

9-16-14 PUR-3 REVISED CAM+ ADDED EXHIBIT

#14-1030

TO:

Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM:

Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE:

September 16, 2014

TITLE:

REVISED PUR-3 Motion to award the purchase of license plate readers -

Invitation to Bid (ITB) 742-11486 - \$115,680

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission award the purchase of automated license plate readers from the lowest cost, responsive and responsible bidder Visual Pro 360 Inc. utilizing the City's Contract (Form P-0001) in the amount of \$115,680.

Background

The City has adopted license plate reader (LPR) technologies in public safety and other divisions for multiple uses and information collection. These cameras are mounted on traffic poles, mobile vehicles, traffic signs and at other public locations. On February 18, 2014 (CAM 14-0192), the City Commission approved the award of Request for Proposal (RFP) 243-11315 to Visual Pro 360 Inc. (an authorized reseller of equipment manufactured by Vigilant Solutions LPR).

In an effort to further expand LPR technology throughout the City, the Fort Lauderdale Police Department would like to purchase an additional 8 LPR units. These 8 units will be installed on Police K-9 units and will be used solely for law enforcement purposes. Based on this criteria, the purchase will be funded by the Justice Department Task Force Confiscation Fund.

ITB 742-11486 was issued and opened on August 27, 2014 with 2 bids received. The low bidder, Visual Pro 360 Inc., has met all of the specifications of the bid and has been deemed the lowest cost, responsive and responsible bidder for the additional LPR units.

FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM #14-20

DATE:

September 15, 2014

TO:

Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

FROM:

Franklin C. Adderley, Chief of Police

SUBJECT:

Request to Approve Expenditure of Confiscation Funds

I, Franklin C. Adderley, Chief of Police, respectfully request the City Commission approve the expenditure of confiscation funds for the purchase of license plate reader technology in the amount of \$115,680 as described in CAM #14-1030.

I hereby certify that the above-described expenditure is for a law enforcement purpose in accordance the federal guidelines set forth in the Guide to Equitable Sharing for State and Local Law Enforcement Agencies.

Franklin C. Adderley