

Petersburg Borough, Alaska
RESOLUTION # 2020-20

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING A SOLE SOURCE E911 CONTRACT AWARD FOR
THE REPLACEMENT OF THE BOROUGH'S EXISTING E911 SYSTEM**

WHEREAS, the Petersburg Borough was awarded and accepted MVA SHSP-GY19 grant funding of \$285,000 for the replacement of the Borough's existing, failing E911 system; and

WHEREAS, the replacement is required to be compatible and seamlessly sync with the Police Department's Spillman/Motorola Solutions Records Management System (RMS) to propagate E911 call information to include the caller location; and

WHEREAS, the Petersburg Police Department exclusively utilized Motorola communications hardware/software; and

WHEREAS, ProComm Alaska is the sole certified Motorola "Vesta" dealer in Alaska. Vesta is the Motorola software system that captures the incoming call ID and location information and propagates it to the RMS; and

WHEREAS, as Spillman RMS is a Motorola company, ProComm Alaska has the ability to provide Motorola hardware/software and coordinate directly with Spillman to ensure proper design, installation and synchronization of the new E911 system via remote computer link diagnostics; and

WHEREAS, ProComm has a proven track record with the Borough having designed and constructed the Public Safety Communications Center in the new Police Department completed in 2017 and they continue to provide annual maintenance for the Communications Center; and

WHEREAS, ProComm has submitted a design proposal totaling \$294,982; \$241,036 for providing and installing the desired E911 system and \$53,946 for 1st year maintenance support. This total cost is approximately \$40,135 less than the current pre-negotiated Motorola Vesta National Contract Pricing; and

WHEREAS, ProComm offers additional maintenance support options - for the E911 system with maintenance support for years 1-3, ProComm quotes \$372,454 (\$241,036 for the system plus \$131,418 for the 3 years of maintenance support). In purchasing the three-year support option, the Borough will realize an annual savings of \$10,230; and

WHEREAS, it is in the Petersburg Borough's best interest, and the most efficient and cost-effective action, to award a sole source contract for replacement of the Borough's existing and failing E911 system to ProComm Alaska, choosing the maintenance support contract for years 1-3. The system replacement and maintenance contract shall be funded using the \$285,000 MVA SHSP-GY19 grand funding along with \$87,454 from the Borough E911 fund, which currently has an approximate balance of \$270,000.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Assembly for the Petersburg Borough approves of the award to ProComm Alaska for the purchase, installation and maintenance of a new E911 system for the Petersburg Borough for an amount not to exceed \$372,484.

Passed and Approved by the Petersburg Borough Assembly on November 2, 2020.

Mark Jensen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Debbie Thompson, Borough Clerk