

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

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION  
APRIL 2, 2024 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Action Required:</b>	<b>Approved By:</b>
<p>A resolution to authorize a contract with Utility Associates, Inc., for Continued Remote Configuration Management AVaiLWeb and Hardware Warranty &amp; Software Support for the Little Rock Police Department Rocket Modems.</p> <p><b>Submitted By:</b></p> <p>Little Rock Police Department</p>	<p>Ordinance √ <b>Resolution</b></p>	<p>Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>

<b>SYNOPSIS</b>	A resolution to authorize the City Manager to renew the contract with Utility Associates, Inc., for Continued Remote Configuration Management AVaiLWeb and Hardware Warranty & Software Support for the Little Rock Police Department Rocket Modems.
<b>FISCAL IMPACT</b>	The renewal cost for the remote configuration is \$13,182.00, and the renewal cost for the Polaris SaaS, Warranty, Technical Support, and Training for Rocket Remote Configuration is \$49,818.00, for the total cost of \$63,000.00, plus applicable taxes and fees. Funds for the purchase are allocated in the Little Rock Police Department Other Contracts, Account No. 105255-63390.
<b>RECOMMENDATION</b>	Approval of the resolution.
<b>BACKGROUND</b>	The renewal of Contract No. 1529 for Rocket Modems will provide continued support to the Little Rock Police Department (LRPD) Rocket Modems, which provide Internet connectivity to Police Patrol Vehicles, support the wireless transfer of video from Body-Worn Cameras and In-Car Camera System and provide GPS to CAD.

**BACKGROUND**  
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The Rocket modems have proven to be a reliable piece of equipment and have been in operation with LRPD for a number of years.