

RESOLUTION NO. 340

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH AK ASSOCIATES INC. REGARDING ENHANCEMENTS TO THE E-911 SYSTEM INCLUDING WIRELESS E-911 SERVICE

Introduced: 10/10/06

By Audit and Finance and Public Safety Committees, Messrs. Aidala, Aylward, Boston, Clay, Collins, Commisso, Ms. Connolly, Messrs. Cunningham, Dawson, Domalewicz, Ethier, Feeney, Frederick, Gordon, Houghtaling, Infante, Joyce, Ms. Maffia-Tobler, Messrs. Mayo, McCoy, Ms. McKnight, Messrs. Monjeau, Morse, Nichols, Reilly, Riddick, Shafer, Steck, Ward, Mss. Wiley and Willingham:

WHEREAS, By previous resolutions, this Honorable Body authorized agreements with the NYS Department of State to accept Expedited Deployment Grant funding to enhance the E-911 system, including tracking the location of Emergency-911 cell phone calls, and

WHEREAS, The Albany County Sheriff has requested authorization to move forward with the project through approval of an agreement to engineer, furnish and install 911 class equipment and provide maintenance and project management for a period of five years of mapping, on-site selective routing and wireless equipment at 38 answering positions at the County's 11 PSAPs, and

WHEREAS, The Department of General Services through the County Purchasing Agent issued a request for bids and two bids were received, and

WHEREAS, Personnel from the Sheriff's Department and the New York State Police, with advice from the Division of Information Services, reviewed the bids and recommend awarding the contract to AK Associates Inc. in the amount of \$1,910,189 as providing the best value for the County, and

WHEREAS, The Sheriff has indicated that \$1,719,170 of the cost will come from state Expedited Deployment Grants and another \$191,019 will come from County E-911 surcharges to fulfill the County's match requirement, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with AK Associates Inc., 7 Independence Avenue, Derry, NH in an amount not to exceed \$1,910,189 to provide engineering, furnish and install equipment and provide maintenance and project management services for a period of five years for Albany County's Enhanced 911 system, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 10/10/06