

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

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
JULY 16, 2024 AGENDA**

<p>Subject:</p> <p>Authorization of a contract with Presidio Networked Solutions, LLC, to provide Network Security Support.</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Information Technology Department</p>	<p>Action Required:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ordinance √ Resolution</p>	<p>Approved By:</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 Presidio Networked Solutions, LLC, for the purchase of a twelve (12)-month subscription for the Cisco Talos Incident Response Subscription.</p> <p>The total cost is not to exceed \$94,634.10, and funds are available from American Rescue Plan Act Funds, Account No. 271309-G0601AR30B.</p> <p>Approval of the resolution.</p> <p>Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 15,518 (August 3, 2021) stated the intent to spend American Rescue Plan Act funds on Critical Information Technology Upgrades to Cybersecurity and IT Infrastructure across City Departments.</p> <p>The Cisco Talos Incident Response provides network security support to quickly respond to a threat, contain it, remediate it and to help identify the source of the attack to prevent future attacks. In addition, Cisco Talos offers additional services, such as an Incident Response Plan, Incident Response Assessment, Tabletop Exercises, Cyber Range Training, etc., that are included with the City’s subscription that are valuable.</p>	

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Vendor selection of Presidio Networked Solutions, LLC, was made utilizing the Arkansas NASPO ValuePoint Cisco AR3227, Contract No. AR No. SP-20-0051 4600048977; and,