

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-R-12

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE PURCHASE ORDERS TO VERIZON WIRELESS PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS LP, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED NINE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED NINETY DOLLARS (\$109,690.00) ANNUALLY, FOR THE PROVISION OF WIRELESS VOICE AND DATA COMMUNICATION SERVICES FOR AN INITIAL ONE (1) YEAR TERM AND TWO (2) ADDITIONAL ANNUAL OPTIONS TO RENEW, UTILIZING THE STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES CONTRACT #DMS-19/20-006C AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION CONTRACT NO. GS-35F-0119P WITH VERIZON WIRELESS PERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS LP, PURSUANT TO SECTION 7-167 OF THE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, Wireless Services are crucial to the daily function of both the administrative personnel of the City of North Miami and the law enforcement personnel of the North Miami Police Department, and a key element in preserving the public health and safety; and

**WHEREAS**, to avoid the detrimental impacts resulting from the interruption of Wireless Services, City administration is requesting the procurement of wireless voice and data communication services including air cards for mobile crime reporting software (collectively referred to herein as “Wireless Services”) from Verizon Wireless Personal Communications LP (“Service Provider”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Service Provider currently provides Wireless Services under the *State of Florida Department of Management Services Contract #DMS – 19/20-006C* and the *Federal Government General Services Administration Contract No. GS-35F-0119P*; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 7-167 of the City of North Miami (“City”) Code of Ordinances authorizes the City Manager to approve the purchase of supplies, goods and/or services from current agreements of other municipalities and governmental entities (“piggyback”), such as the State of Florida and the Federal Government; and

WHEREAS, City administration is requesting the approval of the piggyback with the Service Provider for an initial one-year term and two (2) additional annual options to renew, in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Nine Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$109,690.00) annually; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council find that the provision of wireless services at a substantial savings, is in the best interest of the City.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1. Authority of City Manager.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the City Manager to issue purchase orders to Verizon Wireless Personal Communications LP in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Nine Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$109,690.00) annually, for the provision of wireless services, for an initial one (1) year term and two (2) additional annual options to renew, with the approval of the City Manager or duly authorized designee, by piggybacking the *State of Florida Department of Management Services Contract #DMS – 19/20-006C* and the *Federal Government General Services Administration Contract No. GS-35F-0119P* with Verizon Wireless Personal Communications LP.

**Section 2. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by a 5-0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 9th day of February, 2022.

  
PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



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JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Estimé-Irvin

Seconded by: Galvin

**Vote:**

Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime	<u>  X  </u>	(Yes)	<u>      </u>	(No)
Vice Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.	<u>  X  </u>	(Yes)	<u>      </u>	(No)
Councilman Scott Galvin	<u>  X  </u>	(Yes)	<u>      </u>	(No)
Councilwoman Kassandra Timothe, MPA	<u>  X  </u>	(Yes)	<u>      </u>	(No)
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin	<u>  X  </u>	(Yes)	<u>      </u>	(No)