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August 7, 2024

Honorable City Council
Members City of Mount Vernon
1 Roosevelt Square
Mount Vernon, New York 10550

RE: Installation and Maintenance of Citywide Cameras for the Dept of Public Safety
FOR APPROVAL at the August 14th, 2024 CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Honorable Councilmembers:

The Department of Public Safety requests that the City Council approve a resolution for the Mayor to **enter into a contract for payment of \$ 161,903.88** with Electronic Systems Solutions, Inc (ESS) for the installation and maintenance of a citywide camera surveillance system.

The system is comprised of license plate recognition (LPR) cameras that will assist the Dept of Public Safety with major thoroughfare patrol, foot patrol, crime pattern locations as well as traffic stops. The cameras will also give real time surveillance that can speed up case closures.

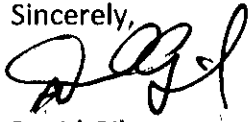
The company providing the labor and materials is **Electronic Systems Solutions, Inc (ESS)** and is under **NYS contract # PT68793**, therefore foregoing the need of competitive bidding requirements as written in the City of Mount Vernon Procurement Policy adopted April 24, 2024.

The payment of **\$ 161,903.88** will be satisfied from **Budget Line Bond Anticipated Notes (BANS) H1620.203.C948.**

CC: Mayor
Comptroller
Law Department

If this request meets the approval of your Honorable Body, please enact legislation granting this approval.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Gibson', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

David Gibson

Commissioner of Public Safety

CC: Mayor
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