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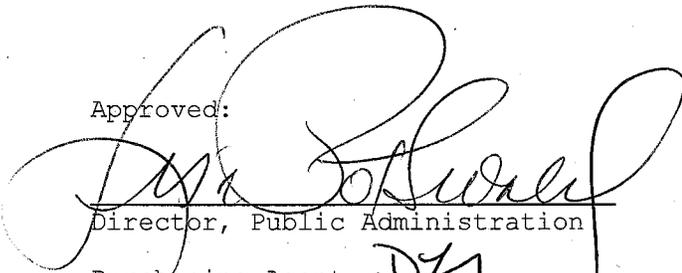
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RESOLUTION AWARDING A CONTRACT TO DSC COMMUNICATIONS, INC., FOR THE PURCHASE AND DELIVERY OF 88 MOBILE RADIOS, SOFTWARE AND RELATED EQUIPMENT, A CITY-WIDE DIGITAL UPGRADE, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$53,374.11.

CITY PROPOSAL:

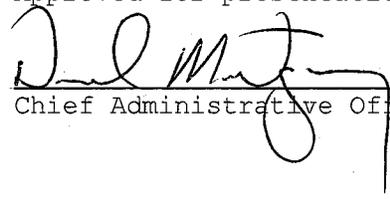
RESOLVED, that the proper city officials are hereby authorized to contract with DSC Communications, Inc., for the purchase and delivery of 88 NX-700 HK (50-watt) mobile radios (dash mount), software, and related equipment in accordance with city-approved specifications and the vendor's low bid of \$47,802.13 plus \$2,138.56 in options plus \$3,433.42 sales tax for a combined total amount of \$53,374.11, terms net 10, FOB destination, payable from various funds, depts./agencies, organizations, and objects.

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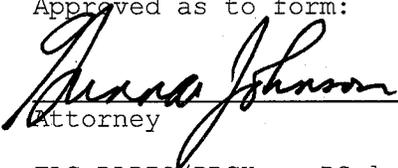

Director, Public Administration

Purchasing Agent DKS

Approved for presentation to council:


Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:


Attorney

Approved:


Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution authorizes the purchase and delivery of 88 mobile radios, software, and related equipment from DSC Communications, Inc., fo a total amount of \$53,374.11, payable from various funds.

This purchase is in response to a mandate from the FCC (Federal Communications Commission) to have all radios narrow band capable by year 2012. These are the radios in all city vehicles and equipment at various locations, including public works and utilities, streets, parks and recreation, traffic, and buildings and grounds. If the city does not update its radios as of December 31, 2012, then

they will not work because they are not narrow band compatible.

The purchasing division posted a request for bids March 18, 2011, on the city's website, and received two complete bids by the closing date.

MOBILE RADIO UPGRADES - DIGITAL BID NO. 11-0107 Opened April 5, 2011		
Vendor	City/State	Base Bid
DSC Communications, Inc.	Superior, Wisconsin	\$47,802.13
Arrowhead Radio & Security, Inc.	Duluth, Minnesota	\$49,528.00

Requisition No. 11-0107