

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION NO. 23-198

DECLARE AN EMERGENCY, DISPENSE WITH NORMAL BIDDING REQUIREMENTS AND SELECT A VENDOR TO PROVIDE A REPLACEMENT FOR THE INTERCOM SYSTEM AT THE LEWIS COUNTY JAIL AS AUTHORIZED UNDER RCW 36.32.270 AND RCW 39.04.280

WHEREAS, on or about June 1, 2023, the Jail's intercom system began experiencing significant hardware failure, leading to the Jail temporarily shutting down a main control tower; and

WHEREAS, subsequent investigation has determined that the current Intercom system is significantly outdated, with no options to secure replacement equipment or support outside of used sources; and

WHEREAS, the proper functionality of the Intercom System is vital to the safe operation of the Lewis County Jail, including posing a significant security risk for staff and inmates; and

WHEREAS, a price quotation for a replacement system has been obtained as follows:

Accurate Inc.: \$351,545.00, plus tax; and

WHEREAS, the quote appears reasonable and work can begin in conjunction with a similar in-progress project at the Lewis County Jail.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners finds that an emergency exists and authorizes the Lewis County IT Department to dispense with normal vendor selection and/or call for bid requirements as authorized under RCW 36.32.270, RCW 39.04.280 to secure the replacement Intercom System; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the purchase and installation of the Intercom System be awarded to Accurate Inc.

DONE IN OPEN SESSION this 13th day of June, 2023.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Jonathan Meyer, Prosecuting Attorney

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

David Bailey
By: David Bailey,
Chief Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

Absent
Sean D. Swope, Chair

ATTEST:



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Scott J. Brummer, Vice Chair

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