

Resolution approving Lease agreement for the purchase of public safety radios.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the current ninety-one handheld radio inventory needs to be replaced due to end of life cycle from the manufacturer; and

WHEREAS, the ten year old units can no longer be sent in to be repaired; support will continue from the local vendor if parts are available but if they are unable to fix them, a new radio will be needed; and

WHEREAS, radios are critical equipment for communications for public safety personnel; and

WHEREAS, new radios will be under warranty with the potential of additional features; and

WHEREAS, a two year lease agreement will provide a cost savings; the cost of the first year of the two-year agreement will be \$263,715.00; the funding for the radios has been approved in the Capital Equipment Budget (#421).

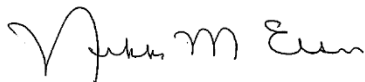
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that it hereby approves the lease agreement for the purchase of public safety radios using the funding from the approved Capital Equipment Budget.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to execute said lease.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of Information Technology, Director of Finance, and the City Attorney are hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary steps to implement this resolution.

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*I, Nikki M. Elsen, certify that this resolution was duly and officially adopted by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse on February 13, 2025.*



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*Nikki M. Elsen, WCMC, City Clerk  
City of La Crosse, Wisconsin*