

Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or designee, to purchase handheld ticket writers, related components, and licenses for Police Department vehicles from Tyler Technologies, of Dallas, Texas, for a total cost of \$81,252.00 with funding available in the FY2015-2016 Crime Control and Prevention District Fund, and additionally authorizing payment and continual renewal of necessary software licenses in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00 annually, subject to budget approval and sufficient future appropriations.

WHEREAS, the Police Department has previously purchased handheld ticket writers, associated components, and licenses from Tyler Technologies for the Parking Enforcement and Code Enforcement Divisions;

WHEREAS, handheld ticket writers increase officers' efficiency and enhance officers' safety by reducing the length of time officers are exposed to oncoming traffic;

WHEREAS, handheld ticket writers improve the quality of documentation and reduce the number of citations rejected by the court due to illegible or improperly written citations; and

WHEREAS, the department desires to expand use of handheld ticket writers by uniformed officers by equipping vehicles with the necessary devices;

WHEREAS, State law provides that such procurements, as outlined above, are subject to statutory procurement requirements, including competitive bids, unless an exception applies;

WHEREAS, there is a statutory exception for this procurement in Local Government Code, Section 252.022(a)(2), as this purchase is necessary to preserve or protect the public health or safety of the municipality's residents; and

WHEREAS, there is also a statutory exception for this procurement in Local Government Code, Section 252.022(a)(7)(A), as this purchase is available from only one source due to special processes or patents.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Corpus Christi, Texas:

Section 1. The City Council specifically finds that the foregoing statements included in the preamble of this ordinance are true and correct and adopts such findings for all intents and purposes related to the authorization of this procurement.

Section 2. The City Manager, or her designee, is authorized to purchase the handheld ticket writers, associated hardware, software, and licenses for police vehicles from Tyler Technologies, for a total cost of \$81,252.00. Furthermore, the City Manager is authorized to purchase continual renewals of the necessary software licenses in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00 annually, subject to budget approval and sufficient future appropriations.

ATTEST:

CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

Rebecca Huerta, City Secretary

Nelda Martinez, Mayor

Corpus Christi, Texas

_____ day of _____, 20____

The above resolution was passed by the following vote:

Nelda Martinez _____

Rudy Garza _____

Michael Hunter _____

Chad Magill _____

Colleen McIntyre _____

Lucy Rubio _____

Brian Rosas _____

Mark Scott _____

Carolyn Vaughn _____