



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING**

#13-1215

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: November 5, 2013

TITLE: Motion to approve proprietary purchase of annual support for the Lucas Chest Compression System - \$26,350

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve the proprietary purchase of annual support for the Lucas Chest Compression System in the annual amount of \$26,350 from Physio-Control, Inc. and approve the agreement in substantially the form attached.

Background

The Lucas Chest Compression System is a device that is used to deliver steady and consistent sternal compressions in the cardiac arrest patient. The LUCAS 2 performs chest compressions far more efficiently and effectively than the most highly trained professional. Equally important, the LUCAS frees caregivers' hands so they can perform other life-saving interventions.

At its March 2, 2010 Regular Meeting (CAR 10-0289, MD-04) the City Commission approved the initial purchase of thirteen LUCAS 2 units. The City Commission also approved an additional four units at its April 5, 2011 meeting (CAR 11-0476, MD-03). The initial warranty period for these seventeen units has since expired and the Fire-Rescue Department requests a technical service support agreement (annual maintenance contract) be executed for Fiscal Year 2014 in the amount of \$26,350. The effective date of this maintenance contract will be October 1, 2013 and ending September 30, 2014.

Resource Impact

There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$26,350.

FUNDS AVAILABILITY LOCATION:

FY	FUND	SUB FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	SUB OBJ #	SUBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2014	001	01	General Fund	FIR030101	Fire-Rescue Support	3407	Equip Repair & Maintenance	\$26,350.00
TOTAL								\$26,350.00

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the **Public Safety Cylinder of Excellence**, specifically advancing:

- **Goal 9:** Be the safest urban coastal City in South Florida through preventative and responsive police and fire protection.
- **Objective 2:** Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response

Attachment

Exhibit 1 – Technical Service Support Agreement

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