



Wylie City Council

AGENDA REPORT

Department: Police
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Subject

Consider, and act upon, the approval of body-worn cameras and video equipment purchase for the police department from Motorola Solutions through a cooperative purchasing agreement with Texas DIR-TSO-4101, and authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary documents.

Recommendation

Motion to approve the Item as presented.

Discussion

The Police Department is seeking approval from the City Council to purchase body-worn cameras and video equipment to replace their current outdated equipment. Motorola now owns WatchGuard and the body-worn cameras we currently use are no longer being manufactured or refurbished. This equipment is necessary to help protect officers and serve the citizens. Motorola has given the City a discount in the amount of \$209,538.79. The cost to equip the department with new body-worn cameras is \$249,993.40.

The City is authorized to purchase from a cooperative purchasing program with another local government or a local cooperative organization pursuant to Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code and Section 271 Subchapter F of the Local Government Code and, by doing so, satisfies any State Law requiring local governments to seek competitive bids for items.

The funds appropriated for the body-worn cameras and video equipment were approved in the most recent City budget. Staff recommends the purchase of the body-worn cameras and video equipment for the Police Department through a cooperative purchasing agreement with Texas DIR-TSO-4101 as providing the best value to the City.

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