



City of Hollywood

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Legislation Text

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A Resolution Of The City Commission Of The City Of Hollywood, Florida, Approving And Authorizing The Appropriate City Officials To Issue A Purchase Order Between Federal Eastern International And The City Of Hollywood For The Purchase Of Special Weapons And Tactics (SWAT) Anti-Ballistic Vests And Armor Vest Plates In The Amount Of \$65,580.00.

Staff Recommends: Approval Of The Attached Resolution.

Explanation:

The Police Department desires to purchase anti-ballistic vests and armor vest plates in order to enhance the performance capabilities of the Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) unit.

On May 18, 2016, the City Commission passed and adopted Resolution Number R-2016-134, authorizing the use of State Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds in order to purchase SWAT anti-ballistic vests and armor vest plates in the amount of \$72,630.00.

The SWAT Unit is involved in various high risk situations, such as hostage rescue, anti-sniper protection, barricaded persons, active shooter, warrant services.

Significant time and effort have been invested into selecting the vest that meets the SWAT Unit's diverse tactical needs.

The anti-ballistic vests, armor vest plates and associated equipment are available through Federal Eastern International pursuant to the State of Florida Contract Number 680-850-11-1.

Section 38.40 (C)(5) of the Purchasing Ordinance allows the Director to procure, without following formal procedures, all goods and services which are subject of contracts with the state, its political subdivisions, the United States government, other governmental entities, or a corporation not for profit whose members are governmental entities, public officers, or any combination thereof, provided however, the goods and services are: (i) the subject of a price schedule negotiated by the state or the United States government, or (ii) the subject of a contract with another governmental entity or a corporation not for profit whose members are governmental entities, public officers, or any combination thereof, which contract is based strictly on competitive bids or competitive proposals and not on any preference.

Federal Eastern International has agreed to provide the anti-ballistic vests, armor vest plates to the City of Hollywood for the same pricing, terms and conditions.

Since State Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds will be used for this purchase, the taxpayers of the City of Hollywood will incur no cost for this expenditure.

Funding is available in the Fund Balance of the Law Enforcement Forfeiture Fund (Fund 12) which is to be recognized and appropriated for the specific permissible uses as described above in accordance with Resolution No. R-2016-134.

The Chief of Police and the Contracts Compliance Officer recommend that the City Commission approve the issuance of a Purchase Order for the purchase of Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) anti-ballistic vests and armor vest plates in the amount of \$65,580.00.

Recommended for inclusion on the agenda by:

Dr. Wazir Ishmael, City Manager, Office of the City Manager

Mel Standley, Assistant City Manager/Public Safety, Office of the City Manager

Mirtha Dziedzic, Interim Director, Financial Services

Tomas Sanchez, Chief of Police, Police Department

Paul Bassar, Contract Compliance Officer, Office of the City Manager