



# CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE City Commission Agenda Memo REGULAR MEETING

- TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
- **FROM**: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager
- **DATE**: June 06, 2017
- TITLE: Motion to Approve Contracts for Pilot Program for Integrated Body Worn Cameras and Digital Evidence Management System - Motorola Solutions, Inc. and Axon Enterprise, Inc.

## **Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission (Commission) approve contracts, in substantially the forms attached, for a pilot program (Phase II) for the Integrated Body Worn Cameras (BWC) and Digital Evidence Management System (Request for Proposals No. 766-11825) with the top two ranked firms: Motorola Solutions, Inc. (Motorola), and Axon Enterprise, Inc. (Axon), formerly Taser International, Inc.

It is further recommended that the Commission approve terminating pilot agreement negotiations with VieVu LLC due to the vendor's failure to submit a Best and Final Offer (BAFO) by the specified deadline.

#### **Background**

The purpose of this pilot program is to provide reliable wearable body cameras, a digital evidence management system, and the accessories and ancillary components to provide a turn-key solution to capture video from an officer's perspective.

Staff conducted negotiations with the top three vendors and requested vendors to submit BAFOs to propose Pilot program costs and to accept extra conditions needed for the Information Technology Department.

- February 21, 2017 City Commission approved final ranking and commencement of contract negotiations with the top three ranked firms for Integrated Body Worn Cameras and Digital Evidence Management System (CAM 17-0155).
- May 19, 2017 BAFO letter for Request for Proposal No. 766-11825, Pilot Program (Phase II) was issued to Motorola, Axon and VieVu with deadline to respond.

 May 22, 2017 – Two BAFO responses were received from Axon and Motorola, while VieVu was unable to provide a response before the deadline and was therefore deemed non-responsive.

Staff recommends awarding the two pilot program contracts to Axon and Motorola as they have both complied with the requirements of the solicitation and the requested BAFO.

Upon completion of the pilot program, staff will request full deployment project pricing, conduct final evaluations, recommend contract award, and request Commission approval of the agreement for the full BWC program implementation.

## Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

### **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.
- Goal 10: Be a City well-prepared for and responsive to all hazards.
- Objective 1: Provide and effectively communicate comprehensive emergency management planning and disaster recovery

This item advances the Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Ready.

#### **Attachments**

Exhibit 1 – Axon Contract Exhibit 2 – Motorola Contract Exhibit 3 – RFQ Solicitation Exhibit 4 – Taser Proposal Exhibit 5 – Motorola Proposal Exhibit 6 – Axon BAFO Exhibit 7 – Motorola BAFO

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