

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
DECEMBER 17, 2024 AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
<p>A resolution to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with ProMas LLC, for the purchase of ProMas Firewall Hardware for the Information Technology Department.</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Information Technology Department</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ordinance √ Resolution</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">SYNOPSIS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">FISCAL IMPACT</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RECOMMENDATION</p> <p style="text-align: center;">BACKGROUND</p>	<p>A resolution to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with ProMas LLC, for the purchase of ProMas Firewall Hardware for the Information Technology Department.</p> <p>The total amount is not to exceed \$169,061.78, plus applicable taxes and fees. The funding will come from ARPA IT Upgrades to Cybersecurity and IT Infrastructure 271309 G0601AR30B 72200 and use TIPs Contract # 230105.</p> <p>Approval of the resolution.</p> <p>Resolution 12,518 (August 3, 2021) states intent to spend American Rescue Plan Act Funds on Critical Information Technology Upgrades to Cybersecurity and IT infrastructure across City Departments.</p> <p>The existing ones will end of life (EOL) in 2025, at which point upgrades to the latest versions of software/hot fixes and the hardware will not be supported.</p>	