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Commissioner Management Services

September 18, 2025

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

RE: Approval to Enter into support contract with SHI for 1 year for Broadcom's VMWare support. Contract payment to be \$61,244.80 to be paid from 1680.215. for city council meeting to be held on September 24th, 2025.

Honorable Council members:

The Department of Management Services requests approval from the City Council for a resolution to enter a 1-year support contract with Broadcom through SHI for the support of our Broadcom VMware software environment. This environment is essential for the critical operations of both City Hall and the Police Department. The contract will be in the amount of \$61,244.80 and will be financed through budget code 1680.215.

The Broadcom VMware environment supports all critical operations in City Hall as well as the Police Department. The expiration of our existing support contract in on October 31, 2025 requires that we have a contract in place to ensure continued support for our production environment.

Broadcom, which now owns VMware, has placed restrictions on who can support their software environments. I have secured three quotes, and SHI has provided the most cost effective quote for our environment.

Should this request meet with the approval of the city council, we will enter into the one-year agreement and make payment from budget code 1680.215.

Thank you. Sincerely, Juan Perez

Commissioner Management Services cc: Mayors Office, Comptroller