RESOLUTION NO. RES-18-0021

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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL	OF THE				
CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING TH	HE CITY				
MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WIT	TH ZOLI				
MEDICAL CORPORATION, WITHOUT ADVERTISING FOR					
BIDS, FOR THE PURCHASE OF	12-LEAD				
ELECTROCARDIOGRAM DEFIBRILLATOR	UNITS				
BATTERIES AND ACCESSORIES IN AN	ANNUAL				
AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$113,410					
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WHEREAS, the Long Beach Fire Department currently utilizes 12-lead electrocardiogram units supplied by Zoll Medical Corporation to provide emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, the Long Beach Fire Department requires additional units, parts and accessories compatible with its current models and monitors, on which all Long Beach paramedics have been trained; and

WHEREAS, the additional units will streamline the identification and treatment of cardiac patients in order to improve their care; and

WHEREAS, Zoll Medical Corporation does not use regional distributors and is the sole manufacturer and source for its products; and

WHEREAS, as a result, no useful purpose would be served by advertising for bids for 12-lead electrocardiogram defibrillator units, parts and accessories, and to do so would constitute an idle and useless act and an unnecessary expenditure of public funds;

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Ayes:

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as follows:

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter a contract, without advertising for bids, with Zoll Medical Corporation for the purchase of 12-lead electrocardiogram defibrillator units, batteries and accessories for a period of one (1) year in an amount not to exceed \$113,410 annually, with the option of renewing the agreement for three (3) additional one-year periods at the discretion of the City Manager or his or her designee. If the sole source status of Zoll Medical Corporation changes, the City shall publicly bid instead of extending the contract.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of February 20, 2018 by the following vote:

Councilmembers:

Gonzalez, Pearce, Price, Supernaw,

		Mungo, Andrews, Uranga, Austin,
		Richardson.
Noes:	Councilmembers:	None.
Absent:	Councilmembers:	None.
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		City Clerk