

City of Grand Island

Tuesday, March 14, 2023 Council Session

Item G-12

#2023-66 - Approving Purchase of Police Laptops and Docking Stations

Staff Contact: Kevin Denney

Council Agenda Memo

From: Chief Kevin Denney, Police Department

Meeting: March 14, 2023

Subject: Approving Purchase of Police Laptops and Docking

Stations

Presenter(s): Chief Kevin Denney, Police Department

Background

The Police Department has budget authority and grant funds for the purchase of new laptop computers, for our Patrol fleet, on our regular rotation. The Department is recommending the purchase of ten (10) Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops, unit cost of \$2,987.04, and (10) Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations, unit cost \$681.43, for a total cost of \$36,684.70. This purchase is being made under the State of Nebraska contract number 14252 OC with Dell Technologies.

Discussion

The Police Department has budget authority and grant funds for the purchase of new laptop computers and docking stations for the Patrol Division fleet on our regular rotation. The Police Department and City I.T. Department have determined the best and most cost effective equipment configuration for the cars to be the Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops and the Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations. The Department currently has similar Dell laptops in the patrol vehicles.

The Department is requesting the purchase of ten (10) Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops and ten (10) Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations, for a total cost of \$36,684.70. These ten laptops and docking stations will replace worn out and out of warranty laptops that are currently in the fleet. Cost breakdown for this purchase will consist of \$21,703.00 from our Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) and \$14,981.70 out of our Miscellaneous Operations Police Department line item.

Alternatives

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

- 1. Move to approve
- 2. Refer the issue to a Committee
- 3. Postpone the issue to future date
- 4. Take no action on the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the purchase of ten (10) Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops and ten (10) Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations, for the Police Department Patrol fleet, for a total cost of \$36,684.70. The purchase is being made under the State of Nebraska contract number 14252 OC.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the purchase of ten (10) Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops and ten (10) Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations for the Police Department Patrol fleet for a total cost of \$36,684.70. The purchase is being made under the State of Nebraska contract number 14252 OC with Dell Technologies.

RESOLUTION 2023-66

WHEREAS, the Police Department budgeted for and has grant funding, for the purchase of new laptop computers and docking stations for the Patrol Division vehicle fleet; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department has determined that the Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops and Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations, both purchased through Dell Technologies, are the products that best meet the Department's needs; and

WHEREAS, the State of Nebraska has a contract, 14252 OC, for the purchase of the Dell laptops; and

WHEREAS, the cost of ten (10) Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops and ten (10) Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations, both purchased through Dell Technologies, is \$36,684.70, which is within the estimated amount budgeted and grant fund availability.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, approve the purchase of ten (10) Dell Latitude 5430 Rugged laptops and ten (10) Havis DS-Dell-422 docking stations, both purchased through Dell Technologies, at a price of \$36,684.70.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, March 14, 2023.

	Roger G. Steele, Mayor	
Attest:		
Jill Granere, Deputy City Clerk		

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