

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE BUILDS DEPARTMENT TO PURCHASE ITRON, INC. RADIO ENDPOINTS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL WATER METERS FROM UNITED SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE

WHEREAS, the City of Republic, Missouri (“City” or “Republic”) is a municipal corporation and Charter City located in Greene County, Missouri, being duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri; and

WHEREAS, the BUILDS Department has identified a need for the purchase and installation of six hundred (600) radio endpoints for the purpose of obtaining accurate, timely meter readings from the City’s residential and commercial water meters; and

WHEREAS, the City currently utilizes software provided by Itron Inc. for performing such readings, and to ensure compatibility with the City’s current software system, the City must purchase the needed radio endpoints through United Systems & Software, the sole authorized distributor of the compatible equipment in the State of Missouri; and

WHEREAS, upon review of the materials provided and presentation by City staff, the Council finds it is in the best interest of the City to purchase the radio endpoints needed for meter readings from Itron Inc. through United Systems & Software at the pricing shown on the quote provided to the City, not to exceed a total cost of \$70,000 without separate, additional approval from the Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REPUBLIC, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1.** The City Administrator, or his designee, on behalf of the City, is authorized to purchase the identified radio endpoints from United Systems & Software, who the Council has confirmed to be the sole authorized distributor of the needed equipment within the State of Missouri, at the pricing shown on the quote attached hereto as “Attachment 1” and incorporated herein by reference, but not to exceed a total cost of \$70,000.00 without separate, additional approval of the Council.
- Section 2.** The City Administrator, or his designee, on behalf of the City, is authorized to take all other reasonable, necessary steps to implement this Resolution.
- Section 3.** The whereas clauses are specifically incorporated herein by reference.
- Section 4.** This Resolution shall take effect after passage as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Republic, Missouri, this _____ day of _____, 2024.

Eric Franklin, Mayor

Attest:

Laura Burbridge, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Megan McCullough', is written over a horizontal line.

Megan McCullough, City Attorney

Final Passage and Vote: