36. This request is to purchase Skydio X10 drones for the Aviation Section's Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Program to replace the declining operational effectiveness of the current fleet, which is primarily composed of Skydio X2E aircraft and is now significantly limited by aging components and outdated technology. The Skydio X10 has proven to be highly effective and versatile safety tool, significantly enhancing operational capabilities.

BUDGET: N/A



Sheriff John W. Mina

ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

APPROVED
BY ORANGE COUNTY BOARD
OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

March 6, 2026

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TO: Board of County Commissioners
FROM: Sheriff John W. Mina *JWM*
SUBJECT: Federal Forfeiture Fund Expenditures

The Sheriff plans to make purchases from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund for the following items and amounts.

<u>Item</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Skydio X10 Aircraft (16)	\$462,543.36

These expenditures will be charged to the below Equitable Sharing Program for the approved permissible use selected below:

Department of Justice or Department of Treasury

- 1) Law Enforcement operations and investigations
- 2) Law Enforcement training and education
- 3) Law Enforcement equipment
- 4) Contracts for services
- 5) Law Enforcement awards and memorials
- 6) Drug, gang, and other prevention or awareness programs
- 7) Any other permissible use identified in the Department of Justice and Department of Treasury Guide to Equitable Sharing.

Based on the foregoing representations, in my opinion this purchase(s) falls within the federal guidelines published by the U.S. Department of Justice and Department of Treasury.

Austin L. Moore
Austin L. Moore, General Counsel

3/4/2026
Date

APPROVED:
BY: *Byron W. Brooks*
For the Board of County Commissioners

21 April 2026
Date

