

CITY OF LA VISTA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT
AUGUST 18, 2009 AGENDA

Subject:	Type:	Submitted By:
PURCHASE OF PORTABLE RADIOS	◆RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	RICH UHL FIRE CHIEF

SYNOPSIS

A resolution has been prepared authorizing the purchase of two Motorola 800 MHz hand-held radios from D&D Communications; Omaha, NE in an amount not to exceed \$8,939.00.

FISCAL IMPACT

The FY 08/09 Fire Department budget provides a remainder of \$8,960.16 for the proposed purchase.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval

BACKGROUND

Funding was included in the current year's budget for the purchase of new Motorola 800 MHz hand-held radios for emergency response purposes. This purchase will bring the department closer to its goal of attaining complete digital interoperability with other agencies in our response area.

Previous experience with this model and brand of radio indicates that it will be the best choice for our application. It is the same model that is currently in use on the department, providing for a seamless integration into the radio system. This selection will best meet the needs of the firefighters of the La Vista Volunteer Fire Department.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TWO MOTOROLA 800 MHz HAND-HELD RADIOS FROM D & D COMMUNICATIONS, OMAHA, NEBRASKA IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$8,939.00.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have determined that it is necessary to purchase hand-held radios for the Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, funds are provided in the FY 08/09 General Fund Budget for the proposed purchase; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of these radios will bring the department closer to the goal of attaining complete digital interoperability with other agencies within our response area; and

WHEREAS, Subsection (C) (9) of Section 31.23 of the La Vista Municipal Code requires that the City Administrator secure Council approval prior to authorizing any purchase over \$5,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of La Vista, Nebraska authorizes the purchase of two Motorola 800 MHz hand-held radios from D & D Communications, Omaha, Nebraska in an amount not to exceed \$8,939.00.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 18TH DAY OF AUGUST 2009.

CITY OF LA VISTA

Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Buethe, CMC
City Clerk