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City of Mt. Juliet

Approval of a Contract for Traffic Signal Preemption

- 1) Who: Mt. Juliet Fire Department
 - 2) What: Approval is needed to authorize a contract with Opticom for Traffic Signal Preemption
 - 3) When: Immediately
 - 4) Where: Multiple traffic signals located within the corporate limits of Mt. Juliet
 - 5) Why: For several months MJFD has been utilizing traffic signal preemption as a pilot project at the intersection of N. Mt. Juliet Rd and Division Street. The pilot found that the system performed very well and vastly improved safety and greatly decreased the time to traverse the intersection. This contract will place preemption at 24 intersections throughout Mt. Juliet. This project will improve safety of the driving public and MJFD personnel as fire and EMS vehicles respond to emergency calls and will improve response times to emergency calls.
 - 6) Costs:

Initial equipment and installation:	\$138,533.00
Annual licensing:	\$ 9,254.40
Total:	\$147,787.40
 - 7) Line Item: 110-42200-945
- Staff Recommendation: Chief Mark Foulks, Brandon Lee, Todd Serbent
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