

RESOLUTION NO. 189-2018

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS
AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF 9 MM HANDGUNS DURING FISCAL YEAR
2018-2019**

WHEREAS, the 9 mm ammunition round has been fully evaluated by local, state and federal police authorities and found to be of excellent quality; and

WHEREAS, 9 mm ammunition is less expensive than other caliber rounds and more commercially available; and

WHEREAS, the Abilene Police Department, Fire Marshals and the Marshals Division seek to transition to 9 mm handguns within 3-years through a buy-back program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene will not use budgeted funds for this purchase. These purchases will be reflected as accounts receivable from the individual officers and marshals; and

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene has received a written bid that meets all specifications;

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

PART 1: The City of Abilene approves the purchase of (248) 9 mm handguns with accompanying tritium night sights from Branded Global Partners, LLC;

PART 2: The City of Abilene will utilize a sealed, written bid that was received.

PART 3: The City Manager is authorized to execute the necessary transaction(s) enabling Abilene Police Officers, Fire Marshals and City Marshals to purchase handguns that will be processed through a Federal Firearms Licensed Dealer, for a cost of \$122,101.39.

PART 4: That this Resolution shall take effect immediately from and after passage.

ADOPTED this 15th day of November, 2018.

ATTEST:



Rosa Rios, City Secretary



Anthony Williams, Mayor

APPROVED:



Stanley Smith, City Attorney

