



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

#20-0169

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

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: March 3, 2020

TITLE: Motion Approving Assumption of Contract and Consent to Assignment for
LifePak15 Defibrillator/Monitor and Lucas 2 Chest Compression Device
Units Maintenance Services – **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve an assumption of contract and consent to assignment, in substantially the form attached, for LifePak15 defibrillator/monitor and Lucas 2 chest compression device units maintenance services, from Physio-Control, Inc. to Stryker Sales Corporation.

Background

On November 7, 2017, the City Commission approved a three-year contract with Physio-Control, Inc. for LifePak15 defibrillator/monitor and Lucas 2 chest compression device units maintenance services (CAM 17-1157). The contract is currently on its final year and expires on September 30, 2020.

Physio-Control, Inc. was purchased in 2016 by Stryker Corporation and is now a wholly owned subsidiary of Stryker Corp. In addition, Stryker Sales Corporation is also a wholly owned subsidiary of Stryker Corp. After the acquisition of Physio Control, all customer contracts with Physio-Control, Inc are being assigned to Stryker Sales Corp.

Staff recommends the City Commission approve an assumption of contract and consent to assignment to avoid interruption of maintenance services to the City's life-saving equipment mentioned above.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact to the City associated with this action.

Strategic Connections

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024 Strategic Plan*, specifically advancing:

- The Public Safety Focus Area

- Goal 6 Build a safe and well-prepared community
- Objective: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Original City Contract

Exhibit 2 – Assumption of Contract and Consent to Assignment

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