

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
SEPTEMBER 17, 2019, AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
<p>A resolution authorizing the sole-source purchase of 175 APX 6000 and 150 APX 6000 XE Portable Radios for the Little Rock Police Department & Little Rock Fire Department.</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Little Rock Police Department & Little Rock Fire Department</p>	<p>√ Ordinance Resolution</p>	<p>Bruce T. Moore City Manager</p>
SYNOPSIS	<p>The Little Rock Police Department and the Little Rock Fire Department are requesting approval of a sole-source designation through Motorola for the purchase of 175 APX 6000 Portable Radios for the Police Department and 150 APX 6000 XE Portable Radios for the Fire Department.</p>	
FISCAL IMPACT	<p>An amount not to exceed \$1,464,470.00, plus applicable taxes. Funding is available through a short-term note, Activity No. F449002.</p>	
RECOMMENDATION	<p>Approval of the ordinance.</p>	
BACKGROUND	<p>The Little Rock Police Department (LRPD) and Little Rock Fire Department (LRFD) currently utilize Motorola Portable Radios, and the City's existing Service Agreement with Motorola will cover the new radios. The APX 6000 and 6000 XE Radios will replace older XTS 5000 Model Radios that were no longer serviceable by Motorola beginning December 31, 2018.</p>	

LRPD currently has 548 XTS 5000 Model Radios and after this purchase, 373 XTS 5000 Radios will need replacement. LRFD currently uses the XTS 5000 Portable Radios and the Astero Motorola Radios and after this purchase, they will still need to purchase fifty-three (53) APX 6500 Mobiles, forty-nine (49) APX 6000 XE portables and seventeen (17) APX 8000 XE Portables.