

Memorandum



To: Village President and Village Board of Trustees
Steven Bosco, Village Administrator

From: David Arndt, Information Technology Manager

Date: 10-3-2019

Re: Village wide network hardware implementation

The networking hardware used for communication between Village facilities, the internet and wireless access have reached end of life. This equipment is vital in providing security and communications for all Village staff. The current equipment has reached end of life by the manufacturer and will no longer be supported. Failure of this equipment would be detrimental and impact all employees and the citizens they serve. The Village awarded a bid to replace all the networking hardware on 9/16/2019.

Staff hired CCC Technologies Consultant Company to review and determine what equipment is necessary and the means to implement the new hardware to continue providing service and security. The consultant company assisted in creating bid documents for implementing the new hardware. Staff was forthcoming with CCC Technologies indicating they were allowed to bid on the project, but no additional considerations would be given to their bid over the other bidders. The bid was made public on August 2, 2019 and three bidders submitted bids. All bidders met the necessary requirements stated in the bid. The bid document consisted of a project scope and necessary requirements to successfully implement the newly acquired hardware.

Village of North Aurora Network Hardware Replacement Bids

Vendor	Price
Noor and Shah Corp.	\$4,200.00
Excal Tech	\$8,110.00
CCC Technologies	\$17,012.50

Staff reviewed the bids and after checking references recommends awarding the bid to the lowest bidder Noor and Shah Corporation in the amount of \$4,200.00. Staff purchased the necessary hardware for this project in the amount of \$24,455.70. The overall budget for this project is \$50,000.