RESOLUTION NO. RES-23-0127

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT AND ANY SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS THERETO WITH DOOLEY ENTERPRISES, INC. WITHOUT ADVERTISING FOR BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF AMMUNITION MANUFACTURED BY WINCHESTER IN A TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $285,000

WHEREAS, City Council approval is requested to enter into a contract with Dooley Enterprises, Inc. for the purchase of ammunition manufactured by Winchester; and

WHEREAS, the Long Beach Police Department ("LBPD") uses Winchester ammunition for armed personnel training, shooting qualification requirements and during critical incident operations; and

WHEREAS, a variety of Winchester ammunition model types are included in LBPD's Special Order Military Equipment Report, in compliance with California Assembly Bill 481; and

WHEREAS, Dooley Enterprises, Inc. is the authorized, sole source, law enforcement distributor for Winchester ammunition in the state of California; and

WHEREAS, LBPD has standardized its training and premium duty rounds with Winchester factory-loaded ammunitions since 2004; and

WHEREAS, Winchester goes through great lengths to ensure its training and duty rounds are identical, as standardization is necessary when handling a lethal weapon where performance and accuracy are critical; and

WHEREAS, as a result, no useful purpose would be served by advertising

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1 for bids and to do so would constitute an idle and useless act and an unnecessary

2 expenditure of public funds;

3 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as

4 follows:

5 Section 1.   The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated

6 herein.

7 Section 2.   The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter a contract and

8 any necessary documents including any subsequent amendments, with Dooley

9 Enterprises, Inc., of Anaheim, California for the purchase of ammunition manufactured by

10 Winchester, in a total annual amount not to exceed Two Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand

11 ($285,000), for the period of five (5) years, with the option to renew for three (3)

12 additional one-year periods, at the discretion of the City Manager.

13 Section 3.   This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption

14 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of _____ September 5 _____, 2023 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: Zendejas, Allen, Duggan, Supernaw, Kerr, Saro, Austin, Ricks-Oddie.

Noes: Councilmembers: None.

Absent: Councilmembers: Uranga.

Recusal(s):   Councilmembers: None.

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City Clerk