

# **AGREEMENT WITH EPLUS FOR A NEW STORAGE AREA NETWORK (SAN)**

City Council Staff Report  
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# Microsoft Enterprise Agreement

The City stores all network data files on a Storage Area Network (SAN). The City's current SAN is over 8 yrs old and at its end of life. The current system cannot be upgraded to include more storage without significant costs, and maintenance is no longer available for some of the older hard drives. It has become critical to purchase a new system in order to protect and maintain the City's data.

# Recommendation

- It is recommended by the Information Technology Department that the Council, by Resolution, approve a 3-year Professional Services Agreement with ePlus Technology, Inc., Herndon, VA, for the replacement of its Storage Area Network (SAN), and associated ongoing maintenance, in the total amount not to exceed \$256,936.93.

Questions?