



Judiciary & Public Safety Committee

Committee Meeting

60 Central Ave.
Cortland, NY 13045
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Thursday, September 7, 2023

9:45 AM

Room 302

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CALL TO ORDER

Attendee Name	Present	Absent	Late	Arrived
Committee Member Christopher Newell	☐	☐	☐	
Committee Member Douglas Bentley	☐	☐	☐	
Committee Chair Kelly L. Fairchild-Preston	☐	☐	☐	
Committee Member Cathy Bischoff	☐	☐	☐	
Committee Member Susan Wilson	☐	☐	☐	
Committee Vice Chair Joseph Nauseef	☐	☐	☐	
Committee Member Eugene Waldbauer	☐	☐	☐	

MINUTES

1. Judiciary & Public Safety Committee - Committee Meeting - Aug 10, 2023 8:45 AM

RESOLUTIONS

ON MOTION OF FAIRCHILD-PRESTON

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1

Authorize Agreement with Motorola - Edge Availability Department of Emergency Response and Communications

WHEREAS, Cortland County's Department of Emergency Response and Communications was awarded a grant from New York State Department of Homeland Security in the amount of \$5,000,000 in support of improvements to the County's radio system, AND

WHEREAS, the County has received a proposal from Motorola, Incorporated to upgrade the County's radio system to include Edge Availability that will run the County's radio system in the event of a network or system core failure, in the amount of \$254,713. This expense is in support of the grant award, NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the County Administrator, upon approval of the County Attorney or designee, is authorized to execute a contract with Motorola, Incorporated for Edge Availability upgrade to the County's radio system in the amount of \$254,713.

Authorize Agreement - Preventative Maintenance - Motorola Solutions - Department of Emergency Response

WHEREAS, Cortland County's existing 911 radio system, which is the primary component for handling emergency service calls, is in need of preventative maintenance and upgrading to allow for improved communications and interoperability between field providers and county 911 centers, AND

WHEREAS it is in the best interests of the County to maintain its radio system and infrastructure in a constant state of readiness and high availability, AND

WHEREAS, Motorola is the sole source vendor to be able to provide this upgrade based on the awarded RFP by Cortland County in 2011, AND

WHEREAS, Motorola has been providing preventative maintenance on the County's radio system since 2018 under resolution 248-18, AND

WHEREAS, Motorola as agreed to keep the expenses related to this project to a fixed cost for the duration of the contract as long as funding is approved from the Department of Homeland Security, AND

WHEREAS, the cost of this project is \$673,783 for 2024 with options to renew for the years 2025-2028, grant funding dependent, AND

WHEREAS, should funding not be approved by the Department of Homeland Security the contract between Motorola and the County will have an opt out clause at any point of the contract without penalty, AND

WHEREAS, funds previously allocated under the grant award to Cortland County's Department of Emergency Response & Communications, resolution from the New York State Department of Homeland Security Office of Interoperable Emergency Communications, in the amount of \$5,000,000 allow for this expense and the net county cost is zero, NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the County Administrator, upon review and approval by the County Attorney or her designee and subject to appropriation of funding, be and hereby is authorized to sign the upgrade and preventative maintenance contract with Motorola at an amount not to exceed \$673,783 per year for the years of 2024-2028.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Proposed Local Law No. "G" for the Year 2023 - a Local Law Creating an Exception to the Residency Requirements for Public Defender of Cortland County, Chief Assistant Public Defender of Cortland County, and Assigned Counsel Plan Administrator of Cortland County

MONTHLY REPORTS

1. September 2023 Report - Department of Emergency Response and Communication
2. Monthly Coroner Report
3. Public Defender Monthly Report August 2023

ADJOURNMENT