

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



TO: Bogdan Vitas, City Manager

FROM: John Wilkins, Parking Manager

DATE: September 26, 2013

SUBJECT: Approval for forced migration to 3G Mode by AT&T for Parking Paystations.

Action Statement:

Approval of expenditure of funds budgeted in the City's Fiscal 2014 Budget for a forced migration by AT&T to 3G modems in 42 Cale Parking Paystations that currently have 2G modems.

Background:

In 2013, the City was given notice that AT&T will require 42 current Cale Parking Paystations with 2G modems to upgrade to 3G modems. Cale America, Inc. will provide the modems, installation and proprietary software upgrades required. Funds were budgeted for this forced migration in the Fiscal 2014 budget.

Cale America requests this upgrade be completed before the end of October 2014 if possible.

The 3G modem upgrade will provide more reliable and faster communication between our parking paystations and cell towers in the vicinity. AT&T will no longer support 2G modem communication once their cell towers are upgraded.

Fiscal Impact:

The cost of this upgrade will be \$22,622.92. The budgeted amount was \$23,000.00