OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
JUNE 16, 2026 AGENDA

Subject:	**Action Required:**	**Approved By:**
Verizon Wireless Cellular Service & Device Purchase Agreement **Submitted By:** Information Technology Department	Ordinance √ **Resolution**	Delphone Hubbard City Manager

SYNOPSIS	A resolution to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with Verizon Wireless for cellular telecommunication services and the purchase of additional cellular devices such as phones and tablets for use by City departmental staff during the course of City business, for a term of up to 3 years.
FISCAL IMPACT	The amount is not to exceed $767, 140.00, plus applicable taxes and fees. The funding for this agreement will be consolidated from various departmental accounts.
RECOMMENDATION	Adopt the Resolution.
BACKGROUND	Verizon Wireless, the City's current cellular service provider has consistently provided first-tier service at competitive pricing for servicing 1,821 telecommunication lines utilized by City Departmental staff . In order to secure reliable cellular telecommunication service and incentivized device pricing as a result of the City's long-term customer relationship with Verizon, the City's Information Technology Departments wishes to enter in 3-year contract to continue services with Verizon which will maximize savings by permanently removing zero-usage lines, realigning data profiles across departments to eliminate $185,222.52 in annualized waste to allow service centralization and device management. Selection of Verizon to continue providing cellular telecommunication services to the City was made utilizing Arkansas Contract No. 4600045706 via state Participating Addendum SP-20-0035. This partnership will result in the initial bill incentive credits during year one, along with estimated annual savings of approximately $96,446.60 during years two and three of the agreement.