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## NARRAGANSETT TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM REPORT

**DATE:** January 16, 2024

**FROM:** Sean Corrigan, Police Chief

**DEPARTMENT:** Police Department

### **SUBJECT:**

A MOTION TO APPROVE the Purchase of New Active Shooter Ballistic Carrier Kits for the Police Department from Bulletproof It, LLC, in the amount of \$6,486.00.

### SUGGESTED ACTION:

This purchase is for fourteen (14) new ASR-II-Black Carrier-Level III-Kits. Each Active Shooter Ballistic Carrier Kit comes with cummerbund, double rifle pistol pouch, TQ pouch and police patches at a cost of \$449.00 each, plus \$200.00 (total) for shipping. This purchase also includes two (2) new NIJ Certified Level III+ Armored Plates. These new Ballistic Carriers are imperative to equip the officers of the Narragansett Police Department with proper protection.

Please see the attached letter from Bulletproof It, LLC stating that they are the Sole Source Provider of this type of Level III rated Active Shooter Ballistic Carrier Kit. In accordance with the Town of Narragansett Code of Ordinances, Section 70-326 and Rhode Island General Laws, Chapter 55, Section 45-55-8, the Purchasing Manager has determined this to be a sole source item.

## **FUNDING SOURCE:**

Funding is available in the Police Department Capital Projects Account # 00200190 57075, Equipment Replacement #4.

## **ATTACHMENTS:**

BPI- Sole Source(ASR) Vest Kit -2 Narragansett Police.pdf BPI Ballistic Carrier Quote 12222023.pdf