

TO:

JIM GRAY, MAYOR

URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL

FROM:

CHRISTOPHER EDWARDS

DIVISION OF GOVERNMENT COMMUNICATIONS – GTV3

DATE:

March 28, 2017

SUBJECT:

PURCHASE OF SOLE SOURCE CAMERAS FROM MANUFACTURER

Request

Requesting authorization and approval from Council to purchase four (4) Hitachi cameras for a total of \$21,800. This is as sole source provider because these cameras are being purchased directly from the manufacturer.

Why are you requesting?

GTV3 is replacing the video cameras in the Chamber with new high-definition cameras. By purchasing the similar Hitachi cameras to the existing standard-definition cameras in the Chamber, there is a significant cost savings. The new high-definition Hitachi cameras will work with everything already in place except for the standard-definition camera bodies. This is the most efficient way to upgrade the Chamber cameras to high-definition.

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

Cost for this year's budget is \$21,800

Are the funds budgeted? Yes.

Christopher Edwards, Video Production Supervisor