

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
JANUARY 9, 2024 AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
<p>Authorization to amend Resolution No. 15,844 (December 20, 2022), to renew the contract with ShotSpotter, Inc., d/b/a SST, Inc., for an additional one (1)-year period from December 19, 2023, through December 18, 2024.</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Little Rock Police Department</p>	<p>Ordinance √ Resolution</p>	<p>Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>

SYNOPSIS	A resolution to amend Resolution No. 15,844 (December 20, 2022), to authorize the City Manager to renew the contract with ShotSpotter, Inc., d/b/a SST, Inc., for an additional one (1)-year period from December 19, 2023, through December 18, 2024.
FISCAL IMPACT	The amount of this project is \$149,500.00, plus applicable taxes and fees, and funds are available from the Federal American Rescue Funds Account No. 270529-G0601AR52A.
RECOMMENDATION	Approval of the resolution.
BACKGROUND	ShotSpotter operates on the principle of multilateration, based upon the precise time the sound of gunfire arrives at each sensor utilizing audio sensors installed on top of buildings or on poles in the designated service area and the cloud-based, subscription manages service offering, and multiple sensors pick up on the guns shot's sound and transmits data to the SST cloud-based server, where the company's proprietary software analyzes the data to classify the incident and determine the exact location.

**BACKGROUND
CONTINUED**

It is critical that the Little Rock Police Department continue be equipped and trained with reliable forms of response intervention equipment to preserve public safety.

The proposed services will be delivered according to the terms and conditions contained in the Agreement between the City of Little Rock and ShotSpotter dated August 10, 2018, as amended to reflect the revisions in Amendment Once, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Resolution No. 15,392 (February 23, 2021) approved by the Board of Directors authorized a one (1)-year contract for the Wide-Area Gunshot Detection Service, with the option of two (2) additional one (1)-year terms. Resolution No. 15,844 (December 20, 2022) approved by the Board of Directors authorized an extension of the contract for one (1) additional year. This extension represents year three (3) of a potential three (3)-year term.