

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Councilors
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	RIFLES AND ACCESSORIES FOR THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE – GEORGIA STATEWIDE CONTRACT COOPERATIVE PURCHASE
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	Finance Department

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It is requested that Council approve the purchase of thirty (30) HK Patrol Rifles & Accessories from Clyde Armory (Athens, GA) in the amount of \$97,350.00. The purchase will be accomplished by Cooperative Contract Purchase via Georgia Statewide Contract #99999-001- SPD0000209-0004.

The rifles will be used to enhance officer safety, improve accuracy at greater distances, and provide necessary firepower against suspects armed with high-powered weapons or body armor. These rifles will allow officers to engage from a safer distance and are considered more manageable than shotguns.

Georgia State Contract #99999-001-SPD-SPD0000209-0004 is a cooperative contract whereby Clyde Armory is one of the awarded vendors contracted to provide Guns, Ammunition, and Accessories. The term of the contract is good through January 7, 2027. Georgia State-Wide contracts are available for use by any Georgia governmental entity. The Procurement Ordinance, Article 9-101, authorizes the use of cooperative purchasing.

Funds are available in the FY26 Budget: 2021 Sales Tax Project Fund – 2021 SPLOST – 21 SPLOST Public Safety – Capital Expenditures – over \$5,000 - Public Safety Vehicles/Equipment - Sheriff; 0567-696-3111-STPS-7761-54153-20260.

A RESOLUTION

NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF THIRTY (30) HK PATROL RIFLES & ACCESSORIES FROM CLYDE ARMORY (ATHENS, GA) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$97,350.00. THE PURCHASE WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASE VIA GEORGIA STATEWIDE CONTRACT #99999-001- SPD0000209-0004.**

**WHEREAS**, the rifles will be used to enhance officer safety, improve accuracy at greater distances, and provide necessary firepower against suspects armed with high-powered weapons or body armor. These rifles will allow officers to engage from a safer distance and are considered more manageable than shotguns; and,

**WHEREAS**, Georgia State Contract #99999-001-SPD-SPD0000209-0004 is a cooperative contract whereby Clyde Armory is one of the awarded vendors contracted to provide Guns, Ammunition, and Accessories. The term of the contract is good through January 7, 2027. Georgia State-Wide contracts are available for use by any Georgia governmental entity. The Procurement Ordinance, Article 9-101, authorizes the use of cooperative purchasing.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

That the Mayor and/or his designee is hereby authorized to purchase thirty (30) HK Patrol Rifles & Accessories from Clyde Armory (Athens, GA) in the amount of \$97,350.00. The purchase will be accomplished by Cooperative Contract Purchase via Georgia Statewide Contract #99999-001- SPD0000209-0004. Funds are available in the FY26 Budget: 2021 Sales Tax Project Fund – 2021 SPLOST – 21 SPLOST Public Safety – Capital Expenditures – over \$5,000 - Public Safety Vehicles/Equipment - Sheriff; 0567-696-3111-STPS-7761-54153-20260.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of \_\_\_\_\_ members of said Council.

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| Councilor Allen    | voting _____ |
| Councilor Anker    | voting _____ |
| Councilor Chambers | voting _____ |
| Councilor Cogle    | voting _____ |
| Councilor Crabb    | voting _____ |
| Councilor Davis    | voting _____ |
| Councilor Garrett  | voting _____ |
| Councilor Hickey   | voting _____ |
| Councilor Huff     | voting _____ |
| Councilor Tucker   | voting _____ |

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Lindsey G. McLemore, Clerk of Council

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B.H. "Skip" Henderson III, Mayor