

City of Coral Gables  
 CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
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**ITEM TITLE:**

**Resolution.** A Resolution accepting the recommendation of the Innovations & Technology Department to waive the competitive process to purchase Software Maintenance and Support from CentralSquare as a “Special Procurement/Bid Waiver,” pursuant to Section 2-691 of the procurement code.

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

The current 911 Public Safety ecosystem utilized by the City was originally purchased by the City from over 15 years ago and requires on-going maintenance and support to maintain the system. CentralSquare is the only authorized support and maintenance provider for this ecosystem, which is comprised of, software support & maintenance, and remote repair services.

To continue full functionality of all city’s 911 Public Safety systems Computer Aided Dispatch stations, Records Management Systems, and Mobile Computer Terminals for Police and Fire a renewal of the annual maintenance is required, it is recommended that the City continues its services, software and hardware support and maintenance with CentralSquare. This request is for an estimated annual amount of \$285,000 or an amount not to exceed the available budget on an ongoing basis as long as the current system is in place.

Under Section 2-691 of the Procurement Code, entitled “Special Procurement/Bid Waiver,” a special procurement may be initiated when an unusual or unique situation exists that makes the application of all requirements of competitive sealed bidding or competitive sealed proposal contrary to the public interest.

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION:**

No.	Amount	Account No.	Source of Funds
1.	\$285,000	001-3200-519-4100	General Fund-I.T. Operating
Total:	\$285,000		

This bid waiver is to continue full functionality of all city’s 911 systems, to include Computer Aided Dispatch stations, Records Management Systems, and Mobile Computer Terminals for Police and Fire users.

