


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	22-304	Meeting:	June 27, 2022
	Agenda Item:	45C	Roll Call:	22-1024
	Submitted by:	Nickolas Schaul, Finance Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving the purchase of vehicle telematics for use in City vehicles in various departments.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend the purchase of vehicle telematics for use by various departments utilizing Sourcewell contract number 020221 from Verizon Connect NWF Inc. (9868 Scranton Road, San Diego, CA 92121), in the amount of \$75,000.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$75,000

Funding Source: Fiscal Year 2023 Operating Budget, Fleet Service Maintenance, I010 FN024020, Equipment Maintenance Center Fund, page 76.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- Vehicle telematics have been utilized on a limited number of vehicles in the Department of Public Works, Parks and Recreation Department, and Facilities Division of the City Manager's office for the last two (2) years. Based on initial and ongoing benefits of monitoring vehicle engine performance, fuel consumption, vehicle location, and driver and operator behavior the implementation will be expanded under this recommended purchasing authority. A total of approximately 250 City vehicles will be upfitted with the latest Verizon technology at full implementation. Departmental users have access to all data collected by the technology to make informed operational decisions. Fleet Services staff can monitor identified vehicles engine performance in real time and remotely, to better predict and plan maintenance and necessary repairs before they cause downtime.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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