



MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and members of the City Council

FROM: Mike Peacock,

DATE: December 9, 2022

SUBJECT: **Outdoor Warning System**

As you may recall, multiple sirens failed during a thunderstorm event and there were a couple of areas of the city where the early warning from the siren system failed to respond. After a thorough inspection of the entire system, there were some deficiencies found that need to be addressed.

1. First, a new siren is needed to cover the city on the south side near Hwy.174 .
Cost: \$31,365.28
2. Siren #1002 needs to be relocated to extend coverage on the north side of the city.
Cost: \$18,962.15
3. Upgrade Alert Software in the EOC.
Cost: \$16,845.90
4. Upgrade control box on siren #1001. Electronics no longer serviceable.
Cost: \$9,819.00

Total cost of the entire project is \$76,992.33. The funding for these upgrades could either of two options:
American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). Current balance of these funds is \$521,319
General Fund Reserves. Current reserve fund balance \$6,616,687