

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE AN ETHERNET TRANSPORT SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH COMCAST ENTERPRISE SERVICES TO CONNECT ALL FIRE DEPARTMENT FACILITIES WITH THE CITY'S TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-308 and Section 8-200 of the City Charter, the City of Wilmington is authorized to enter into contracts for the supply of property or the rendering of services for more than a period of one year if approved by City Council by Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to enter into an Ethernet Transport Services Agreement with Comcast Enterprise Services ("the Agreement") to connect all Fire Department facilities with the City's telecommunications network; and

WHEREAS, the services to be furnished under the Agreement will provide the City with new technology at a lower cost than the services currently being received by the City from a different communications vendor; and

WHEREAS, the term of the Agreement is for a period of thirty six (36) months beginning upon the execution thereof at a total price of Ninety Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$99,360.00), to be paid in equal monthly installments of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$2,760.00) each; and

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Division of Integrated Technologies, Office of the Mayor, that the City enter into the Agreement with Comcast Enterprise Services for the above-described ethernet transport services, a copy of which, in substantial form, is attached hereto and incorporated by reference as Exhibit "A."

**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON HEREBY
ORDAINS:**

SECTION 1. The Ethernet Transport Services Agreement between the City and Comcast Enterprise Services to connect all Fire Department facilities with the City's telecommunications network, a copy of which, in substantial form, is attached hereto as Exhibit "A," for the term of thirty six (36) months beginning upon the execution thereof, at a total price of Ninety Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$99,360.00), to be paid in equal monthly equal installments of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$2,760.00) each, is hereby approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and the City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute as many copies of said agreement, as well as all additional undertakings related thereto, as may be necessary.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall be effective upon its passage by City Council and approval of the Mayor.

First Reading November 3, 2016
Second Reading. November 3, 2016
Third Reading

Passed by City Council,

President of City Council

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk

Approved as to form this

_____ day of _____ 2016

First Assistant City Solicitor

Approved this _____ day of
_____, 2016

Mayor

SYNOPSIS: This Ordinance authorizes the City to enter into an Ethernet Transport Services Agreement with Comcast Enterprise Services to connect the Fire Department with the City’s telecommunications network. The term of this Agreement is for a period of thirty six (36) months, at a total price of Ninety Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$99,360.00), to be paid in equal monthly installments of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$2,760.00) each.

Agenda #

IMPACT STATEMENT

This Ordinance authorizes the City to enter into an Ethernet Transport Services Agreement with Comcast Enterprise Services, to connect the Fire Department with the City's telecommunications network. The term of this Agreement is for a period of thirty six (36) months, at a total price of Ninety Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$99,360.00), to be paid in equal monthly installments of Two Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$2,760.00) each. It is estimated that the City will save approximately \$54,000.00 over the life of this Agreement compared to the charges of the City's current vendor.