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AUTHORIZING 2021 BUDGET FOR VICTIM INFORMATION AND NOTIFICATION EVERYDAY (VINE) PROGRAM

2021 RES-167

Victim Information and Notification Everyday (VINE) is an automated notification system designed to provide crime victims and families up-to-date offender information. VINE allows victims of crime to use the telephone or the internet to search for information regarding their offender's custody status and register to receive telephone or e-mail notification when their offender's custody status changes. VINE notifications are one way crime victims, or the general public, can stay informed about the custody location and custody status of an offender, 24-hours a day, 7-days a week. Crime victims and concerned citizens can register to be notified by phone, email, text message (SMS) or TTY device when an offender's custody status changes. Users can also register through a toll-free number. This notification service is provided at no cost to the user.

2019 RES-494 approved a five-year contract for this service at the following cost:

Contract Term	Pricing
Term 1 (10/13/2019 – 10/12/2020)	\$45,634.97
Term 2 (10/13/2020 - 10/12/2021)	\$47,004.02
Term 3 (10/13/2021 – 10/12/2022)	\$48,414.14
Term 4 (10/13/2022 - 10/12/2023)	\$49,866.57
Term 5 (10/13/2023 – 10/12/2024)	\$51,362.57

The Sheriff's Office reimburses Appris VINE directly for the automated notification system and then the inmate phone and video visitation contract reimburses the Sheriff's Office monthly for the notification service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 2021 budget for the VINE service is set up as follows:

SHRFSEC 30130 VINE Victim Notification Exp SHRFSEC 80130 VINE Victim Notification Rev \$47,360

2022 – 2024 budget for VINE service contract shall be set up during the annual budget process.