



# Apache Junction Police Department Memorandum

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**Date:** August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023  
**To:** Mayor Chip Wilson and City Council  
**From:** Assistant Chief Johnny John  
**Subject:** Purchase Request for the Canopy for the shooting range

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The Apache Junction Police Department (AJPD) is requesting approval to purchase a retractable canopy for the police shooting range, made by Cover Shot. This shade structure is part of the planned and approved range improvement projects covered by Capital Improvement Project (CIP) money. Our police officers use the outdoor shooting range throughout the entire year, to include the summer and winter months. The structure is designed to provide officers with shade and protection from the elements any time of the year.

There are no other companies able to provide a similar product that meets all the needs of the police department, to include size and accessories. This structure will span 104 feet in length and is motorized giving the ability to adapt to necessary training requirements. The canopy will also come with built in lighting, fans, overhead, rear and side shading all retractable providing protection from the sun and heat of the summer.

This request is for a total amount not to exceed \$139,079.05, which includes a 10% contingency amount. This procurement will be funded through the Capital Improvement Projects funding that was approved this fiscal year.