

**BUSINESS FOR THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF ANGLETON**

SUBJECT: Discussion and possible action on purchase of radio equipment for inoperability solutions for emergency management.

REQUESTED BY: Mike Jones
SUBMITTED BY: Greg Smith

DATE SUBMITTED: 04/09/09 FOR THE AGENDA OF: 04/14/09

Expenditure Required: \$88,566.81
Available Funding: \$215,017.00

Attachments: Price quotes.

SUMMARY STATEMENT:

As you recall, after Hurricane Ike, there was an after-action report done by City Staff, one of the major items that needed to be improved was our radio communication or inoperability. Staff has come up with recommendations to resolve the inoperability problems. The recommendations are:

- A. Purchase two high-band repeaters for police department/emergency services-public works (\$19,277.00)
- B. Purchase 20 hand-held radios for the two high-band repeaters listed in above (\$66,051.40).
- C. Purchase 10 additional 800 digital hand-held radios (\$32,613.00).
- D. Purchase MIP 5000 mobile dispatch console (\$28,217.50).

The purchase of the above-mentioned equipment will give all departments redundancy for radio communication and give us the needed communication for the new emergency operation center. All the equipment being purchased is being purchased from HGAC vendor. All of the above equipment is Motorola and will interface with all current equipment.

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Recommendation: Purchasing the above-mentioned equipment for emergency management/emergency operation center to resolve the inoperability issues.