CITY OF WEST DES MOINES
CITY COUNCIL MEETING COMMUNICATION

ITEM: Approval of Purchase and Payment For additional SAN storage

DATE: June 17, 2019

FINANCIAL IMPACT: $375,000.00 has been budgeted in FY 18-19 in the Technology Refresh Fund for technology infrastructure projects in account number 740.650.700.5400.700. The value of the initial purchase agreement for the software, hardware, installation, and knowledge transfer for this project is $111,920.00.

BACKGROUND: The additional storage will be used for snapshots (backups). This will allow us to remove the existing backup system rather than upgrading it for a savings of over $70,000.00.

The IT Department developed a Request for Proposal (RFP) to replace the existing SAN infrastructure and Datrium was the winner. This is to add additional storage so we can move the backups over to the Datrium for the cost savings.

EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS: Proposals and presentations were evaluated on the quality of the underlying technology, feature set, user interface, technical support, ease of administration, and price. After all the vendor meetings, the review team had 100% consensus that the additional storage was the best fit and direction to meet the City's needs.

OUTSTANDING ISSUES (if any): None

RECOMMENDATION: Approval of purchase and payment for the installation of the proposed hardware and support.

Lead Staff Member: Gary Kilcollins – Lead Business Systems Consultant, Information Technology Services

STAFF REVIEWS

Department Director	Joe Menke, Director - IT Services
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Legal	
Agenda Acceptance	

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Recommendation	**Yes**	No	