

ORDINANCE NO. 6418

**AN ORDINANCE WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND APPROVING THE PROCUREMENT OF CERTAIN IN-CAR VIDEO SYSTEMS AND BODY-WORN CAMERAS THROUGH THE "VIDEO AS A SERVICE" PROGRAM FROM MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS, INC (WATCHGUARD VIDEO).**

*WHEREAS*, In 2020, the Hot Springs Police Department began a phased transition from the L3 Mobile Vision In-Car Video (ICV) and Body-Worn Camera (BWC) systems to the WatchGuard ICV and BWC platform and in 2021 the Board of Directors passed Resolution No. 9751 authorizing the purchase of such systems with the understanding that to fully transition the Hot Springs Police Department to the WatchGuard platform would take up to seven years; and

*WHEREAS*, recently APRA funds have been made available to the City of Hot Springs that can be used to acquire and increase public safety resources and the Hot Springs Police Department proposes accelerating the full transition and updating of the Department to the WatchGuard platform with such funds; and

*WHEREAS*, The "Video As A Service" program is exclusively offered and sold directly by Motorola Solutions, Inc (WatchGuard Video) as its sole source provider; and

*WHEREAS*, A.C.A. §14-58-104 provides that " The governing body of a city of the first class, city of the second class, or an incorporated town may purchase the following commodities without soliciting bids: (21) (A) Goods or services available only from a single source. (B) A purchase under this subdivision (21) shall be supported with: (i) Documentation concerning the exclusivity of the single source; and (ii) A written proclamation from the chief executive filed with the clerk or recorder that sets forth the basis for the single source procurement;" and

*WHEREAS*, staff is requesting the waiver of competitive bidding under A.C.A. §14-58-104 (21) and approval of the purchase of the above-described equipment as set forth in the provided proposal.

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED*** by the Board of Directors of the City of Hot Springs, Arkansas:

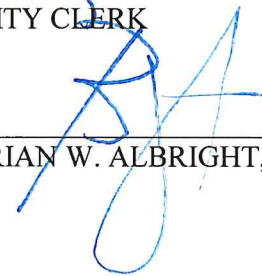
Section 1: That it is found and determined that Motorola Solutions, Inc (WatchGuard Video) is the sole authorized vendor of the "Video As A Service" program and, thus, the requirement of competitive procurement of WatchGuard 5-year (90) M500 and (115) V300 "Video As A Service" is waived pursuant to A.C.A. §14-58-104 (21).

Section 2: That pursuant to Resolution No. 9968 and subject to the terms therein, the procurement of WatchGuard 5-year (90) M500 and (115) V300 "Video As A Service" from Motorola Solutions, Inc is approved in an amount of \$1,292,328.88 plus any applicable taxes; provided further, that the City's Purchasing Agent is authorized to issue a Purchase Order for such equipment and services from Motorola Solutions, Inc.

PASSED: March 1, 2022

APPROVED:   
PAT MCCABE, MAYOR

ATTEST:   
HARMONY MORRISSEY, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:   
BRIAN W. ALBRIGHT, CITY ATTORNEY