

City of Sequim, Washington

Resolution No. R-2007-12

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF SEQUIM, WASHINGTON AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF POLICE VEHICLE EQUIPMENT FROM SYSTEMS FOR PUBLIC SAFETY.

The City Council of the City of Sequim, Washington, does hereby resolve as follows:

WHEREAS, the City has a fleet of police vehicles; and

WHEREAS; the City requires consistency in the police vehicle equipment and installation of the equipment to facilitate the use and functioning of equipment by different officers; and

WHEREAS, it is critical for the City of Sequim to have proper equipment and installation to perform police functions; and

WHEREAS, many city, county and state agencies currently utilize Systems for Public Safety because of the quality and timeliness of their service; and

WHEREAS, Systems for Public Safety specializes in police equipment and offers a package service of both providing and installing the desired equipment; there are other suppliers who sell some of the equipment but do not install, and others who have only a few pieces of equipment that they can supply and install; using Systems for Public Safety is more efficient, timely and accurate because the supplier is responsible for ordering the equipment that meets the Police Department specifications and ensuring it is the correct model that can be properly installed in the Police vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the specialized supplier and installer of the desired police vehicle equipment is clearly and legitimately limited to a single source of supply within the local area, this becomes subject to waiving competitive bidding requirements per RCW 35.23.352(9) competitive bidding exemptions and RCW 39.04.280 (1)(a) sole source and RCW 39.04.280 (1)(b) special market conditions; and

WHEREAS, the System for Public Safety meets the needs and is best suited for the City of Sequim; and


NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEQUIM, WASHINGTON:

1. That the City of Sequim Police Department purchase police vehicle equipment and installation services from Systems for Public Safety.

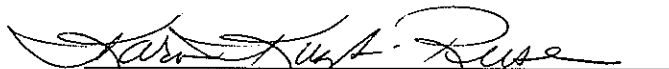
2. The above-described circumstance is justification for the waiver of bidding requirements under the authority of RCW 35.23.352(9) and pursuant to sole source provider RCW 39.04.280 (1)(a) and special market conditions RCW 39.04.280 (1)(b); and

The bidding requirement is hereby waived for the purchase of police vehicle equipment and installation from Systems for Public Safety under the authority of RCW 35.23.352(9), and RCW39.04.280(1)(a) and (b).

Adopted by the City Council this 24 day of July, 2007.


Walter E. Schubert, Mayor

ATTEST:


Karen Kuznek-Reese, CMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Craig Richie, City Attorney