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ISSUE STATEMENT

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Issue

Purchase laptop computers and docking stations to be installed in the squad cars

Background

- NHPD has laptop computers, commonly referred to as MDCs (Mobile Data Computers) and docking stations in each squad.
- Two (2) of the current MDCs are running Windows 7, which will be obsolete in January 2020 when Microsoft stops supporting the operating system.
- St. Croix County IT has advised all agencies that computers running Windows 7 will not be allowed to connect to their servers effective 1/1/2020.

Present Information

- There is a projected surplus in the police department 2019 budget due to the long term staffing shortage, so funds are available to purchase the replacement computers and docking stations in 2019.
- A quote was received from the MDC supplier used by NHPD for two (2) Panasonic Toughbook FZ-55 laptops and two (2) Gamber Johnson CF-54 docking stations for for \$5,772.00.
- The order can be placed on 12/4/2019, if approved, and payment for the order will be made in 2019.
- The installation of the docking station will be conducted by EAT, Inc. for approximately \$135.00 each.
- The Public Safety Committee recommended the motion to purchase the MDCs and docking stations at their November 2019 meeting.

Recommendation

Authorize the purchase of two (2) Panasonic FZ-55 laptops and two (2) Gamber Johnson CF-54 docking stations from Baycom with installation by EAT, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$6100.00 from the 2019 police department budget.

Suggested Motion

I move to authorize the purchase of two (2) Panasonic FZ-55 laptops and two (2) Gamber Johnson CF-54 docking stations from Baycom with installation by EAT, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$6100.00 from the 2019 police department budget.