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RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION WAIVING FORMAL BIDDING REQUIREMENTS AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO GENESIS DATACOM, A SOLE SOURCE VENDOR, FOR THE PURCHASE OF CAMERA ENCLOSURES FOR THE CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Ark. Code Ann. § 14-58-303 requires City purchases exceeding the amount of $35,000 to follow statutory procedures of local advertisement and opening of sealed bids which may only be waived in exceptional situations where bidding is deemed not feasible or practical; and

WHEREAS, the City of North Little Rock ("the City") is in need of seventeen (17) cameras with enclosures to be placed in Burns Park and City community centers; and

WHEREAS, the cameras must be compatible with QOGNIFY software, the video surveillance system used by the City; and

WHEREAS, Genesis Datacom, 13008 Lawson Road, Little Rock, AR 72210, is a sole source vendor that is a QOGNIFY approved vendor and able to properly configure the cameras; and

WHEREAS, the cost of the cameras is Sixty Five Thousand Two Hundred One and 70/100 Dollars ($65,251.70).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: That formal bidding is hereby waived in connection with the purchase of seventeen (17) cameras from Genesis Datacom for a total amount of Sixty Five Thousand Two Hundred One and 70/100 Dollars ($65,251.70).

SECTION 2: That the cost of the cameras shall be paid form the 2021 Parks and Recreation Department Budget.

SECTION 3: That the provisions of this Resolution are hereby declared to be severable, and if any section, phrase or provision shall be declared or held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remainder of the sections, phrases or provisions.

SECTION 4: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED:

APPROVED:

Mayor Terry C. Hartwick

SPONSOR:

ATTEST:

TERRY C. HARTWICK
Mayor Terry C. Hartwick By: AF

Diane Whitbey, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Amy Beckman Fields, City Attorney

PREPARED BY THE OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY/kt

FILED 10:48 A.M. _____ P.M.
By Amy Fields, City Atty
DATE 12/7/21

Diane Whitbey, City Clerk and Collector
North Little Rock, Arkansas

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