

**CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-XXX**

**A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A CITY-WIDE PUBLIC SAFETY VOICE ANNOUNCEMENT SYSTEM FOR DISPATCHING FIRE DEPARTMENT STAFF, VEHICLES AND APPARATUS WHEN RESPONDING TO EMERGENCY 911 EVENTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-689, SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT OF THE PROCUREMENT CODE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Coral Gables Fire Department is currently engaged in using the Locution Voice Announcement System since 2013; and

**WHEREAS**, the Locution Voice Announcement System supports the Fire Department CAD/Voice PA system for all Fire Stations in the dispatch of Fire and Rescue staff, vehicles, and apparatus when responding to emergency, 911 events; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Coral Gables desires to continue with the capability now provided for dispatching critical life-safety services; and

**WHEREAS**, Locution, Inc. is the sole-source provider of this voice announcement system and services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Procurement Officer has determined that Locution, Inc. is the sole source provider of the Locution products and services under Section 2-689 of the Procurement Code; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2-585 of the Procurement Code, entitled “Authority” authorizes the City Manager to delegate authority to the Chief Procurement Officer to administer and make recommendations on City contracts.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES:**

**SECTION 1.** The forgoing “Whereas” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution upon adoption herein.

**SECTION 2.** That the City Commission accepts the recommendation of the Chief Procurement Officer authorizing the purchase from Locution, Inc., for deployment of the

Locution product and service across all Fire stations in the City pursuant to Section 2-689, Sole Source Procurement, of the Procurement Code.

**SECTION 3.** That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2019

(Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_)  
(Passed 0/0 vote)

RAUL VALDEZ-FAULI  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
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CITY CLERK

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