



# APPROVAL OF COOPERATIVE PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR MOTOROLA PORTABLE RADIOS

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# CURRENT

- The Santa Rosa Fire Department (SRFD) has a need to upgrade the existing portable radios to be in compliance with Federal and State communication standards.
- This request is consistent with Council Goals 2A and 6.

# PROPOSED

- The SRFD requests to purchase Motorola portable radios through the H-GAC Cooperative Agreement No. RA05-15 with Motorola Solutions, Inc.
- The City of Santa Rosa has an Interlocal Agreement 10-2428 with H-GAC to utilize cooperative purchases through H-GAC, which requires approval by Council.

# PROPOSED (Continued)

- The H-GAC Cooperative Agreement No. RA05-15 between H-GAC and Motorola Solutions, Inc. includes non-standard terms and conditions.
- The limitation of liability and limited warranty language was reviewed and approved by the Risk Management Department.

# PROPOSED (Continued)

- SRFD and Finance request approval to utilize the H-GAC Agreement No. RA05-15 and the Purchasing Agent's issuance of a Purchase Order with the Agreement No. RA05-15 terms and conditions attached.

# BENEFIT

- Santa Rosa City Code Section 3-08.160 allows for cooperative purchases when advantageous to the City.
- Utilizing a cooperative purchase agreement is an expedited procurement process, volume purchasing discounts, on-duty professional staff assistance, research and development of technical specifications, and contract management provided by the lead Agency (H-GAC).

# BENEFIT (Continued)

- The Motorola APX series radios are equipped with an expansive channel capacity and enhanced user safety features.
- A feature integrate “in mask” radio communication between the radio and self contained breathing apparatus.
- The current SRFD radio communications infrastructure is Motorola portable radios.

# RECOMMENDATION

- It is recommended by the Finance and Fire Departments that the Council, by resolution, 1) authorize the H-GAC Interlocal Contract 10-2428, 2) utilization of H-GAC cooperative agreement No. RA05-15, and 3) issuance of a Purchase Order for Motorola portable radios with Motorola Solutions, Inc. of Farmers Branch, Texas, in an amount not to exceed \$225,000.



QUESTIONS?