

**City of Alexandria, Virginia**  
**FY 2023 Proposed Operating Budget & CIP**  
**Budget Questions & Answers**

**April 20, 2022**

**Question:** What would be the costs for an updated or new study on the appropriate size of authorized force for APD? Could we use ARPA funds or other grant available funding for this study?

**Response:** Based on the cost of the Alexandria Police Department patrol and investigations staffing study conducted in 2016, staff estimates the cost of a new comprehensive authorized force study for the APD to be between \$60,000 and \$100,000 depending on the scope of services and vendor response.