

SUMMARY STATEMENT

ITEM NO.: PATCO-17-019

SUBJECT: PATCO Emergency Gate
Access Control

COMMITTEE:

Operations & Maintenance

COMMITTEE MEETING DATE:

July 11, 2017

BOARD ACTION DATE:

July 19, 2017

PROPOSAL: That the Board authorizes staff to enter into a contract with SimplexGrinnell, not to exceed \$320,000.00, to integrate an access control system into PATCO's emergency gates located adjacent to the fare gates within each passenger station. This contract is provided with GSA pricing under GSA Contract #GS-07F-0396M.

Amount: Up to \$320,000.00

Consultants: SimplexGrinnell LP
283 Gibraltar Road
Horsham, PA 19044

PURPOSE: To adopt a resolution authorizing staff to negotiate a contract with SimplexGrinnell LP to provide integrated, electronic access control to PATCO's emergency gates located within each station.

BACKGROUND: Starting in 2014, SimplexGrinnell installed an access control system throughout much of PATCO's critical infrastructure. Since its inception, PATCO has continually expanded on the initial access control investment. Today all electrical substations, communication nodes, computer LAN rooms, pump rooms and key facilities have been upgraded with the access control system to prevent unauthorized entry.

To build upon this investment, PATCO is planning to add access control to the emergency gates located within each station. This enhancement will not only prevent unauthorized entry; it will eliminate locks and will require all employees and/or contractors to badge in, creating a log of the time of entry and exit. It will also enable the Dispatcher and Customer Service Agents to release the gates from Center Tower should there be a need, and it will tie the emergency gates into the fire panels, which would cause the gates to release should there be a fire alarm activation.

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| SUMMARY: | Amount: | Not to exceed \$320,000.00 |
| | Source of Funding: | 2013 Revenue Bonds |
| | Operating Budget: | N/A |
| | Capital Project #: | PTD.31703 |
| | Master Plan Status: | N/A |
| | Other Fund Sources: | N/A |
| | Duration of Contract: | Three (3) months |
| | Other Parties Involved: | N/A |

RESOLUTION

RESOLVED: That the Board of Commissioners of the Port Authority Transit Corporation authorizes staff to negotiate a contract with SimplexGrinnell LP to integrate an access control system into PATCO's thirteen (13) emergency gates at stations in an amount not to exceed \$320,000.00; as per the attached Summary Statement; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the Chairman, Vice Chairman and the President must approve and are hereby authorized to approve and execute all necessary agreements, contracts or other documents on behalf of PATCO. If such agreements, contracts, or other documents have been approved by the Chairman, Vice Chairman and President and if thereafter either the Chairman or Vice Chairman is absent or unavailable, the remaining Officer may execute the said document(s) on behalf of PATCO along with the President. If both the Chairman and Vice Chairman are absent or unavailable, and if it is necessary to execute the said document(s) while they are absent or unavailable, then the President shall execute such documents on behalf of PATCO.

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