



Commission Meeting

November 7, 2023

BIS Digital for Grand Jury Room AV System

Department:	Information Technology
Presenter:	Reggie Horne, Deputy CIO
Caption:	Motion to approve Proposal from BIS Digital for Grand Jury Room AV System. (Approved by Public Safety Committee October 31, 2023)
Background:	The Grand Jury Room at the DA's Office in the Ruffin Judicial Center does not possess Audio-Visual capabilities for the presentation of digital evidence. Therefore, the Information Technology Department along with the District Attorney's Office has been exploring options for implementing a Digital Evidence Presentation System
Analysis:	Earlier this year, the Augusta Commission approved an agenda item from Superior Court to amend a previous APRP grant award from \$2,000,000 to \$2,500,000 for the purpose of upgrading Audio-Visual equipment in selected courtrooms at the Ruffin Judicial Center. That agenda item included the selection of BIS Digital as the vendor who would implement these AV upgrades. In the attached proposal, BIS Digital has proposed a system that is similar in functionality to what is being implemented in the courtrooms albeit at a smaller scale.
Financial Impact:	Estimated up-front cost is \$30,175.00 to be funded jointly by the Information Technology Department and the District Attorney's Office.
Alternatives:	N/A
Recommendation:	Approve Proposal from BIS Digital for Grand Jury Room AV System
Funds are available in the following accounts:	272015410-5316250 (\$20,000.00) and 101021310-5316220 (\$10,175.00)
<u>REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY:</u>	N/A