

Wylie City Council

AGENDA REPORT

Department:	Communications Department	Account Code:	100-5241-58810	
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Subject

Consider, and act upon, the approval of the purchase of Motorola APX 6000 Portable Radios, APX 6500 Mobile Radios, and AXS Dispatch Consoles in the estimated amount of \$920,018.00 through a cooperative purchasing contract with Texas DIR-CPO-5433 and authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary documents.

Recommendation

Motion to approve the Item as presented.

Discussion

The City of Wylie's Public Safety Radio System utilizes standardized Motorola radio equipment. These radios are on the public safety network, and can communicate with other departments during network outages or emergencies. The purchase of ten (10) APX 6000 portable radios and eight (8) APX 6500 mobile radios was approved in the FY2026 budget (100-5241-54650). The estimated cost is \$129,123.98.

The current existing five (5) MCC-7500 VPM Dispatch Consoles are end of life/service in 2030. A quote was provided to upgrade the existing five (5) consoles, add one (1) additional console at the Public Safety Building, as well as one (1) dispatch console at Fire Station 4 Back-up Dispatch, for a total of seven (7) AXS Dispatch Consoles. The additional console at the PSB would give the room six (6) full workstations, while the console at Back-up Dispatch would assist in the continuance of a true back-up site.

Bundling these purchases, along with a timing incentive for Motorola's end of fiscal year, allows Motorola to give a \$80,121.17 discount. This brings the total cost of the bundled purchase from \$1,000,139.17 to \$920,018.00.

Staff recommends the purchase of ten (10) APX 600 portable radios, eight (8) APX 6500 mobile radios, and seven (7) AXS dispatch consoles in the estimated amount of \$920,018.00 through a cooperative purchasing contract with Motorola through Texas DIR-CPO-5433. 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.

(Wylie Agreement No. 2026-07 / DIR-CPO-5433)