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

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
#### JANUARY 2, 2018 AGENDA

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<td>Request for a sole-source designation for the purchase of one (1) Bomb/EOD Hand-Entry Course for use by the Little Rock Fire Department Bomb Squad and other Arkansas Bomb Technicians from Tactical Electronics</td>
<td>✓ <strong>Ordinance</strong>&lt;br&gt;Resolution&lt;br&gt;Approval&lt;br&gt;Information Report</td>
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**Submitted By:**

Emergency Management Division

### SYNOPSIS
The Little Rock City Manager’s Office/Emergency Management Division is requesting approval to award a Sole-Source Purchase Order to Tactical Electronics for the purchase of one (1) Bomb/EOD Hand-Entry Instruction Course for use by the Little Rock Fire Department Bomb Squad and other Arkansas State Bomb Technicians.

### FISCAL IMPACT
The cost to purchase this device is $44,904.00, and will be paid from Account No. G030340; however, 100% of the funding is provided through the State Homeland Security Grant Program with no fiscal impact on the City of Little Rock.

### RECOMMENDATION
Approval of the ordinance.

### BACKGROUND
Tactical Electronics is, based on historical purchases and the technical nature of this course, the Sole-Source Vendor for this training. Tactical Electronics performed this course approximately two (2) years ago for the State of Arkansas, and was awarded a Sole-Source Contract for this training.
Tactical Electronics is the identified and preferred vendor by the Federal Bureau of Investigations, who oversees and accredits all Bomb Technicians in the State of Arkansas.