



VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAYNE

Village Council

MEMORANDUM

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Village Manager

Andrea M. Agha

DATE: December 10, 2019

TO: Honorable Mayor and Village Councilmembers

FROM: Andrea Agha, Village Manager 

RE: Authorization utilize contract 46151504-NASPO-17ACS for the purchase of forty (40), Black Point Full Cut Helmets

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Village Council authorize the Village Manager, pursuant to Section 2-86 of the Village Code, to utilize contract 46151504-NASPO-17ACS between Point Blank Enterprises, Inc. and the State of Colorado for the purchase of forty (40) Black Point Full Cut Helmets from Federal Eastern International, LLC, an authorized reseller, in an amount not to exceed \$13,350.00. Funds for this purchase are allocated from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund, which are restricted for use on certain public safety expenditures.

BACKGROUND

In the wake of the tragedy that took place at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School, the 2018 Florida Legislature passed, and the Governor signed, SB 7026, the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Act. This legislation outlines significant reforms to make Florida schools safer, while keeping firearms out of the hands of mentally ill and dangerous individuals.

The Key Biscayne Police Department ("Police Department") has already taken action by mandating all of our police officers to go through extensive scenario-based training that simulates a rapid response approach to active shooter scenarios. Much of the training is focused on overriding the traditional "wait-for-backup" conditioning with solo operations, specifically within the context of active shooter scenarios where every second counts. Below are a few of the specific focuses of the training:

1. Perform specifically designated solo officer active shooter drills for repetition.
2. Practice moving rapidly to the sound of the gun fire.
3. Perform force on force solo officer active shooter scenarios.
4. Specifically address the possibility that officers might become involved in an active shooter situation off-duty.

It is essential that our officers are properly equipped to respond to an active shooter event, because as the first officer arrives the situation is actively occurring, and time is of the essence. At a minimum, to properly protect the officer and provide adequate firepower to suppress an active shooter, officers should be equipped with a tactical ballistic vest, tactical ballistic helmet, SBR



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rifle, duty firearm with holster, extra magazines, handcuffs and flex-cuffs. The faster the first responding officer can engage the threat, the sooner the situation can be resolved while minimizing the threat to human life.

Last fiscal year, the Police Department started the process of outfitting its officers with the necessary response equipment. The Village Council approved the purchase of several ballistic armor vests at the March 19, 2019 regular meeting. At the time, the Police Department performed an analysis of at least three competitively bid contracts that were potential piggyback options. The Police Department determined that contract #46151504-NASPO-17ACS, between Point Blank Enterprises, Inc. and the State of Colorado presented the best value to the Village and effectuated the purchase through Federal Eastern International, LLC (“FEI”), Point Blank’s authorized reseller.

As the ballistic helmets are companion items to the ballistic vests, the Police Department recommends obtaining the equipment from the same vendor for warranty and maintenance purposes. It is recommended the Village utilize the same contract for this purchase to obtain the same beneficial discount that was obtained for the ballistic vests.

The Police Department reached out and obtained pricing for (40) forty, Black Point Full Cut Helmets with Eastern Federal International under the NASPO contract #46151504-NASPO-17ACS, for the total amount of \$13,350.00. FEI was vetted to be the best and most practical sourcing option based on the quality of product, PTH-III A specifications, offered warranty, ease of maintenance, cost and vendor accessibility.

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-_____

A CAPITAL PROJECT AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAYNE, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF BALLISTIC HELMETS FROM FEDERAL EASTERN INTERNATIONAL, LLC; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 3.07(b) of the Village of Key Biscayne (“Village”) Charter, the Village Council desires to authorize the expenditure of Village funds for a capital project consisting of the purchase of forty (40) ballistic helmets (the “Equipment”) for the Village’s Police Department to continue patrolling the Village for the safety of its residents and visitors, respond to an active shooter event, and to facilitate the provision of day-to-day operations of the Village’s Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the type of purchase contemplated by the Village for the Equipment has been competitively bid by the State of Colorado and awarded by the State of Florida as Alternate Contract Source No. 46151504-NASPO-17-ACS (the “State Contracts”); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 2-86 of the Village Code of Ordinances (“Code”), the Village Council seeks to authorize the Village Manager to purchase the Equipment from Federal Eastern International, LLC (“Vendor”) consistent with the State Contracts and the Vendor’s Quote, attached hereto as “Exhibit “A” (the “Quote”); and

WHEREAS, the Village Council finds that this Resolution is in the best interest and welfare of the citizens of the Village.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAYNE, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. That each of the above-stated recitals are hereby adopted, confirmed, and incorporated herein.

Section 2. Approval. That the Village Council approves the purchase of the Equipment from the Vendor.

Section 3. Authorization. That the Village Council hereby authorizes the Village Manager to purchase the Equipment from the Vendor consistent with the terms and conditions of the State Contracts and the Quote, in an amount not to exceed \$13,350.00.

Section 4. Implementation. That the Village Council hereby authorizes the Village Manager to execute any purchase order or required documentation for the purchases described in this Resolution, subject to approval by the Village Attorney as to form and legality, and to take any action which is reasonably necessary to implement the purpose of this Resolution.

Section 5. Effective Date. That this Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED and ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2019.

ATTEST:

MICHAEL W. DAVEY, MAYOR

JENNIFER MEDINA, CMC
VILLAGE CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN COLE & BIERMAN, P.L.
VILLAGE ATTORNEY

EXHIBIT A
Federal Eastern International, LLC
Quote

EXHIBIT A



QUOTATION

Quote Date: 10.30.19
Quote Title: Helmets
Contact: Lt. Valdes

Customer Name: Key Biscayne PD
Address:

Phone Number: 305-365-5555
Fax Number:
Email Address: dvaldes@kbpd.net

Quantity	Item Number / Item Description	Unit Price	Line Total
40	Black Point black PTH full cut helmet with MSS suspension harness	\$333.75	\$13,350.00
		Total	\$13,350.00

Comments: Armor based on NASPO contract #46151504-NASPO-17ACS.

Delivery Time: 35-45 Days
Payment Terms: Net 30 Days
Freight Terms: Included per contract
Validity Date: 90 Days
Quoted By: Austin Downing

Thank you for allowing Federal Eastern International, LLC. to provide you with a quote. If you require further assistance, or have any additional questions, please contact us at:

Corporate Mailing Address: 1523 Chaffee Rd S Unit 12 Jacksonville FL 32216
Telephone Number: 727-827-2997 Fax Number: 727-954-8804
Website: www.fedeastintl.com

Police Supply and Armor Service Center: Broward County 9 N State Road 7, Plantation, FL 33317