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Thibodaux P.D. Receives K-9 Grant

Thibodaux Chief of Police Bryan Zeringue is pleased to announce that on April 3, 2019, the Thibodaux Police Department was awarded a grant through the National Police Dog Foundation.

After a collaborated effort between the City of Thibodaux Economic Development & Grants and the Thibodaux Police Department Administration, the two were able to secure a grant that will cover one year of health insurance coverage for K-9 Titan. This coverage is through Pet Plan Pet Insurance and K-9 Titan was one of 100 recipients that received this grant. Currently, any veterinary care for any illnesses, working accidents, and injuries for K-9 Titan are funded by the Thibodaux Police Department's operational budget.

The Thibodaux Police Department and its hard working K-9 Unit are profoundly grateful to the National Police Dog Foundation for its indispensable support. Funds provided by the National Police Dog Foundation will ensure K-9 Titan receives the ultimate medical care, which is a costly expense to our department.

K-9 Titan (German Shepard) is currently 4 years old and has been with our department since December of 2017, when he was donated to our department by the Transportation Security Administration (TSA). K-9 Titan is used as a dual purpose K-9 for the Thibodaux Police Department. He is currently nationally certified in both criminal apprehension and narcotic detection. During a normal tour of duty, K-9 Titan could be utilized to locate and apprehend a fleeing suspect that has committed a crime of violence or conduct an open-air sniff to locate possible illegal narcotics. Due to K-9 Titan's training, he can also be utilized to ensure the safety of other officers.

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