Portland Police Bureau's Body Worn Camera Project

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Background

- PPB has been interested in and actively researching options for a BWC programs since FY 2013-14

- DOJ stated in a letter to the City that the use of a properly implemented BWC program would remedy the noncompliance it cites in the Settlement Agreement

- City Council approved one-time funds not to exceed $2.6M in the Fall BMP

RFP Specifics

- RFP does not determine policy, and only asks what options are available from the responding vendors

- 3 scored phases
  - Written response to RFP
  - Demonstrations of top 2-3 vendors
  - Pilot Test of top vendor: 173 Officers at Central Precinct and the FIT
    - Validate policy
    - Test camera function, durability, ease of use, redaction software, infrastructure
- Full Implementation of 636 cameras

RFP Requirements

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- Requirements:

  - Ability to upload, store, retrieve, manage, redact, and disseminate audio, video, and still digital images

  - Robust end-user interface for complete administration

  - Granular level administrative security with audit trails

  - Configurable retention and purge system based on defined rules

  - Data conversion into industry standard formats

  - Fully integrated redaction tool to automatically detect and render faces unidentifiable

RFP Requiements cont.

- Ability to search and sort files

- Upload multiple devices simultaneously

- Multiple mounting options

- Capture images comparable to natural human vision

- Minimum record time and battery life

- Minimum 30 second buffering when activated/deactivated (DOJ)

- Indicator lights

- Charging option

- Triggers for activation; firearm/ECW drawn, vehicle pursuit (DOJ)

- Ability to review and tag in the field

RFP Requirements cont.

- Index multiple cameras to a single event

- Interfacing to 3rd party systems

- Federal and Oregon CJI standards

- Data ownership

- Compatible with City systems and software

- Minimum encryption standards

- Role based security levels for activity

- Training and documentation

- Warranty and maintenance support

- Implementation plan

Timeline

- On-going: Policy discussions with PPA

- Feb – mid Mar: RFP posted for Vendor response

- Mid Apr: Vendor demonstrations

- May – Jul: Contract Negotiations for Pilot, Training, Facility prep

- Aug – Sept: Pilot top Vendor

- Oct – Feb 23: Policy adjustment, Contract Negotiations, Facility Prep

- Mar – Dec: Training and Full Implementation

Questions?