



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: April 13th, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: Consider approving the purchase of radio equipment for public works

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BACKGROUND:

Public works utilizes mobile radios in trucks and equipment to communicate. The existing radios are outdated, and the technology is no longer supported. The new radio system is managed/supported by Itasca County and will be purchased through their supplier. Due to the high cost of replacement, staff have scheduled the purchase of the equipment over several years.

The attached quote replaces 5 mobile radios, 2 desktop units and the base station for a total price of \$26,024.50

Equipment will be purchased 50/50 with MSA Maintenance and Stormwater Utility Funds.

MSA Maintenance - \$13,012.25

SWU - \$13,012.25

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion approving the purchase of 5 mobile radios, 2 desktop units and a base station from DSC Communications (Motorola Solutions) for \$26,024.50 and authorize payment