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RESOLUTION AWARDING PURCHASE ORDER FOR LIVESCAN SYSTEM UPGRADE

WHEREAS, Winston-Salem Police Department has the immediate need to upgrade the DataWorks Plus LiveScan system which is used daily to obtain finger and palm prints and will reach its end of life and not be supported after October 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Dataworks Plus, LLC, located in Greenville, SC, is the creator, owner, and exclusive sole source provider of this software and has submitted Quotation #19-0111-03 to provide the upgrade which is compatible with existing workflows, interfaces, and software currently installed and in use at the complete cost of \$31,173; and

WHEREAS, G.S. 143-129(e) provides that formal bid procedures "shall not apply to purchases of apparatus, supplies, materials, or equipment when performance or price competition for a product are not available; when a needed product is available from only one source of supply; or when standardization or compatibility is the overriding consideration"; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that a purchase order for purchase and installation of DataWorks Plus LiveScan system upgrade per Quotation #19-0111-03 be awarded to DataWorks Plus, LLC in the total amount of \$31,173.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem that a purchase order for purchase and installation of DataWorks Plus LiveScan system upgrade per Quotation #19-0111-03 is hereby awarded to DataWorks Plus, LLC in the total amount of \$31,173.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the award of this purchase order constitutes a preliminary determination as to the qualification of the bidder. The City is not legally bound to

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perform the purchase order until the order is duly executed by the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this purchase would be paid with forfeiture funds.