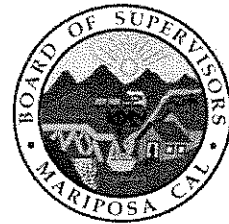




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RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2013-499

MEETING: November 12, 2013

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Doug Binnewies, Sheriff-Coroner-Public Administrator

RE: Sheriff's Primary Radio System Up-Grade and Approve Budget Action

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Authorize Sheriff to Purchase a New Primary Radio System for Sheriff's Dispatch Center to Support Law Enforcement and Public Safety Activities in Mariposa County; and Approve Budget Action Transferring Funding Within the Sheriff's Budget to Allow for the Purchase of the Radio System (\$55,147).

The current radio system in use by the Sheriff's Dispatch Center is out dated and is no longer serviceable. In addition, the current radio system can no longer support federal requirements for a modern Dispatch Center.

The Sheriff wishes to upgrade the primary Sheriff Law Enforcement radio system by purchasing a Daniels Electronic Radio System from Codan Radio Communications. The Mariposa County Sheriff's Office has previously purchased Daniels Electronic Radio System equipment from Codan Radio Communications which has been implemented at the two mountain top radio repeater locations used by Mariposa County.

Daniels Electronic Radio Systems are used by Yosemite National Park and CalFire-MMU that services Mariposa County. Daniels Electronic Radio Systems have been recommended by the Radio Tech that supports and services the Mariposa County Sheriff's radio system.

The attached listed quote is a WSCA-CA approved quote which meets current State bid purchasing requirements for best price available for the State of California purchases.

This purchase will be made with approved funds from the Sheriff's 2013-2014 Fiscal Year Budget. The Sheriff requests a transfer of funding from Safety Equipment to the fixed asset Telecommunication Upgrade line item, with no impact to the General Fund. All related sales tax and shipping charges will be funded from Sheriff's Safety Equipment line item.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board has authorized major purchases in the past for the betterment of public safety in Mariposa County.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Not purchasing the recommended radio equipment will cause the Mariposa County Sheriff's Office to fall out of Federal Communications Commission (FCC) requirements and jeopardize public safety.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Funding for the Radio System will be transferred from the Safety Equipment line item to the fixed asset Telecommunications Upgrade line item within the Sheriff's operating budget.


ATTACHMENTS:

Radio Quote H30934 10-03-2013 (PDF)

Sheriff's Primary Radio Up-Grade Budget Action Form (PDF)

CAO RECOMMENDATION

Requested Action Recommended


Rick Benson, County Administrative Officer

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Janet Bibby, District III Supervisor

SECONDER: Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor

AYES: Stetson, Jones, Bibby, Cann, Carrier

BUDGET ACTION FORM

FUND	DEPT/DIV	ACCOUNT	DESCRIPTION	PROJECT	INCREASE	DECREASE
001	0216-521	06-46	Telecommunication Up-Grade		\$55,147	
001	0216-521	04-43	Safety Equipment			\$55,147
				TOTAL	\$55,147	\$55,147

TRANSFER BETWEEN FUNDS							
					TOTALS	\$0	\$0

ACTION REQUESTED: (Check all that apply)

- Budget appropriation by Board of Supervisors (4/5ths Vote Required): Amending the total amount available in the county budget, or in any one fund of the budget, or appropriating Reserve for Contingencies;
- Transfer by Board of Supervisors (3/5ths Vote Required): Moving existing appropriations from one budget to another, or between categories within a budget unit;

JUSTIFICATION: _____

DEPT HEAD SIGNATURE  DATE 11/7/2013
 APPROVED BY RES NO. 17-499 CLERK Ben LaRocca DATE 11-12-13

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