



Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Linda Gorton  
Mayor

Kenneth Armstrong  
Commissioner

TO: Mayor Linda Gorton  
Urban County Council

*Lawrence B. Weathers*

FROM: Chief Lawrence B. Weathers  
Lexington Police Department

CC: Commissioner Kenneth Armstrong  
Department of Public Safety

DATE: March 14, 2024

SUBJECT: Magnet Forensics, LLC – DVR Examiner Quotation and End User License Agreement

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**Request**

Authorization to accept the DVR Examiner Quotation and End User License Agreement with Magnet Forensics, LLC.

**Why are you requesting?**

DVR Examiner is a software tool used in forensic investigations to recover video and metadata from digital video recorders (DVRs). It helps forensic investigators retrieve footage and data from DVR systems even if the recordings have been deleted or overwritten. DVR Examiner's capability to bypass passwords on locked DVR systems facilitates access to otherwise inaccessible data. Overall, DVR Examiner stands as a comprehensive solution in obtaining and analyzing critical evidence from DVR systems. The Lexington Police Department is requesting approval from the Urban County Council to authorize Mayor Gorton to sign the attached quotation and agreement. Upon signing, please forward a copy to the Chief's Office.

**What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?** \$2,259.42

**Are the funds budgeted?** Yes, 1101-505506-5561-76102

**File Number:** 0303-24

**Director/Commissioner:** Lawrence B. Weathers, Chief  
Lexington Police Department

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