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 Division of Police
MEMORANDUM
 Lexington, Kentucky

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<p>TO: Lawrence Weathers Chief of Police</p>	<p>SUBJECT: Request for Legistar Submission - Axon Body Worn Camera Sole Source Contract Request</p>
<p>FROM: Assistant Chief Eric Lowe Bureau of Administration</p>	

I request routing a Sole Source Contract with Axon through the Legistar process.

As part of our initial purchase of Body Worn Cameras and accessories, we purchased cameras for 400 officers. This purchase was made with a five-year contract that included an annual maintenance payment of \$445,250. This purchase was authorized by Council and signed by the Mayor under resolution 270-2016.

In 2017 we made a sole source purchase of additional cameras for 124 officers to match our authorized strength in primary enforcement positions and deploy cameras to officers in additional units.

I am requesting approval of a sole source contract with Axon Enterprises to purchase the additional cameras and pay licensing fees for the storage of body worn cameras for the duration of the contract.

The five-year contract ends this calendar year and we will negotiate a new contract that includes all of the cameras.

Assistant Chief Eric Lowe
 Bureau of Administration

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