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Resolution relating to Joint Public Safety Radio Upgrade capital project.

This resolution provides that the Police Department's Joint Public Safety Radio Upgrade capital project shall abide by s. 16-05-2 of the Code and be competitively bid.

Whereas, The 2023 Adopted Budget includes a Common Council-added footnote (Amendment 47A) to the Police Department's Joint Public Safety Radio Upgrade capital project providing that the project will abide by s. 16-05-2 of the Code and be competitively bid; and

Whereas, The multi-year city-wide public safety radio system project calls for the use of \$5.5 million in tax-levy supported borrowing in the 2023 Adopted Budget; and

Whereas, All future expenditures, grants, or borrowing on the estimated \$45 million project shall also be competitively bid through a Request For Proposals process; and

Whereas, The Common Council recognizes the need for necessary upgrades; and

Whereas, The Common Council recognizes that a transparent process is necessary to fulfill their obligation of proper oversight of City funds and that a "sole source" or "single source" designation is not needed to achieve the desired outcome; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the Police Department's Joint Public Safety Radio Upgrade capital project in the 2023 Adopted Budget shall abide by s. 16-05-2 of the Code and be competitively bid; and, be it

Further Resolved, That all future expenditures, grants, or borrowing on the estimated \$45 million project shall also be competitively bid through a Request-for-Proposals process.

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