

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
CHULA VISTA WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE BIDDING
REQUIREMENTS AND ACCEPTING A PROPOSAL FROM
FORENSIC TECHNOLOGY INC. FOR THE INTEGRATED
BALLISTICS IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM

WHEREAS, the Police Department is proposing to acquire an Integrated Ballistics Identification System (IBIS) which will enhance the ability of investigators to solve crimes; and

WHEREAS, the Integrated Ballistics Identification System (IBIS) enables the Police Department's Crime Laboratory to identify local, national, and international linkages that may exist amongst firearms cases submitted for examination; and

WHEREAS, Forensic Technology Inc. pioneered automated ballistics identification and analysis, and is the exclusive manufacturer of the Integrated Ballistics Identification System; and

WHEREAS, Police Department staff is requesting to waive competitive bidding requirements and accept a 7-year subscription proposal from Forensic Technology Inc. to acquire their proprietary IBIS solution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, that it finds Forensic Technology Inc. to be a sole-source provider pursuant to Chula Vista Municipal Code 2.56.070.B.4 and accordingly waives the competitive bidding requirements.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista that it accepts the proposal from Forensic Technology Inc. for the Integrated Ballistics Identification System, in the form presented, with such minor modifications as may be required or approved by the City Attorney, a copy of which shall be kept on file in the Office of the City Clerk, and authorizes and directs the City Manager to execute same.

Presented by

Approved as to form by

Roxana Kennedy
Chief of Police

Glen R. Googins
City Attorney