Sponsor(s) : County Council Adopted : June 26, 2018

Committee Referral : N/A
Committee Consideration Date : N/A
Committee Recommendation : N/A

RESOLUTION NO. 18-R-42

COUNCIL-ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR COLLETON COUNTY

[A Resolution to Award the Contract for Purchase for the Replacement of Computer Aided Dispatch/NG911 and Phone Communications System to be Installed within the Sheriff's Office New Dispatch Center to Zuercher Technologies, LLC.]

WHEREAS:

- 1. The Sheriff's Office is currently using a system which is over 28 years old and is not fully compliant with current information technology standards and systems for Computer Aided Dispatch/NG911. This system is outdated, has no available updates and is not capable of interfacing with any other required system that is being used in the current dispatch center; and
- 2. The Sheriff's Office is seeking to replace its Computer Aided Dispatch/NG911 and phone communications system. In addition, the vendor shall not only provide but also maintain the software and servers (including OS and DBMS) under the vendor's standard maintenance and service agreement; and
- 3. An Computer Aided Dispatch/NG911 Information Technology Review Committee comprised of three members from the Sheriff's Office, including the Sheriff's Information Technology Director, and two members from Fire-Rescue reviewed the technologies, and it was determined by the review committee that systems provided by Zuercher Technologies, LLC. best met the needs of the new Dispatch Center; and
- 4. The County has properly advertised Per Section 3.08.220 of the Colleton County Purchasing Code and Procurement item CCSO-06 for this technology. The Sheriff's Information Technology Department has reviewed and recommended the replacement of current information technology and service support contracts with Computer Aided Dispatch and NG911 Public Safety Systems provided by Zuercher Technologies, LLC. This Computer Aided Dispatch and NG911 Public Safety System is to be installed in the new Law Enforcement Dispatch Center, which is to be completed in August of 2018; and
- 5. The Capital Projects and Purchasing Department negotiated with the vendor to add needed modules and deduct for non-needed items, and the total price for the Computer Aided Dispatch and NG911 Public Safety System is \$846,047.44; and

6. Staff requests that County Council awards the bid for the Computer Aided Dispatch and NG911 Public Safety System to Zuercher Technologies, LLC in the amount of \$846,047.44.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COLLETON COUNTY COUNCIL DULY ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 1. County Council hereby awards the contract for the Sheriff's Office Computer Aided Dispatch and NG911 Public Safety System to Zuercher Technologies, LLC in the amount of \$846,047.44.
- 2. The County Administrator is hereby authorized to execute the contract on behalf of the County pending approval of same by the County Attorney.
- **3.** Funding for this expenditure will be paid from 2019 Lease Purchase Financing and the 2018 Fire Bond.

ATTEST:

Ruth Mayer, Council Clerk

SIGNED:

oseph F. Flowers, Chairman

COUNCIL VOTE: Unanimous OPPOSED: