

STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: June 17, 2024

MEETING TYPE: Regular Council meeting

SUBMITTED BY: Chief Steve Perry

AGENDA CAPTION: Discuss and consider Resolution R2024-06-1202 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HUTCHINS, TEXAS AUTHORIZING

THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO ENTER INTO A RENEWAL FOUR (4) YEAR AGREEMENT WITH CROWN CORRECTIONAL TELEPHONE INC. FOR COINLESS TELEPHONES IN THE CITY'S MUNICIPAL HOLDING FACILITY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EEFECTIVE DATE. Presented by: Steve Perry Police Chief

Background Information

In 2018 the City Council approved resolution 2018-0743 authorizing the City Administrator to enter into an agreement with CROWN Communications for pay telephone services in the Cities holding facility. The contract before the council is a renewal of the CROWN communications contract.

Budget Implications

50% of the net proceeds are shared with the City of Hutchins.

Operational Impact

Having phones in the City holding cells provides convenience for the arrested individual and allows communications with legal counsel, family members, etc. Inmates will often use the phones to try and make bond.

Legal Review

City Attorney Joe Gorfida

Staff Recommendation

Approve the contract with Crown Communications.

Supporting Documentation and Attachments

Resolution

Contract