

## **BILL NO. 17- 41**

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AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF CONSULTING SERVICES FROM TUSA CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF JOINING THE METROPOLITAN AREA REGIONAL RADIO SYSTEM (MARRS) THROUGH A COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENT WITH THE KANSAS CITY REGIONAL PURCHASING COOPERATIVE OF MID AMERICA REGIONAL COUNCIL AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS FOR THE SAME BY AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI.

WHEREAS, the citizens of Lee's Summit, Missouri voted to approve a No-Tax increase General Obligation Bond for Public Safety Improvements at the November 8, 2016 general election that, in part, provided funding to join the Metropolitan Area Regional Radio System (MARRS); and,

WHEREAS, the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri ("City") desires to contract for wireless communication consulting support services for the design, procurement and implementation to the MARRS network; and,

WHEREAS, the Mid-America Regional Council ("MARC") coordinates the MARRS radio network with participants in the bi-state region and has entered into a professional services agreement with Tusa Consulting Services ("Tusa") for consulting, design, and project management services; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council has authorized the City through Resolution 16-18 to participate in a cooperative purchasing program with MARC to acquire goods and services in cooperation with other members of the program, thereby realizing cost savings through economies of scale and the reduction of administrative costs; and,

WHEREAS, the City desires to retain the consulting services of Tusa through MARC's Kansas City Regional Purchasing Cooperative with the City Council's approval for purchases of all unbudgeted items in excess of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000); and,

WHEREAS, Tusa has provided City with a Proposal for Wireless Communications Consulting Services for Joining MARRS based upon its' cooperative agreement with MARC's Kansas City Regional Purchasing Cooperative; and,

WHEREAS, City desires to engage the services of Tusa as proposed in said Proposal for Wireless Communications Consulting Services for Joining MARRS.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the City is hereby authorized to utilize the cooperative agreement by and between the Mid America Regional Council Kansas City Regional Purchasing Cooperative in order to acquire consulting services for the purpose of joining the Metropolitan Area Regional Radio System.

SECTION 2. That the Tusa Consulting Services Proposal for Wireless Communications

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Consulting Services for Joining the Metropolitan Area Regional Radio System (MARRS), a true and accurate copy being attached hereto as "Exhibit A" and incorporated herein by reference, be and hereby is approved.

SECTION 3. That the City Manager is authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to retain the services of Tusa Consulting Services through the Kansas City Regional Purchasing Cooperative.

SECTION 4. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its adoption, passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED by the City Council for the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2017.

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Mayor *Randall L. Rhoads*

ATTEST:

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City Clerk *Denise R. Chisum*

APPROVED by the Mayor of said city this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

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Mayor *Randall L. Rhoads*

ATTEST:

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City Clerk *Denise R. Chisum*

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Chief Counsel of Public Safety  
*Beth Murano*