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	Agenda Item No.	63B
	Roll Call No.	<u>11-0238</u>
	Communication No.	<u>11-070</u>
	Submitted by:	Judy A. Bradshaw, Chief of Police

AGENDA HEADING:

Purchase of the assorted L-Tech Enterprises Percussion Actuated Non-electric (PAN) projectiles for disruptors for Iowa’s Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) Task Force Program

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of the purchase of the L-Tech Enterprises Percussion Actuated Non-electric (PAN) projectiles to equip the Ideal Products Inc. PAN Disruptor in the amount of \$28,480.00

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Grants and Training (G&T) FFY 2008 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) made an allocation of grant funds to the State of Iowa. Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management entered into Sub-grantee Agreement #2008-GE-T8-2008-009-EOD with the City of Des Moines, to administer Iowa's Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) Task Force Program grant. This purchase is part of the equipment acquisitions approved in Iowa’s Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) Task Force. Included in this purchase are 2000 rounds of Disintegrating Projectile Avon projectiles, 4000 rounds of Black Powder Blank XBP12 Medium Blank projectiles, 2200 rounds of Enhanced Blank projectiles, and 1800 rounds of Low Velocity Clay projectiles, which will be distributed to the task force teams

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$28,480

Funding Source: Operating Budget, Page 255, FY2008 (EOD) Iowa’s Bomb Squad Task Force Program Grant, SP751, POL985304.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Iowa’s Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) Task Force Program Leadership Committee completed a capability assessment and investment justification for FFY 2008 Homeland Security Grant Program funding, based on the National Preparedness Goal, federal Target Capabilities List, the National Strategy for U.S. Bomb Squad’s and the Iowa Strategy for Homeland Security and Emergency Management 2006-2008. The assorted L-Tech Enterprises PAN projectiles is part of the acquisitions approved for purchase by Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management, which is consistent with the Federal Approved Equipment List (AEL).

The City of Des Moines serves as the fiscal agent and authorized representative for the administration of Iowa’s FFY 2008 Homeland Security Grant Program funds on behalf of Iowa’s Explosive Ordinance

Disposal (EOD) Task Force Program.

The Procurement Administrator and the Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) Task Force Leadership Committee determined that such equipment is only available from L-Tech Enterprises, 509 Texas School Road, Eubank, Kentucky 42567, Larry Henderson, President, the sole manufacturer and distributor.

After reviewing the Police Chief's request to bid this equipment, it was determined by the Procurement Administrator of the Finance Department that it was in the best interest of the City to purchase this equipment from the manufacturer and sole worldwide distributor of the product. This is in compliance with Municipal Code Section 2-726(a)(7) that provides for non-competitive procurement of goods and/or services that are of such a nature that they are the only goods and/or services which will fit and comply with the required use, or are an integral part of a total system so as to be uniquely compatible with existing city need, materials or equipment to be cost effective.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: October 26, 2009

Roll Call Number: 09-1938

Action: Acceptance of [Sub-Grantee](#) Agreements to administer FFY 2008 Homeland Security Grant Program Funds from Iowa's Homeland Security and Emergency Management Division. ([Council Communication No. 09-759](#)) Moved by Vlassis to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

The Police Department will receive, inventory and hand receipt equipment items back to the respective task force teams, and submit documentation and report actions to Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management and the Finance Department, to facilitate payment of vendors and support grant audit requirements.

The Police Department will coordinate grant reimbursements with the Finance Department and Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

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