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April 20, 2022

The City Council
Niagara Falls, New York

RE: Agreement to Tag and Swap Telephone Lines (AT Technology, Inc.)

Council Members:

In fall 2021, the City Council approved an agreement with Spectrotel, Inc. to provide enhanced network and telecommunications services to the City. Currently, the MIS Department is in the process of management of the transfer of the City's telephone lines from Windstream to Spectrotel. However, our staff does not possess the technical capacity to tag and swap the lines as required to implement such a program. Accordingly, it will be necessary to enter into an agreement with a company that can provide such services. It is hereby proposed that the City enter into an agreement with AT Technology, Inc. ("ATT") for the desired telecommunication services.

The City has received a proposal from ATT for the services and labor necessary to tag and swap telephone lines. The proposed cost is \$12,000.00, based on an estimated 80 hours labor at a rate of \$150.00 per hour. Funding is available from Tribal Revenue reserves. It is hoped that the project will not take the full 80 hours to complete, which will lead to some cost avoidance.

Will the Council so approve and authorize the Mayor to execute any documents necessary to implement the same, provided these documents are in form and content acceptable to the Corporation Counsel?

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT M. RESTAINO
Mayor

Funding Approval:

Daniel Morello, City Controller
City Council Meeting, April 22, 2022

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