

# WASHINGTON AUTO THEFT PREVENTION AUTHORITY

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*“preventing and reducing motor vehicle thefts in the State of Washington.”*

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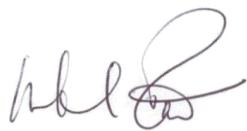
Sheriff Adam Fortney  
C/O Snohomish County Auto Theft Task Force  
3000 Rockefeller Ave, MS 606.  
Everett WA 98201  
Dear Sheriff Fortney

I am pleased to inform you that Washington Auto Theft Prevention Authority (WATPA) Board of Directors has approved the **Snohomish County Auto Theft Task Force** grant application for funding of Public Outreach, Training, Technology & Personnel/Professional Services. The award is in the amount of **\$247,985.00**. It is the responsibility of the grant recipient to explore and confirm all potential legal ramifications when employing WATPA funded equipment with your local legal advisor. The grant award is effective **July 1, 2022 and expires on June 30, 2023**. This award is a one-time event and does not imply or promise availability of funds for replacement or continuation of funding after June 30, 2023.

Enclosed is an award agreement. This agreement is to be signed and returned to WATPA. No funds will be reimbursed until the signed agreement is received. Expenditures prior to the award effective date or after the grant expiration date are not authorized and will not be reimbursed. All grant awards are subject to Grant Policies and Procedures of the Washington Auto Theft Prevention Authority. Costs will be paid on a reimbursement basis. Your agency will be reimbursed for actual expenses only up to the limit of the award categories. All grantees must sign the attached non-supplanting agreement before reimbursement can begin. Also, please note that reimbursement requests by grant recipients will only be processed upon receipt of current semi-annual reports by the WATPA office. The semi-annual report form is available on the WATPA website, [www.WaAutoTheftPreventionAuthority.org](http://www.WaAutoTheftPreventionAuthority.org)

If you have any questions, please contact me at 360-292-7959 or via e-mail at [mpainter@waspc.org](mailto:mpainter@waspc.org).

Sincerely,



Michael Painter, Executive Director  
Washington Auto Theft Prevention Authority

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