

MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Jerod Anderson, Director of Enterprise Solutions

Date: April 12, 2022

Reference: Consider approval to purchase mobile routers from CDW-G TIPS contract # 200105

in the amount of \$65,452.17 as budgeted and authorizing the City Manager to

execute all necessary documents.

Introduction:

The City of Coppell has been transitioning from built-in cellular to Mobile Routers in all Public Safety apparatus. With the current Fire apparatus of PC's being replaced, we are moving to a mobile router to provide more capabilities and redundancy through multiple cellular carriers.

Analysis:

The City of Coppell currently uses the same mobile routers in all the Police Department vehicles and are now needing to outfit the Fire Department fleet to maintain consistency across the organization and provide a standard hardware solution. This allows the City of Coppell to have one vendor for supporting the hardware, firmware, drivers, software, etc. This proposal is to outfit all 21 Fire Apparatus vehicles with mobile routers along with new improved panorama antenna's, VPN licenses, maintenance and support. TIPS is The Interlocal Purchasing System and as a member allows the City to purchase from pre- awarded agreements which meets the bid requirements.

Legal Review:

Agenda item was reviewed by City Attorney.

Fiscal Impact:

The purchase is \$65,452.17

Recommendation:

The Enterprise Solutions Department recommends approval.