

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF GREENSBORO
AND GRANICUS, INC. TO PROVIDE GRANICUS EQUIPMENT UPGRADE AND
SOFTWARE RENEWAL

WHEREAS, the City is currently using Granicus software and hardware for streaming the City Council meetings, developing and posting City Council meeting agendas; finalizing the minutes; and recording Council meeting votes provided by Granicus. Currently the City is using two outdated analog encoders, which are no longer supported by Granicus.

WHEREAS, the proposed a five-year contract is for the updated equipment and maintenance of said software and hardware and for the one-time replacement fee and monthly costs of the digital encoders. The proposed contract is structured to allow the City to lock the maintenance rate for two consecutive years without an escalation and lower the escalation rate for the remaining three years from 5% to 3%.

WHEREAS, Granicus, Inc. is the sole source provider of the software and hardware for the system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

That the City is authorized to purchase updated encoders and maintenance with Granicus through the year 2022. Funding for the payments over the five-year period are authorized from Legislative, IT & GTN/Communications departments. The Mayor and/or City Manager and the City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the City of Greensboro a proper contract to carry the proposal into effect.