



REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

ITEM NO. 6d

DATE OF MEETING: September 14, 2015

REQUESTED BY: Erik Harvey, Director; Pender County ITS Department

SHORT TITLE: Approval of a Purchase Order to Computer Central for NetMotion Software Annual Support & Licensing Agreement in the amount of \$5,100.00.

BACKGROUND: NetMotion provides County employees in the field secure remote access to County information and applications. Using NetMotion allows employees to maximize their productivity by maintaining and securing their data connections by an encrypted tunnel as they move in and out of wireless coverage areas and roam between networks. NetMotion allows County IT to push out Microsoft Windows operating system updates, application patches and updates, virus definitions and run scans, and perform audits. Pender County has immediate and unlimited access to NetMotion Support Services to address any issues that may arise with our NetMotion system 24x7. Our maintenance agreement provides new releases which include new features and functionality along with new technology updates.

Three quotes were obtained. Computer Central was selected based on lowest cost.

Computer Central:	\$5,100.00
AT&T	\$5,750.00
SHI:	\$5,857.38

SPECIFIC ACTION REQUESTED: To approve a Purchase Order to Computer Central for NetMotion Software Annual Support & Licensing in the amount of \$5,100.00. This expenditure has been budgeted in the FY 15-16 Budget Ordinance and will be taken from the following line item:

IT Contracted Services: 445-404500