

# Staff Summary Report



**Council Meeting Date:** 11/08/07

**Agenda Item Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBJECT:** Request authorization to allocate \$31,500 from the General Fund contingency fund to cover the expenses associated with adjusting electrical junction boxes to prevent copper theft and vandalism of lighting systems throughout Tempe.

**DOCUMENT NAME:** 20071108fmtl01 **PUBLIC WORKS – UTILITIES (0800)**

**SUPPORTING DOCS:** No

**COMMENTS:** The contingency funding request of \$31,500 will finance the labor and material costs of adjusting electrical junction boxes to a 4" below grade in various locations to prevent copper theft and vandalism of lighting systems in the City of Tempe during Fiscal Year 2007/08.

**PREPARED BY:** Tom Lopez, Facility Management Director, (x8687)

**REVIEWED BY:** Glenn Kephart, Public Works Manager (x8205)  
Jerry Hart, Financial Services Manager (x8505)

**LEGAL REVIEW AS TO FORM:** Jenae Naumann, Assistant City Attorney (x8402)

**FISCAL NOTE:** Staff is requesting \$31,500 from the General Fund contingency fund to cover the expenses associated with adjusting electrical junction boxes to prevent copper theft and vandalism of lighting systems throughout Tempe.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the use of contingency funds.

**ADDITIONAL INFO:** NA

Approved by Glenn Kephart, Public Works Manager