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<p>TO:</p> <p>Lawrence Weathers Chief of Police</p>	<p>SUBJECT:</p> <p>Request for Legistar Submission-SIS Lease Agreement for Council Approval</p>
<p>FROM:</p> <p>Assistant Chief Eric Lowe Bureau of Administration</p>	

The Palo Alto firewall system that the Police Department and Division of Enhanced 911 use is up for renewal. This renewal is for new hardware at both Police Headquarters and E-911 along with security software used to protect our computer network from outside intrusion. By placing hardware at both locations, network security redundancy can be accomplished. This will allow the Police Department and E-911 to continue to operate a secure computer network should a hardware issue to occur, a building have to be evacuated for fire or natural disaster or an internet connection to go down.

Our current Palo Alto hardware is over 6 years old and is currently at its end of life. No additional upgrades will be provided to the current hardware and therefore our network could be exposed to a security risk.

Funds for this lease were requested in our budget for FY22 and the Division of Enhanced E-911 has allocated funds as well to split this purchase. As part of this lease there will be three annual payments required (FY22, FY23, and FY24) and provides this equipment and services for five years. Additional funds will be requested in the next two fiscal years.

This lease agreement has been through legal review and approved by Attorney Sanner. He requested several changes which are incorporated in the updated lease agreement. I am requesting Legistar entry for Council review of this lease.

Funding Sources:

4204-505602-5621-96201 - \$80,522.50
 1101-505502-5527-76102 - \$80,522.50

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