CITY OF HIGH POINT AGENDA ITEM



Title: Radio Donation – High Point University

From: Eric Olmedo, Managing Director

Public Hearing: N/A

Attachments: Resolution

Meeting Date:June 3, 2019Advertising Date:N/AAdvertised By:N/A

PURPOSE:

A resolution to consider donating surplus handheld radio equipment to High Point University.

BACKGROUND:

High Point University contacted the City Manager about purchasing used surplus handheld radios to be used by campus security and other campus departments.

The Radio Shop divison currently has 60 surplus radios that were slated to be sold on the GovDeals online auction service. The last time these were sold on GovDeals in July 2018, the sale price was \$54.49 per unit. The donation would include the handheld unit, a used battery and battery charger. High Point University has been made aware that they will need to contract directly with Guilford County and pay a per radio fee to be able to use these units on the Guilford County Radio network.

The City Manager is recommending donating these units to High Point University.

BUDGET IMPACT:

The estimated value of the units is \$3,269 based on previous auction pricing.

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

The Budget Department recommends that Council approve the donation of handheld radios to High Point University and authorize the appropriate city official to execute all necessary documents.

RESOLUTION APPROVING DONATION OF SURPLUS RADIO EQUIPMENT TO HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY PURSUANT TO S.S. 160A-280

WHEREAS, the City of High Point owns handheld radios, chargers and batteries which are no longer useful to the City and should be declared as surplus to the City's needs; and

WHEREAS, N.C.G.S. 160A-280 allows cities to donate to a nonprofit corporation any personal property that the City Council deems surplus, obsolete, or unused; and

WHEREAS, City staff recommends that the above-described City equipment be declared surplus and be donated to High Point University, a nonprofit organization incorporated in the State of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. 160A-280, the High Point City Council has caused a public notice of this proposed donation to be posted at least five days prior to the adoption of this Resolution approving the donation.

NOW, THERFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the High Point City Council that (1) the equipment identified above is hereby declared to be surplus to the needs of the City of High Point based upon its age and condition; and (2) public notice of this proposed Resolution has been posted at least five days prior to the adoption of this Resolution approving the donation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the High Point City Council hereby approves the donation of the surplus equipment, and that the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the City of High Point, the necessary documents to convey ownership of the above-described equipment by donation to High Point University pursuant to the provision of N.C.G.S. 160A-280.

Adopted June 3, 2019

Lisa B. Vierling City Clerk Jay W. Wagner, Mayor