

**Columbus Consolidated Government
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

TO:	Mayor and Councilors
AGENDA SUBJECT:	Automatic External Monitor/Defibrillators and Accessories for Fire/Ems
INITIATED BY:	Finance Department

It is requested that Council approve the purchase of nine (9) LifePak 15, Automatic External Monitor/Defibrillators (AEDs) from Stryker Medical (Chicago, IL) in the amount of \$297,995.49.

The new AEDs will replace nine Lifepak 12 units purchased from the Stryker for which the vendor is offering a \$27,000.00 trade-in credit. The Fire/EMS Department's Lifepak 12 cardiac monitor/defibrillators have reached their end of life and are no longer functional. As such, these items have been removed from service. These devices are used to provide critical care to cardiac patients.

To maintain compatibility with the remaining units that are in-service and to receive appropriate trade-in credit for older units, purchasing the new units from Stryker is necessary. Consequently, the vendor is considered the only known source for this purchase per the Procurement Ordinance, Article 3-114.

Funds are available in the FY21 Budget via OLOST Public Safety Reserves. Purchases will be made from: Other Local Option Sales Tax Fund – Fire & EMS – Public Safety - LOST – Capital Expenditures over \$5,000; 0102 – 410 –9900 – LOST – 7761.

A RESOLUTION

NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF NINE (9) LIFEPAK 15, AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL MONITOR/DEFIBRILLATORS (AEDS) FROM STRYKER MEDICAL (CHICAGO, IL) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$297,995.49.

WHEREAS, the new AEDs will replace nine Lifepak 12 units purchased from the Stryker for which the vendor is offering a \$27,000.00 trade-in credit. The Fire/EMS Department’s Lifepak 12 cardiac monitor/defibrillators have reached their end of life and are no longer functional. As such, these items have been removed from service; and,

WHEREAS, these devices are used to provide critical care to cardiac patients. To maintain compatibility with the remaining units that are in-service and to receive appropriate credit for older units, acquisition from Stryker, the Department, is necessary. Consequently, the vendor is considered the only known source for this purchase per the Procurement Ordinance, Article 3-114.

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

That the City Manager is hereby authorized to purchase nine (9) LifePak 15, Automatic External Monitor/Defibrillators (AEDs) from Stryker Medical (Chicago, IL) in the amount of \$297,995.49. Funds are available in the FY21 Budget via OLOST Public Safety Reserves. Purchases will be made from: Other Local Option Sales Tax Fund – Fire & EMS – Public Safety - LOST – Capital Expenditures over \$5,000; 0102 – 410 – 9900 – LOST – 7761.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the _____ day of _____, 2021 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of _____ members of said Council.

- Councilor Allen voting _____.
- Councilor Barnes voting _____.
- Councilor Crabb voting _____.
- Councilor Davis voting _____.
- Councilor Garrett voting _____.
- Councilor House voting _____.
- Councilor Huff voting _____.
- Councilor Thomas voting _____.
- Councilor Thompson voting _____.
- Councilor Woodson voting _____.

Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

B.H. “Skip” Henderson III, Mayor