

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

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
MAY 20, 2014 AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
<p>An ordinance authorizing the City Manager to enter into a contract with Remotec in the amount of \$61,333.00 for the purchase of one (1) upgrade to existing F6A bomb robot for use by the Little Rock Fire Department Bomb Squad.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">√ Ordinance Resolution Approval Information Report</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Bruce T. Moore City Manager</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">SYNOPSIS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FISCAL IMPACT</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RECOMMENDATION</p> <p style="text-align: center;">CITIZEN PARTICIPATION</p> <p style="text-align: center;">BACKGROUND</p>	<p>The Little Rock City Manager’s Office/Emergency Management Division is committed to improving explosive ordinance disposal operations throughout the City. In order to accomplish this goal, the proposal is to purchase one (1) upgrade to F6A Bomb Robot for use by the Little Rock Fire Department Bomb Squad. This upgrade is to an already existing bomb robot in the Fire Department Bomb Squad inventory, and therefore a sole-source purchase.</p> <p>100% of the funding is provided through the State Homeland Security Grant Program with no fiscal impact on the City of Little Rock.</p> <p>Approval of the ordinance.</p> <p>N/A</p> <p>Since September 11, 2001, the City has become eligible for several emergency service equipment grants. These purchases are eligible items from those grants.</p>	