MAYOR JIM GRAY



ROBERT STACK DIRECTOR ENHANCED 911

TO: Mayor Jim Gray Council Members

Robert Stack

FROM: Robert Stack, Director Lexington Enhanced 911

DATE: March 14, 2017

SUBJECT: Amendment to Windstream Services Agreement – Public Safety Operations Center

Request:

A resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign an amendment to an existing service agreement (R680-2015) with Windstream Communications to install a redundant telephone fiber circuit to the 911 Center located at the Public Safety Operations Center (PSOC).

Why are you requesting?

Windstream requested this amendment so that the installation of a redundant circuit does not generate new charges for an existing service previously authorized by Council resolution. The new circuit will enter the PSOC from a different direction and originate from telephone central office that is different from the current circuit. Redundant circuits help minimize the possibility of losing 911 telephone connectivity in the event one circuit is "cut." This amendment does not affect the cost of the present service agreement with Windstream Communications.

What are the costs in this budget year and future budget years?

The redundant circuit is installed at no additional cost.

Are the funds budgeted?

N/A

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cc: Ronnie Bastin, Commissioner of Public Safety

