

City Council Report

Date: August 18, 2025

To: City Council

Through: Michael Kennington, Deputy City Manager/Chief Financial Officer

From: Edward Quedens, Business Services Director

Kristy Garcia, Procurement Administrator

Subject: Use of a Cooperative Contract for the Purchase of One Body Scanner for the

Mesa Police Department (Citywide)

Recommendation

Council is requested to approve the award as recommended.

The Mesa Police Department and Procurement Services recommend authorizing the purchase using the BuyBoard cooperative contract with Tek84 at \$191,000, based on estimated requirements.

Background / Discussion

This purchase is for a full body scanner equipped with a thermal reader to enhance operational efficiency and reduce physical contact during inmate processing. The Holding Unit is responsible for handling inmates who must currently undergo manual pat searches each time they encounter department personnel. A full body scanner offers advanced detection capabilities that exceed those of a physical search conducted by a detention officer. It can identify concealed narcotics and weapons, including those hidden beneath clothing, inside body cavities, or within prosthetic devices. By leveraging this technology, the Department can significantly increase safety for officers, inmates, facility staff, and the public. The scanner will limit direct physical contact, in addition to improving contraband detection, thereby reducing potential exposure to communicable diseases, pests, and other risk management concerns.

This initial purchase will be installed at the Northeast Public Safety facility and MPD plans to purchase another unit for headquarters after renovations are complete.

The BuyBoard cooperative contract has been competitively bid and meets the City's procurement requirements. Utilizing the BuyBoard contract allows the City to receive competitive rates based on a formally solicited agreement. The City believes the pricing is fair and reasonable and soliciting for this product would not result in the City receiving more favorable pricing or terms.

Purchase Information

Action: Award

Procurement Type: Cooperative Contract Use

Contract Number: 2026006

Contracting Agency/Contract Number: Texas Association of School Boards, Inc. -

BuyBoard/769-25

Local Consideration: Policy did not apply to this procurement method

Initial Contract Term: 8/18/2025 – 5/31/2026

Possible Renewals: Up to a maximum of two years subject to Administrative review and

approval

Funding Source: Opioid Settlement funds

AWARD RECOMMENDATION	
Quantity (1) – Tek84 Intercept Whole Body Security Scanning System	
List Price	\$137,500.00
Freight	\$1,500.00
Extended Warranty	\$40,000.00
Estimated 8.3% Sales Tax (excluding warranty)	<u>\$11,537.00</u>
Total	\$190,537.00