

TOWNSHIP OF JEFFERSON  
COUNTY OF MORRIS, NJ

CONSENT AGENDA RESOLUTION #17-187

**“RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONTRACT WITH LAW SOFT, INC. TO PROVIDE PROPRIETARY MAINTENANCE, SUPPORT AND UPDATING SERVICES FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT RECORDS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM WITHOUT BIDDING FOR THE SAME”**

WHEREAS, the Township of Jefferson utilizes a Records Management System for the Police Department, known as Law Soft, Inc., which also handles records for the Fire Departments and Emergency Dispatch System; and

WHEREAS, the system requires maintenance, support, and software; and

WHEREAS, Law Soft, Inc. has a proprietary agreement to provide maintenance for its own software programs; and

WHEREAS, no other vendor can provide maintenance for the Law Soft programs; and

WHEREAS, the Township wishes to enter into a Contract for maintenance of the Law Soft programs with Law Soft, Inc., and exempt same from public bidding in accordance with Section 40A:11-5(1)(dd) of the Local Public Contracts Law; and


WHEREAS, the Township Administrator has filed a Certification describing the nature of the services and verifying the services are proprietary to Law Soft, Inc., and has recommended acceptance of the proposal from Law Soft, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, under State law, said Contract is exempt from public bidding as being proprietary; and

WHEREAS, a certificate showing availability of funds has been provided by the Chief Financial Officer of the Township.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Jefferson, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, that the Township Administration is authorized to contract with Law Soft, Inc. for maintenance, support, and upgrades for the Police Department’s Record Management System in an amount not to exceed \$70,000 per annum.

ATTEST:

  
MICHELE REILLY, TOWNSHIP CLERK  
Dated: July 19, 2017

COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF JEFFERSON:

  
DEBI MERZ, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

CERTIFICATION: I, Michele Reilly, Clerk of the Township of Jefferson, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted by the Jefferson Township Council at a meeting held on July 19, 2017.

  
Michele Reilly, RMC, Township Clerk

NAME	MOTION	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Birmingham		X	X			
Finnegan	X		X			
Smith			X			
Dunham			X			
Merz			X			

**Certification of Purchase of Proprietary Goods or Services  
per N.J.A.C. 5:34-9.1(b)**

N.J.A.C. 5:34-9.1(b) requires written certification with an explanation of why the goods or services are of a specialized nature and necessary to conduct affairs of the municipality.

**VENDOR NAME :** LawSoft, Inc.

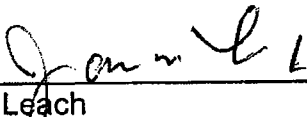
**VENDOR ADDRESS:** 15 Hamburg Turnpike  
Bloomington, NJ 07403

**PRODUCT:** LawSoft GIS/AVL Interface

**EXPLANATION:**

The Township of Jefferson Police Department currently uses a LawSoft CAD/RMS System which allows the Police Department to have visual tracking of their patrol vehicle at all times. Additional enhancements would create optimum tracking and recording of all police vehicles. There is no other vendor that could provide these services since LawSoft, Inc. holds the sole source codes for this system.

I do hereby certify that above referenced vendor has proprietary rights to all software and upgrades to the Township of Jefferson Police Departments LawSoft CAD/RMS System.

  
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James Leach  
Township of Jefferson  
Business Administrator  
Purchasing Agent

7/17/11  
Date



**Law Enforcement Software Made Easy**

**Ron Frost - President  
LawSoft, Inc.  
15 Hamburg Turnpike  
Bloomingdale, NJ 07403  
973-250-8901**

***Please be advised that LawSoft, Inc. is a sole source provider of the LawSoft GIS/AVL interface that is being requested as an enhancement to the LawSoft CAD/RMS System. LawSoft is the only vendor that holds the sole source code that can implement this system as requested by the Jefferson Police Department. The new system will allow seamless visual tracking of patrol vehicles in the field on a GIS map that receives and displays information that is published by the LawSoft CAD/RMS system. The system will also display crime and call statistics that are published seamlessly by the LawSoft CAD/RMS system.***

***Sincerely,***

**Ron Frost**

**President – LawSoft, Inc.**

**CMFO'S Certification of Availability of Funds**

I, William J. Eagen, hereby certify that sufficient funds are available with the adoption of the 2017 municipal budget, and Capital Ordinance #04-2017, for the purpose stated herein, all in accordance with requirements of the Local Budget Law NJSA 40A: 4-1, et.seq.

**Purpose:** Police/Emergency Dispatch Records System


**Vendor:** LawSoft , Inc. (LAWSOF25)

**Line Item No.:** C-04-55-917-004-908  
C-04-55-917-004-908  
7-01-25-250-250-278

**Amount Currently Certified:** \$70,000.00

**Total Certified Amount Not to Exceed:** \$70,000.00

Certified this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2017  
For 07/19/17 meeting

  
William J. Eagen  
Chief Financial Officer

cc: File