

PURCHASING RECOMMENDATION

To:	Council Chair	Date:	August 4, 2022
Through:	Dave Somers, County Executive		
From:	Bramby Tollen, Purchasing Division	Bidding Agency:	U.S. General Services Administration (GSA)
General Leg. Session:	August 10, 2022	GSA Bid No:	GS-35F-011BA
Purchase:	Emergency Notification System	Bid Term:	2023-2033
Requestor:	Paine Field Airport Fire Station	Supplier:	KOVA Corp.
Estimated Amount:	\$253,700	Estimated Term:	Two (2) years with an option to extend

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

The Purchasing Department proposes to use a U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) contract as allowed by RCW 39.32.090 and SCC 3.04.205 for the purchase of an Emergency Notification System for the Paine Field Airport Fire Station. GSA issued competitive solicitation number 47QSMD20R0001 for Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services on September 30, 2019. Paine Field Airport Fire's proposed purchase is from a GSA Schedule 70 which local agencies are allowed to use.

The KOVA Emergency Notification System will replace a current ring-down system that is approximately 15 years old and no longer in production. The current system is antiquated and does not meet the current footprint of the fire department. The proposed purchase of an updated ringdown line/system will give the fire department more communication points around the fire station and audio/visual alerting when an aircraft is attempting an emergency landing at Paine Field Airport.

AWARD AUTHORITY:

This purchasing recommendation is before the County Council for approval to award in accordance with Snohomish County Code section 3.04.140(8), "Award, execution, by whom," which establish the County Council as the award authority for purchases subject to bidding requirements greater than \$250,000.

AWARD RECOMMENDATION:

The Director of Paine Field Airport and Chief of Paine Field Airport Fire endorse the purchase recommendation. The Purchasing Manager has electronically reviewed and recommends this purchase on ECAF 2022-0761.

The County Executive has electronically reviewed and recommends this purchase on ECAF 2022-0761.


Council Chair

8/10/2022

Date