



# City Council Report

**Date:** May 3, 2021  
**To:** City Council  
**Through:** Michael Kennington, Deputy City Manager/Chief Financial Officer  
**From:** Edward Quedens, Business Services Director  
Matt Bauer, Procurement Administrator  
**Subject:** Purchase of a Portable X-Ray System (Replacement) for the Mesa Police Department **(Sole Source) (\$30,000 grant funded by the Arizona Department of Homeland Security and \$547.11 funded by the Police operating budget) (Citywide)**

## Purpose and Recommendation

Council is requested to approve the award as recommended.

City staff and Purchasing recommend awarding the contract to the sole source vendor, Scanna MSC, Inc. at \$30,547.11.

## Background / Discussion

The Mesa Police Department received a Homeland Grant award to purchase a Portable X-Ray System for the Bomb Unit. The Bomb Unit requests the purchase of the ScanX Scout x-ray system.

Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) missions include device assessment, device safe rendering/transport/disposal and confirmation a specific area is cleared of all hazards. This equipment will be used at demonstrations, sporting events, dignitary events, special events, or any other event with a large gathering of people.

X-ray systems are the primary tool for the bomb technician for examining suspicious devices. This system is versatile x-ray equipment with the ability to scan small and large items. This item is not backpackable; however, it can be used with a mosaic system to scan large suspicious items and devices. Having this ability to scan larger items, for example trunks of vehicles, is imperative for bomb technicians.

The Bomb Unit has tested this system on several occasions while training with other State EOD teams and while attending International Association of Bomb Technicians and Investigators conferences. This system will replace an old outdated portable x-ray system that system was purchased in 2006. This system is no longer serviced or supported by the vendor. Purchasing the ScanX Scout x-ray system will maintain consistency with the equipment used by the bomb technicians.

The manufacturer, AllPro Imaging has established Scanna MSC as the exclusive global distributor and the sole source provider of the ScanX Scout.

## Purchase Information

Action: Award

Procurement Type: Sole Source

Contract Number: 2021178

Local Consideration: Policy did not apply to this procurement method

Funding Source: \$30,000 grant funded by the Arizona Department of Homeland Security Grant (2020 SHSGP 200211-02) and \$547.11 from the Mesa Police Department operating budget

### AWARD RECOMMENDATION

Quantity 1 – ScanX Scout \$21,065.19 to include 4 PSP Plates \$3,136.48; 4 Plate Protectors \$97.52; 1 Computer Controller \$1,088.00; 1 Flex Ray Kit \$2,150.00; 1 Hard Case–Trunk Style \$840.00; and 1 Soft Case \$550.00; per Contract No. 2021178 and Quotation dated 3/22/2021

Base	\$28,927.19
5.6% Use Tax	<u>\$1,619.92</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b><u>\$30,547.11</u></b>