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STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: June 8, 2021

DATE: Thursday, June 03, 2021

TO: Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Brian deMunnik, Director – Regional Public Safety Training Center
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THROUGH: Sheriff Darin Balaam

SUBJECT: Recommendation to approve the upgrade of the Burn Tower Class B Structural FIRETRAINER T-1000 from KFT Fire Trainer, LLC under a sole source purchasing exemption for the Regional Public Safety Training Center at a cost not to exceed [\$145,602.00]. (All Commission Districts.)

SUMMARY

Recommendation to approve the upgrade of the Burn Tower Class B Structural FIRETRAINER T-1000 from KFT Fire Trainer, LLC at a cost not to exceed [\$145,602.00].

Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item: Safe, Secure and Healthy Communities.

PREVIOUS ACTION

None

BACKGROUND

The RPSTC Burn Tower Class B Structural FIRETRAINER T-1000 is approximately 20 years old and is not in compliance with National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) code 1402. The current system also does not meet the needs for firefighter training and parts are no longer available for replacement.

KFT Fire Trainer, LLC. will upgrade the existing FIRETRAINER T-1000, bringing this Class B training system into compliance with NFPA code 1402, as well as providing safe and relevant training to firefighters.

AGENDA ITEM # _____

FISCAL IMPACT

Should the Board approve the sole source exemption and purchase of the Burn Tower Class B Structural FIRETRAINER T-1000 from KFT Fire Trainer, LLC, the use of existing funds in the approved FY21 budget will be utilized. The RPSTC Executive Board approved the purchase on April 8, 2021. If approved, the fiscal impact will be covered within the RPSTC Enterprise Fund C209000-781004 – Capital Equipment.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended the Board of County Commissioners approve the upgrade of the Burn Tower Class B Structural FIRETRAINER T-1000 from KFT Fire Trainer, LLC under a sole source purchasing exemption for the Regional Public Safety Training Center at a cost not to exceed [\$145,602.00].

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: "Move approve the upgrade of the Burn Tower Class B Structural FIRETRAINER T-1000 from KFT Fire Trainer, LLC under a sole source purchasing exemption for the Regional Public Safety Training Center at a cost not to exceed [\$145,602.00]."