

WOODBURY COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM(S) REQUEST FORM

Date: 12/21/20 Weekly Agenda Date: 12/29/20

ELECTED OFFICIAL / DEPARTMENT HEAD / CITIZEN: Supervisor Matthew Ung

WORDING FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Consideration of allowing the purchase of outdated and unsupported electronic equipment by direct sale

ACTION REQUIRED:

Approve Ordinance ☐

Approve Resolution ☐

Approve Motion ☒

Give Direction ☐

Other: Informational ☐

Attachments ☐

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Supervisor Marty Pottebaum whose term ends on December 31st is requesting to purchase a laptop that he previously used for \$200.

BACKGROUND:

Supervisors De Witt, Radig, Ung and Wright would be able to vote on this item. Supervisor Pottebaum would not be able to vote on this particular item.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

County will receive \$200.00 from Supervisor Pottebaum

IF THERE IS A CONTRACT INVOLVED IN THE AGENDA ITEM, HAS THE CONTRACT BEEN SUBMITTED AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR AND ANSWERED WITH A REVIEW BY THE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE?

Yes ☐ No ☐

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the direct sale of the laptop to Supervisor Pottebaum for \$200.00

ACTION REQUIRED / PROPOSED MOTION:

Approve the direct sale of the laptop to Supervisor Pottebaum for \$200.00.

From: John Malloy
Sent: Monday, December 21, 2020 10:35 AM
To: Karen James
Cc: Michelle Brown
Subject: BOS Laptop Research

Karen,

My Admin Assistant (Michelle) and I researched the 850 G3 laptop and the following are the data results that she/we discovered:

1. The unit in question was purchased in January of 2017 for \$1126.90.
2. eBay yields "Reseller" pricing of \$227.50 - \$349.99 for similar units - dependent on wear and tear, power cords etcetera.
3. According to Webretailer.com, 55% of Resellers have profit margins above 20% and 6% of Resellers have profit margins above 50%.

Lastly, if the laptop is sold, the unit will be reset to original factory defaults which will remove all WCICC (County) licensed software.

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