


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	21-554	Meeting:	December 20, 2021
	Agenda Item:	64A	Roll Call:	21-1950
	Submitted by:	Anna W. Whipple, CIO, Information Technology Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approval of purchase of Hewlett-Packard (HP) DL380 server hardware from OneNeck IT Solutions (Terry Swanson, President and CEO, 11191 Aurora Avenue, Urbandale, IA 50323) per the State of Iowa Contract No. 16054C, which is competitively bid.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the purchase of Hewlett-Packard (HP) DL380 server hardware from OneNeck IT Solutions per the State of Iowa Contract No. 16054C, which is competitively bid. This purchase will allow for server growth to fully support the network environment.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$116,612.66

Funding Source: CIP FY2020-2021/FY2025-2026, MS001, C051IT99, Miscellaneous Improvements Enhanced Information and Communication Systems, Page 33.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- This budgeted purchase allows the Information Technology Department to expand its capacity to maintain its resiliency levels to ensure that the appropriate virtualization resources are available during the event of a VMware host failure. The resource capacity of the VMware hosts was expended to accommodate the growth of virtual servers utilized to support City department technology application needs.
- This additional equipment will provide the necessary capacity for future server virtualization growth.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: December 17, 2018

Roll Call Number: [18-2092](#)

Action: Purchases from the following:

- (A) [OneNeck](#) IT Solutions (Terry Swanson, President/CEO) for seven Hewlett Packard servers that will support current software technologies and provide additional capacity for growth per State of Iowa Contract for use by the IT Department, \$190,987.37. ([Council Communication No. 18-658](#)) Moved by Boesen to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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