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Steve Giesbrecht,

The Petersburg Police Department is requesting sole source purchasing of Taser Axon Body 3 Video Cameras (Body Cameras) and supporting equipment which includes off site secure data storage. The purchase of the body cameras will utilize CARES act funding in the amount of \$33,829.89. Petersburg Police Department will utilize the recorded video contacts for contact tracing in the event an officer tests positive for COVID-19.

Axon Enterprise is the sole distributor and retailer for all TASER brand products. Petersburg Police Department currently uses TASER X2's by all officers. All Axon products interface with each other which allows for expanded systems.

The Axon Body 3 Video Cameras has added benefits like gunshot detection that activates cameras in a general area to start recording upon detection of a gunshot. Also, the Axon Body 3 will activate upon the removal of the safety on the departments issued TASER X2's. All Axon Body 3 cameras have up to 120-seconds of buffering period to record footage before pressing record button. This allows you to capture the critical moments prior to activation of the camera.

Please see attached Sole Source Letter for Axon Enterprise.

Thank you,

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