

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ (N.C.S.)**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DIRECT PURCHASE OF VEHICLES  
AND EQUIPMENT**

**WHEREAS**, the Salinas Police Department FY-19/20 Measure G Budget has funds available in Capital Improvement Programs (CIP) 9579 to purchase additional police vehicles and equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Dodge Charger was identified as the vehicle best able to fit the needs of the Department; and

**WHEREAS**, My Dodge in Salinas is local and has competitive prices and availability to meet the Department's needs; and

**WHEREAS**, My Dodge in Salinas has immediate availability of a Dodge Charger SXT and was the preferred price for the Department's needs; and

**WHEREAS**, each of these vehicles requires equipment in order to make them functional for the Department's needs; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council can approve these purchase pursuant to Salinas Municipal Code Sections 12-25 (cooperative purchases) and 12-27 (purchases without notice, advertising or competitive bids) in contracting for equipment, materials, supplies and services.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SALINAS CITY COUNCIL** that the Purchasing Officer is hereby authorized to direct purchase nine Dodge Chargers from My Dodge in Salinas and one 2019 Dodge Charger SXT from My Dodge in Salinas, in addition to the required ballistic and radio/computer equipment for each vehicle from Motorola, Axon Co., and installation, emergency lighting and Panasonic Toughbooks from Lehr Auto Electric for a total of \$629,236.77, as specified in the Staff Report and the attachments thereto which accompany this Resolution, using funding from CIP 9579.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 2019, by the following votes:

**AYES:**

**NOES:**

**ABSTAIN:**

**ABSENT:**

**APPROVED:**

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Joe Gunter, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Patricia M. Barajas, City Clerk