

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS APPROVING INSTALLMENT PAYMENT AGREEMENT WITH DAILEY-WELLS FOR PROCUREMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATION SYSTEM UPGRADE**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Abilene ("City") replaced its Public Safety Communications System in 2005; and

**WHEREAS**, the public safety radio network has reached end of life status with the manufacturer, whereby the City can no longer readily obtain parts; and

**WHEREAS**, the consoles in the dispatch center are also in end of life status and are operating on Windows XP which is no longer supported by Microsoft; and

**WHEREAS**, City staff has worked with Dailey Wells to develop a phased-in upgrade strategy for the radio system which will provide for spreading the costs over multiple years through a Phase 1 and Phase 2 implementation process; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has determined this public safety communications system upgrade is the best solution to meet public safety communications needs by entering into a 36 month phase 1 agreement with Dailey-Wells for the procurement of radios (mobiles and portables), terminals, consoles, network switches, and computers; and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to designate the City Manager as authorized singer of the phase 1 upgrade agreement.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS:**

**PART 1.** That the City of Abilene enter into an agreement with Dailey-Wells for the procurement of public safety equipment for police, fire, city marshals, and the EOC.

**PART 2.** That the City Manager is authorized to execute all necessary documents to carry out the intention of this resolution.

**ADOPTED** this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2015.

**ATTEST:**

  
Danette Dunlap, City Secretary

  
Norman Archibald, Mayor

**APPROVED:**

  
Interim City Attorney