

## First Amendment to the Agreement with Verizon Wireless

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### Overview

#### First Amendment to the existing agreement with Verizon Wireless

- Extend the contract term from three years to seven years and one month
- Increase the not-to-exceed amount from \$9.5M to \$30.6M (~\$4.5M/Year)
- No other change to the existing agreement

#### Contract for all City departments to use Verizon's cellular network

- Scope: voice, text and data plans through cell phones (56%) and other devices (44%, e.g., iPads, vehicle modems, mobile Wi-Fi hotspots, etc.)
- # of devices: 7,343, increased by 10% since the start of the pandemic
- Usage: 2.9GB of Data/month, increased by 19% since the start of the pandemic
- Average monthly cost: \$38.66/device, increased by 10% since the start of the pandemic



## **Benefits of Agreement**

#### Savings

Piggyback on State of California's CALNET volume purchase agreement, taking advantage of the collective buying power of the State

"Most Favored Nation" clause – guarantees low rates

#### Efficiency

- One master contract for the entire City
- Leverage the extensive competitive solicitation process of the State

#### **Other Benefits**

- No commitment to minimum spend
- Month-to-month term, no early termination fees





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# Any Questions?

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