ORDINANCE NO. 180504

Authorizing the Manager of Procurement Services to execute a one year project contract with Alexander Open Systems, Inc. to upgrade and replace Aviation's current VBlock IT datacenter platforms and related products and services; and authorizing the Manager of Procurement Services to amend the contract to extend the term of the contract without further Council approval.

WHEREAS, Section 3-41(a)(2), Code of Ordinances, requires the Manager of Procurement Services to obtain City Council authorization to enter into contracts for goods or supplies that may exceed \$1,000,000.00; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated the City will spend over \$4,532,316.00 in Fiscal Year 2018-2019; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KANSAS CITY:

Section 1. That the Manager of Procurement Services is authorized to execute a one year project contract with Alexander Open Systems, Inc. to upgrade and replace Aviation's current VBlock IT datacenter platforms and related products and services.

Section 2. That the Manager of Procurement Services is hereby authorized to amend the contract to extend the term of the contract without additional City Council authorization.

The City has no financial obligation under both this Ordinance and Contract until the Manager of Procurement Services issues a Purchase Order which shall be signed by the City's Director of Finance certifying there is a balance, otherwise unencumbered, to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is to be charged, and a cash balance, otherwise unencumbered, in the treasury, to the credit of the fund from which payment will be made, each sufficient to meet the obligation incurred in the Purchase

Order.

Randall J. Landes
Director of Finance

Approved as to form and legality:

Joseph A. Guarino
Assistant City Attorney