



# MEMORANDUM

Council Agenda  
Item No. IX. G  
1/2/2024

## The City of OKLAHOMA CITY

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Craig Freeman, City Manager

Resolution authorizing the sole source purchase of four ScanX Scout X-Ray systems from Scanna MSC, Inc. (SS24-C244005), estimated cost \$100,000.

### **Background:**

The Oklahoma City Police Department's Bomb Squad Unit has a need to purchase four ScanX Scout X-Ray systems. Currently, the Department has three mounted Logos X-Ray units, which are no longer being supported by Logos. The Logos system and the Scanna ScanX Scout system are the only two systems being trained on at the FBI Hazardous Devices School (HDS). The HDS is ran by the FBI and is the only certification school in the United States for Public Safety Bomb Technicians. Department staff have attended HDS since 1971. All new Bomb Technicians must obtain their certifications through the HDS and recertify every three years through HDS.

These mounted systems will be used in four response vehicles. This will allow each response vehicle to run a full bomb call as per departmental standards. These devices will increase the OKCPD's capability in the event of multiple incidents simultaneously.

The use of the mounted systems outweighs the use of the Digital dismounted systems for bomb calls outside of large events such as the Memorial Marathon. Parts of the city have a lot of radio frequency interference that sometimes render the dismounted systems useless. This radio frequency interference does not affect the mounted systems. There is still a great use for the dismounted systems, however the mounted systems are the staple of necessary equipment for a bomb squad to complete its mission.

Scanna MSC, Inc. is the sole source provider of the Scanx Scout X-Ray systems. Staff requests Council authorize the one-time sole source purchase of four Scanx Scout X-Ray systems from Scanna MSC, Inc. (SS24-C244005), estimated cost \$100,000.

### **Estimated Cost:**

\$100,000

### **Source of Funds:**

Police – Police Capital – Police Sales Tax – Other Equip - PSST Supplies/Equip -POLIC-XRAY\_SYSTEMS (020-0101-4205500-53040031-11056-POLIC-XRAY\_SYSTEMS)

**Review:**

Finance Department

**Recommendation:** Resolution be adopted.