

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-R-63

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, RATIFYING THE CITY MANAGER'S EMERGENCY PROCUREMENT AND ISSUANCE OF A PURCHASE ORDER TO FEDERAL EASTERN INTERNATIONAL, LLC, IN THE AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED FIFTY THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE DOLLARS AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS (\$50,651.25), FOR THE PURCHASE OF TACTICAL VESTS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND FOR ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the North Miami Police Department ("NMPD") needed to replace fifteen (15) tactical vests for their Special Weapons and Tactics ("SWAT") team members with the warranty on the current vests set to expire on June 23, 2019; and

WHEREAS, these vests are custom made, measured to each individual SWAT team member's size, and requires six (6) to eight (8) weeks for production; and

WHEREAS, Section 7-144, City Code, allows the City Manager to make emergency procurements when there exists an immediate threat to public health, welfare, or safety or to prevent or minimize serious disruption of government services; and

WHEREAS, given the lead time for delivery of the vests and the need to have NMPD SWAT team members properly equipped to perform their duties to protect City residents by responding to high risk situations and minimizing casualties, the City administration recommended the emergency purchase of the necessary equipment; and

WHEREAS, it was determined that the most appropriate course of action was to issue a purchase order in the amount not-to-exceed Fifty Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-One Dollars and Twenty-Five Cents (\$50,651.25), on an emergency basis, to secure the tactical vests; and

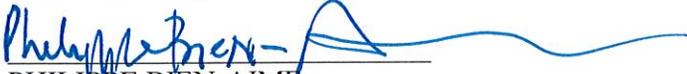
WHEREAS, for the benefit of the public health, safety and welfare of City residents and users of City facilities, City administration respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council ratify the issuance of the purchase order, pursuant to Section 7-144, City Code of Ordinances.

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

Section 1. Ratification. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby ratify the City Manager's issuance of a Purchase Order in the amount not-to-exceed Fifty Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-One Dollars and Twenty-Five Cents (\$50,651.25) to Federal Eastern International, LLC, for the purchase of tactical vests, pursuant to Section 7-144, City Code of Ordinance.

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 11th day of June, 2019.


PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME
MAYOR

ATTEST:



VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Keys

Seconded by: Estime-Irvin

Vote:

Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime	<u> X </u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Councilman Scott Galvin	<u> X </u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Councilwoman Carol Keys, Esq.	<u> X </u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Councilwoman Mary Estimé Irvin	<u> X </u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)
Councilman Alix Desulme	<u> X </u>	(Yes)	<u> </u>	(No)