



Public Safety- Committee Meeting

Meeting Date: Tuesday September 9, 2025

Motion to Approve the Sole Source Purchase of Cameras for Richmond County Sheriff's Office

Department:	Sheriff's Office
Presenter:	Chief of Staff Lewis Blanchard
Caption:	Approve the sole source purchase of Cameras using State Forfeiture funding in the amount \$49,840.00
Background:	The Sheriff's Office needs to update and replace various non-operational cameras. As we do not have any funds in the operating budget for these needs, the Sheriff Office are using Drug Seizure Account to fund the purchase.
Analysis:	Advanced Covert Technology, Inc. has provided a letter stating that they are the sole provider of the equipment requested by the Sheriff's office. The request is to add additional cameras to the current system in place for Sheriff's Office.
Financial Impact:	\$49,840.00N/A
Alternatives:	Not approve and risk not have the surveillance system needed by the Sheriff's Office.
Recommendation:	Approve the sole source procurement.
Funds are available in the following accounts:	Richmond County Sheriff Office State Forfeiture Account
<u>REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY:</u>	N/A