

MEETING DATE
12-5-22

CITY OF LAKE CITY

Report to Council

COUNCIL AGENDA	
SECTION	
ITEM NO.	

SUBJECT: Taser Equipment Replacement

DEPT / OFFICE: Lake City Police Department

Originator:
Chief Gerald Butler

City Manager Paul Dyal	Department Director Chief Gerald Butler <i>BIBO</i>	Date 11-30-22
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Recommended Action: Approve purchase of AXON Taser 7 model for all sworn officers to replace current AXON X2 platform tasers.

Current Tasers will be destroyed by Lake City Police Department, per AXON contract conditions.

Summary, Explanation, & Background: Department needs to purchase replacement tasers. Current equipment is at the end of life, end of warranty, and end of contract. Current tasers are provided with no liability coverage from any issues that may arise from their use, leaving the City of Lake City, as well as the Lake City Police Department, open to possible lawsuits. Newer taser model improves efficiency and safety in its use.

AXON Enterprise Inc. Quote
47 Taser 7 \$154,380.38 5-year contract price (payable in five (5) payments of \$30,876.08 each year)

Includes holsters, ammunition, battery pack, charging docks, warranty, license, and other equipment for use in conjunction with Taser 7 model, as shown in attached quote.

Alternatives:
No tasers available for officers' use to promote safety and well-being of the citizens of Lake City by apprehension of suspect criminals.

Source of Funds:
Approved Budget FY 23: Line item under account 001.11.521-030.52 Operating Supplies \$24,117.00.

Financial Impact:
5 year contract cost of \$154,380.38 is payable in 5 instalments of \$30,876.08 due October 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026. If updated quote exceeds original budgeted amount, difference in yearly contract cost will be paid from the Lake City Police Department's general fund.