ORDINANCE AND RESOLUTION FACT SHEET **City of Shreveport**

TITLE	DATE	ORIGINATING DEPT./DIV.
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SHREVEPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT A DONATION OF A CELLEBRITE UNIVERSAL FORENSIC EXTRACTION DEVICE VALUED AT $10,084.00 FROM RED BALL OXYGEN COMPANY, INC.	06/17/2013	Shreveport Police Department **SPONSOR OR COUNCIL MEMBER** Shreveport Police Department

PURPOSE

This resolution will authorize the Shreveport Police Department to accept a donation of a Cellebrite Universal Forensic Extraction Device valued at $10,084.00 from Red Ball Oxygen Company, Inc. Total value of equipment donated is $10,084.00.

This Ordinance or Resolution will have direct impact on Council District: **ALL**

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Shreveport Police Department has, numerous times in the past, utilized a universal forensic extraction device owned by the Bossier City Marshal's Office to gather evidence from cellular devices as part of various criminal investigations. Due to the tremendous volume of mobile devices needing to be examined forensically by law enforcement agencies across northwest Louisiana, a back log of said exams has occurred. Red Ball Oxygen Company, Inc. has purchased a Cellebrite Universal Forensic Extraction Device valued at $10,084.00 and is offering to donate the device to us, thereby allowing us to facilitate the timely examination of mobile devices in major cases including, but not limited to sex crimes, robberies, and homicides. The digital evidence element of these investigations can be of extreme importance and the acquisition of this particular device will make the Shreveport Police Department better equipped to deal with the ever increasing case loads requiring cellular forensic examinations.

TIMETABLE

Introduction: **June 25, 2013**

Final Passage: **July 9, 2013**

SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

FINANCES	SOURCE OF FUNDS

CONCLUSION

The council may:

1. Approve the Resolution if deemed appropriate.
2. Approve an amended version of the Resolution.
3. Reject the Resolution.

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY: Bill Goodin, Chief Administrative Assistant

RESOLUTION NO. _____ OF 2013

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WHEREAS, the Shreveport Police Department has demonstrated a specific need for this Cellebrite Universal Forensic Extraction Device in furthering the mission of the department by providing a much needed asset to law enforcement authorities when implemented during criminal investigations and

WHEREAS, Red Ball Oxygen Company, Inc. is offering to donate a Cellebrite Universal Forensic Extraction Device, with a total value of all donated equipment being $10,084.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Shreveport, in due, regular and legal session convened, that it does hereby authorize the Shreveport Police Department to accept the donated Cellebrite Universal Forensic Extraction Device with a total value of $10,084.00 from Red Ball Oxygen Company, Inc.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any provision or item of this Resolution or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications of this Resolution which can be given affect without the invalid provisions, items or applications and to this end the provisions of this Resolution are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all Resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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OF COUNSEL