



## **CITY COUNCIL ACTION REPORT**

June 1, 2007

TO: Phillip L. Nelson, City Manager

FROM: Susan A. Leirstein, Purchasing Director  
Charles T. Craft, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: Bid Waiver - Sole Source Purchase – Chemical Munitions

### **Background**

- The Police Department purchases chemical munitions from DEF-TEC, a sole source supplier periodically, as the need arises for the tactical support team and road patrol command vehicles. The shelf life of these products is limited to five (5) years, so every so often we must replenish our stock and obtain a new shipment. The expired product is then used for training purposes. These products are needed for tactical incidents and are necessary to perform the tasks in the safest manner possible.
- Def-Tec (Defense Technologies) is a sole supplier for these products and sells directly to customers.
- The last order was placed in October 2001.

### **Financial Considerations**

- Funds are available in the Police Department operating budget, account # 315.7740.010.

### **Legal Considerations**

- Formal bidding procedures are waived, as no benefit would be derived from soliciting formal bids.

### **Policy Considerations**

- This purchase will enable and assist the Police Department in its mission to protect the public. (Goal I)

### **Options**

- The Police Department recommends the purchase of these products directly from the manufacturer, DEF-TEC (Defense Technologies) of Casper, WY, at an estimated total cost of \$16,580.00, as detailed on the attached memorandum.



**Charles T. Craft, Chief of Police**

**Gary G. Mayer, Captain**  
**Edward J. Murphy, Captain**  
**Dane M. Slater, Captain**

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**TO: CAPTAIN EDWARD MURPHY, PATROL DIVISION COMMANDER**  
**FROM: LIEUTENANT MCWILLIAMS, SPECIAL OPERATIONS SECTION**  
**DATE: May 22, 2007**  
**RE: Chemical Munitions Purchase**

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Captain Murphy,

Listed below are the numerous products we need to replenish our stock of chemical munitions. The vast majority of the items are simply replacement, needed to re-stock our inventory. As you are aware the shelf life of these products is 5 years, our last purchase was October 2001. The expired product has been used in training scenarios, so we did get full use/ value out of them.

<u>Part ID Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Cost per Unit</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Total</u>
1083	HC Smoke (white)	\$33.80	40	\$1,352
1067	Military Style Smoke canister (red)	\$57.35	10	\$573.50
1093	Rubber Ball Smoke Grenade (white)	\$33.80	30	\$1014
7001	Disposable Distraction Device	\$40.00	40	\$1,600
1090	.32 Caliber Rubber Ball Stun Grenade	\$45.74	30	\$1,372.20
2042	Flameless Expulsion Grenade (CS)	\$47.90	20	\$958
2040	Flameless Expulsion Grenade (OC)	\$47.90	20	\$958
1072	Speade-Heat Grenade Cannister (CS)	\$36.00	34	\$1224
1032	Tri-Chamber Flameless Grenade	\$47.30	22	\$1040.60
1092	CS Gas Han-ball Rubber Ball Grenade	\$34.60	30	\$1038
1199	37MM Launch .60 Cal Stingers Ball	\$24.30	20	\$486
1183	37 MM Lg Range Speade-Heat smoke	\$26.80	30	\$804
1192	37 MM Barricade Penetrat CS powder	\$28.70	24	\$688.80
2002	37MM Short rg Speade-Heat CS	\$25.65	30	\$769.50
1152	37 MM Flite-rite CS Round	\$54.05	4	\$216.20
1182	37 MM Long rg Speade-Heat CS	\$23.45	20	\$469
1190	37 MM Barricade Penetrating OC	\$28.70	24	\$688.80
1098	Inert Rubber Ball Practice Grenade	\$45.75	10	\$457.50
1193	37 MM Inert Barricade Practice	\$24.30	30	\$729
3092	Ferret-12 Powder CS gas 12 ga	\$7.00	20	\$140

Total Cost \$ 16,579.10