

RESOLUTION NO. 5276

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO MAKE A PURCHASE OF TWENTY FIVE
UPGRADED REPLACEMENT BC-300 PRO-VISION BODY WORN CAMERAS AND
ACCESSORIES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$13,059.19 THROUGH THE USE OF ASSET
FORFEITURE MONEY.**

WHEREAS, the Soledad Police Department and the City of Soledad are concerned about the interaction between its peace officers and the public in general; and

WHEREAS, the use of body worn cameras can capture both the actions of officers in the performance of their duties and the actions of citizens during law enforcement encounters; and

WHEREAS, the use of body worn cameras can be used to determine if law enforcement actions were lawful and within policy and whether citizens actions were in violation of the law; and

WHEREAS, in December, 2014, the City of Soledad Police Department purchased twenty five of the BC-100 Pro-Vision body worn cameras which were the company's first prototype, but which have now become obsolete, have a substandard battery life, are difficult to repair and are beyond their two year warranty; and

WHEREAS, the new Pro-Vision BC-300 cameras have a number of improvements including the ability to activate and begin recording with one touch , capture video footage up to 30 seconds before activation begins, are more compact and easier to wear, can be used for both digital stills and video footage, have automatic Night Vision conversion and a battery life of up to 14 hours; and

WHEREAS, the twenty five BC-300 cameras can be purchased through the use of Asset Forfeiture money at a discounted rate of 25% per camera which will not impact the General fund; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of these cameras will allow the Police Department to continue to progress in its efforts to expand accountability and police transparency in our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Soledad that the price quote of \$13,059.17 for the purchase of twenty-five BC-300 body-worn cameras provided by Pro-Vision, Inc., a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A** and by this reference incorporated herein, is hereby approved and the City Manager is authorized and directed to execute the same on behalf of the City to effectuate the purchase. Funding for the purchase shall come from the City's Asset Forfeiture Fund.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Soledad at a regular meeting duly held on the 1st day of March, 2017, by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Councilmembers: Carla Stewart, Christopher Bourke, Anna Velazquez, Mayor Pro Tem Alejandro Chavez, Mayor Fred Ledesma

NOES, Councilmembers: None

ABSTAIN, Councilmembers: None

ABSENT, Councilmembers: None



FRED J. LEDESMA, Mayor

ATTEST



MICHAEL MCHATTEN, City Clerk

Pro-Vision, Inc.

8625-B Byron Commerce Dr SW
Byron Center, MI 49315

Invoice

Date	Pre-Invoice #
2/6/2017	4967

Name / Address
Soledad Police Department 236 Main Street Soledad, CA 93960

Ship To
Soledad Police Department Attn: Chief Deputy Wasson 236 Main St. Soledad, CA 93960

Account #	Terms	Due Date	Region	P.O. No.	FOB
1986876	Prepaid	2/6/2017	WSLE	Pre-Invoice	Grand Rapids
Item	Description	Qty	Cost	Total	
IA-BC-300	HD Body Camera	25	349.00	8,725.00T	
IA-BC-385	Download Cable with Single BODY Auto Transfer License	25	125.00	3,125.00T	
S & H	Shipping / Handling	25	8.00	200.00	
	Total sales tax calculated by AvaTax		1,009.19	1,009.19	
	** PRODUCT WILL SHIP 3 DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF PAYMENT. THANK YOU. ** Select this as a transaction's tax to use AvaTax		0.00%	0.00	
A finance charge of 1.5% per month (18% per year), or the highest legal rate, whichever is less, will be charged on all past due accounts. No technical support of warranty claims will be provided for any product until PRO-VISION, INC. has received full payment for such product.				Total	\$13,059.19

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