



CITY OF WASHINGTON, ILLINOIS
City Council Agenda Communication

Meeting Date: November 21, 2022

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Agenda Item: Purchase of Police Radios

Explanation: At the the January 18, 2022 City Council meeting, approval was received for the purchase of Police radios (31) for a cost not to exceed \$124,474.28 based on a condition that a state public safety grant would cover \$103,950.72. The state had delayed the money but now we can get reimbursed. The price has risen to \$129,296.46. We would like to go ahead and order because we know the money is coming.

This price is good until November 17th. We would like to order 35 radios instead of 31.

The 35 radios based on 25 full time and 10 part time officers. That price would be \$145,979.87, which requires an additional \$21,505.59 in purchase authority.

Fiscal Impact: \$145,979.87 A total of \$103,950.72 would be reimbursed through the DCEO Safety Grant with the remainder potentially funded through a federal grant or through available Special Project funds.

Action Requested: Permission to purchase.