



CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

FROM: The Office of the City Manager **DATE:** November 14, 2022
SUBJECT: Authorize a one-year renewal of the Services and Purchasing Agreement with Axon Enterprise, Inc. for body-worn and fleet-mounted camera systems, to include data storage and related support services, using BuyBoard Cooperative Purchasing Contract No. 648-21, in the amount of \$145,944.00 for the current fiscal year.
PRESENTER: Jimmy Perdue, Director of Public Safety

SUMMARY:

This item is to authorize a one-year renewal of the Services and Purchasing Agreement with Axon Enterprise, Inc. (Axon), for the purchase of software/hardware maintenance, licensing, and data storage for body-worn and fleet-mounted camera systems provided by Axon.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The Police Department currently utilizes fleet-mounted cameras and body-worn camera systems to record police activity and interactions with the community. These systems are necessary to support compliance with state laws as well as to enhance public trust, transparency, accountability, training, and criminal investigations and prosecution.

We have contracted with Axon Enterprise, Inc. for these services since December of 2017. Our existing service agreement will expire at the end of the five-year term. The existing agreement authorizes up to five one-year extensions. This purchase will extend the term by 12 months to ensure that the Police Department has continued access to these services while allowing staff sufficient time to conduct a comprehensive study of available camera solutions and identify the most appropriate vendor for a long-term contract for services.

This expense item is included in the budget as part of the annual encumbrance roll for FY21-22, which is for items that were approved by the City Council in the prior year, but due to timing, will be received and paid for in the current fiscal year. This purchase will be made using the BuyBoard cooperative agreement. Use of the cooperative agreement satisfies any state law requirements for competitive bidding of the products or services.



RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize a one-year renewal of the Services and Purchasing Agreement with Axon Enterprise, Inc., for body-worn and fleet-mounted camera systems, to include data storage and related support services, using BuyBoard Cooperative Purchasing Contract No. 648-21, in the amount of \$145,944.00 for the current fiscal year.