

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

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TO:

Mayor Jim Gray

Urban County Council

FROM:

Chief Mark Barnard

Lexington Police Department

CC:

Commissioner Ronnie Bastin

Department of Public Safety

DATE:

November 10, 2015

SUBJECT:

Motorola Solutions - TipSoft

Request

Authorization to establish a contract with Motorola Solutions – TipSoft and the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. The Lexington Police Department will acquire and implement the TipSoft tip system as part of an effort to increase the solvability of reported crimes and increase the opportunities to intervene in situations where a crime can be prevented.

Why are you requesting?

The Lexington Police Department will acquire and implement the TipSoft tip system as part of an effort to increase the solvability of reported crimes and increase the opportunities to intervene in situations where a crime can be prevented. The tip system moves our department toward cutting edge and adaptable technology in lieu of traditional phone call tip reporting, by expanding opportunities to the public to use cell phones of all technical capabilities. This system will also merge particular functions in the department that will allow the department to cease using an answering service, saving funds that were previously applied to that service.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?

The cost for this FY is: \$5198 (\$4,799 + \$399)

The cost for future FY is: N/A

Are the funds budgeted?

Funds are budgeted - Acct # 1101-505501-5511-71299

File Number: - 1428-15

Director/Commissioner:

Mark Barnard, Chief

Lexington Police Department

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