ST. CHARLES SINCE 1834	**AGENDA ITEM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**	Agenda Item number: *5.b
	Title:	Recommendation to approve Police Station Computer Network Equipment Procurement from Continental Resources, in the amount of $47,011.37.
	Presenters:	Steve Weishaar, Network Manager

Meeting: Government Operations Committee	Date: June 3, 2019	
Proposed Cost: $47,011.37	Budgeted Amount: $47,011.37	Not Budgeted: ☐

Executive Summary (*if not budgeted please explain*)**:**

The City's computer network is a digital communications system that enables the City's personal computers, laptops, servers, and telephones to exchange information with each other and, if required, the Internet. As a result, the City's computer network is essential to its business operations.

In order to provide computer services to support Police Department operations at the new Police Station, network equipment is required. To meet this need, Information Systems Department staff released a request for quote for the purchase of 25 wireless access points, six network switches and supporting technology. Six computer equipment vendors submitted bids to the City, and Continental Resources was the lowest bidder at $47,011.37. Following is a summary of the bid tabulation:

Vendor	Total
Continental Resources	$ 47,011.37
CDWG	$ 69,999.08
GovConnection	$ 73,622.55
SHI	$ 74,503.73
Presidio	$ 78,120.14
Orbis	$ 93,044.80

In addition to providing network equipment for the new Police Station, this purchase is the first phase in the City's FY 20 project to replace its core network infrastructure. As a result, later in the year additional network equipment will be purchased to support the computing environment at the Police Station, as well as at most City buildings.

Attachments (*please list*)**:**
None

Recommendation/Suggested Action (*briefly explain*)**:**

Recommend approval of network equipment procurement from Continental Resources, in the amount of $47,011.37.