

County of Brunswick
Office of the County Commissioners



**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF
VARIOUS AUDIO/VIDEO EQUIPMENT FOR THE
BRUNSWICK COUNTY GOVERNMENT COMPLEX
UNDER SOLE SOURCE EXCEPTION TO FORMAL BIDDING REQUIREMENTS**

WHEREAS, N.C.G.S 143-129(e)(6), Procedure for Letting of Public Contracts, allows for the waiver of formal bidding requirements for purchases of apparatus, supplies, materials, or equipment when performance or price competition for a product are not available, or a needed product is available from only one source of supply, or standardization or compatibility is the overriding consideration; and

WHEREAS, the existing duress (panic button) system throughout the Brunswick County Government Complex as well as the existing camera system in Building I are obsolete and in need of replacing; and

WHEREAS, the duress system in the Courthouse has recently been upgraded, and the remaining Complex buildings can be integrated with the Courthouse system in lieu of purchasing an entire additional system; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that a new camera system be installed in Building I to complement the standard that is currently in place in seven other County buildings; and

WHEREAS, in order to effectively integrate the new audio/video equipment with existing infrastructure, the equipment should be purchased from and installed by North Carolina Sound of Goldsboro, LLC for standardization and compatibility; and

WHEREAS, the governing board must approve the purchase under this bidding exemption prior to awarding the contract.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Brunswick County Board of Commissioners approves the purchases described herein utilizing the exception to formal bidding requirements contained in N.C.G.S. 143-129(e)(6) and finds that the conditions described in that statute have been met.

Adopted this the 20th day of September, 2021.

Randell Thompson, Chairman
Brunswick County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Daralyn Spivey
Clerk to the Board