

ROBERT STACK DIRECTOR ENHANCED 911

TO: Mayor Linda Gorton Council Members

FROM: Robert Stack, Director

Lexington Enhanced 911

Robert Stack

DATE: 12/15/2020

SUBJECT: Sole Source Resolution – AK Associates, Inc.

Request:

A resolution recognizing Kraus Associates, Inc. d/b/a AK Associates as the sole source provider of telephone technology (i.e., routers, controllers, switches, licenses, integration, services, etc.) manufactured by Solacom Technologies Inc. and Execom logging recorders.

Why are you requesting?

E911 has an existing managed services agreement with AK Associates, Inc. for service and support for Solacom and Execom systems, which this firm sold and installed in E911. AK Associates is the sole source provider for Solacom equipment in Kentucky (letter attached). E911 anticipates acquiring or upgrading additional hardware, software, parts, and licenses from AK Associates through the end of FY22. The prior sole source approval expires in February.

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

TBD

Are the funds budgeted?

Yes. In multiple accounts that include, but are not limited to: 4204-505602-5622-71208; 4205-505602-5621-71208; and 4204-505602-5622-71299.

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cc: Ken Armstrong, Commissioner of Public Safety