



**PURCHASING ITEM
FOR
COUNCIL AGENDA**

1. Agenda Item Number:

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2. Council Meeting Date:
September 15, 2016

TO: MAYOR AND COUNCIL

3. Date Prepared: August 19, 2016

THROUGH: CITY MANAGER

4. Requesting Department: Administrative Services

5. SUBJECT: Purchase of Servers and Network Storage Equipment

6. RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends City Council approve the utilization of the State of Arizona Contract No. ADSPO16-100284, with vCore, for the purchase of servers and network storage equipment, in the amount of \$603,316.

7. BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:

The City of Chandler Police Department originally began implementation of their Records Management System (RMS) and Computer Aided Dispatch System (CAD) in FY 10/11. The server and storage equipment has reached end of life and capacity and is due for replacement.

The City has standardized on EMC Storage technologies coupled with VMWare server and desktop virtualization in order to provide the most efficient and supportable solutions for City services. These technologies are used to support critical Citywide services including the Police Department's Versaterm CAD/RMS suite of products.

The recommended solution design is comparable to the current implementation with increases in performance and capacity to meet future needs while supporting today's requirements.

8. EVALUATION:

The State of Minnesota competitively solicited and awarded a contract for computer storage equipment and related peripherals and services on behalf of the National Association of State Procurement Officials (NASPO). The State of Arizona has adopted this contract. EMC no longer sells direct and has designated vCore as their authorized reseller. The City has a current Intergovernmental Agreement with the State of Arizona allowing for the cooperative use of the State's contracts.

Staff recommends cooperative use of this contract because it allows the City to take advantage of cumulative volume discounts as well as additional promotional pricing offers. The term of the State's contract is July 1, 2015, through March 31, 2017, with the option of up to three one-year extensions.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

Cost: \$603,316

Savings: N/A

Long Term Costs: N/A

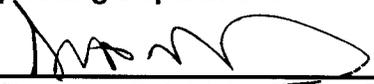
<u>Acct. No.:</u>	<u>Fund:</u>	<u>Program Name:</u>	<u>CIP Funded:</u>	<u>Funds:</u>
403.1290.6315.000000	Technology Replacement	No Program	No	\$ 603,316

10. PROPOSED MOTION: Move City Council approve the utilization of the State of Arizona Contract No. ADSPO16-100284, with vCore, for the purchase of servers and network storage equipment, in the amount of \$603,316.

ATTACHMENTS: None.

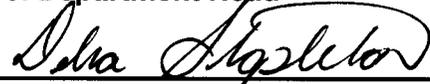
APPROVALS

11. Requesting Department



Steven Philbrick, Chief Information Officer

13. Department Head



Debra Stapleton, Administrative Services Director

12. Procurement Officer



Carolee Stees, CPPB

14. City Manager



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