



City of Coral Gables  
CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
COMMISSION MEETING DATE

**ITEM TITLE:**

**Resolution. A Resolution accepting the recommendation of the Innovations & Technology Department to approve the Master Service Agreement Piggyback Addendum which will piggyback the State of Florida Department of Management Services – Mobile Communication Services (Contract Number DMD-19/20-006C) contract.**

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

The Innovation & Technology (IT) Department has been using Verizon as its cellular carrier since 2008 for all city issued cellphones, and data services for mobile units including laptops, iPads, and hotspots.

To continue full functionality of all city employee mobile and cellular devices a contract piggybacking off the State contract Verizon is necessary. It is recommended that the city continues its service with Verizon through the acceptance of this contract for its contact period of five years. Our current yearly spending for Verizon totals \$360,000, to plan for future growth and necessities over the next five-year period \$400,000 a year covers all these needs. The services will include cellular coverage throughout the city, data plans for each city issued device, hardware replacements and new deployments, and technical support.

The Contract being piggybacked is the State of Florida Department of Management Services – Mobile Communication Services (Contract Number DMD-19/20-006C), effective August 24, 2023 through August 23, 2028 with five (5) one (1) year renewal options (the “Piggyback Agreement”). This has been used by other cities such as Delray beach for their wireless services.

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION:**

No.	Amount	Account No.	Source of Funds
1.	\$2,000,000	001-3200-519-4100	General Fund-I.T. Operating
Total:	\$2,000,000		

**Fiscal Impact:**

**There is not a Fiscal impact as this is a recurring renewal of services.**

**BUSINESS IMPACT:**

This contract is to maintain all citywide Verizon cellular services including voice and data. These services are used by staff from all departments, as well as data services for field staff (i.e. dev. Services inspectors, code enforcement officers, CCTV etc).