

# CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

## RESOLUTION \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF CONTROL STATION EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE P25 RADIO SYSTEM FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT FROM COMMUNICATIONS INTERNATIONAL AS A “SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT,” PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-689 OF THE CITY’S PROCUREMENT CODE.**

**WHEREAS**, the P25 Radio System, which oversees all City radio equipment, requires control station radios with remote controllers to be purchased and installed throughout the new Police and Fire Headquarters building; and

**WHEREAS**, due to the desire to isolate potential lightning strikes from the rest of the building, these remote controllers will be connected via fiber optic cable; and

**WHEREAS**, the failure to utilize a L3Harris authorized service provider could result in equipment not fitting in the radio equipment room and being subjected to lightning strikes, causing a possible disruption to the City’s P25 radio network; and

**WHEREAS**, Communications International has the necessary specialized training and proprietary certifications required to provide this control station equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Police Department has selected Communications International based on its status as an authorized L3Harris partner, provider and seller of this proprietary equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the cost for the purchase of this equipment totals \$846,644; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2-689 of the Procurement Code, entitled “Sole Source Procurement” authorizes an award without competitive bids when there is only one source available to fulfill the needs of the City; and

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

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

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

**Section 2.** That the City Commission accepts the recommendation and authorizes the City Manager to purchase control station equipment within the P25 Radio System from Communications International in the amount of \$846,644, pursuant to Section 2-689 of the City's Procurement Code.

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

**PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWELFTH DAY OF MAY 2020.**

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

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MAYOR

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CITY CLERK

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