

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO ISSUE THE ATTACHED PURCHASE ORDER BETWEEN DATAWORKS PLUS, LLC. AND THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWENTY-FIVE (25) MOBILE FALCON RAPID I.D. EDGE DEVICES AND RELATED SOFTWARE IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$50,975.00.

WHEREAS, the Police Department desires to purchase twenty-five (25) Falcon Rapid ID Edge Devices with Cogent Blue Check Finger Scanners and related Software to be utilized by Police Officers and support personnel to identify suspects and victims in the field; and

WHEREAS, on November 14, 2014, the City Commission passed and adopted Resolution Number R-2014-345 authorizing the acceptance of Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) grant funds in the approximate amount of \$122,225.00 from the Department of Homeland Security to enhance public safety and emergency management UASI approved projects, training and equipment; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Resolution No. R-2014-345, the Police Department will utilize these grant funds for the purchase of approximately two (2) license plate readers and twenty-five (25) rapid identification fingerprint scanners; and

WHEREAS, as stipulated in the grant award, the City of Miami is the lead administrative agency responsible for facilitating the expenditure and reimbursement of the UASI funds to address the unique equipment, training, planning, exercise and operational needs specified in said grant; and

WHEREAS, these grant funds must be used to defray the cost of purchasing or enhancing public safety and emergency management projects and equipment specified by the State of Florida Division of Emergency Management; and

WHEREAS, significant time and resources have been invested by the Police Department staff into reviewing products available in order to select the best mobile identification fingerprint scanner devices and related software to meet the Department's specific needs while considering cost and budget parameters; and

WHEREAS, the selected product, the Mobile Falcon Rapid ID Edge Device is specifically designed for Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Agencies and have been certified by FDLE to connect to and register with the Falcon Rapid ID system; and

WHEREAS, Dataworks Plus, LLC is the sole authorized reseller of the desired product; and

WHEREAS, Section 38.40 (C)(3) of the Purchasing Ordinance provides that, non-competitive supplies, and single source services available from only one source, such as unique, patented, franchised supplies or services, are exempt from the competitive proposal requirements; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously purchased similar equipment which is currently in use from Dataworks Plus, LLC of Greenville, South Carolina and the product's performance has been satisfactory; and

WHEREAS, since UASI grant funds will be used for this purchase, the taxpayers of the City of Hollywood will incur no cost for this expenditure; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police and the Director of Procurement Services recommend that the City Commission approve the issuance of the attached Purchase Order for the purchase of the Falcon Rapid ID Edge Devices with Cogent Blue Check Finger Scanners and related Software in an amount not to exceed \$50,975.00; and

WHEREAS, funding for this equipment is available in the Police Equip-LPRs/Fingerprint Scanners R14345 Account Number: 13. 2000.20233.521.006453;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA:

Section 1: That it hereby approves and authorizes the issuance, by the appropriate City Officials of the attached Purchase Order between Dataworks Plus, LLC and the City of Hollywood, together with such non-material changes as may be subsequently agreed to by the City Manager and approved as to form and legality by the City Attorney.

Section 2: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2015.

PETER BOBER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PATRICIA A. CERNY, MMC, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY
for the use and reliance of the
City of Hollywood, Florida, only.

JEFFREY P. SHEFFEL, CITY ATTORNEY