

**CITY OF WEST ALLIS
RESOLUTION R-2020-0597**

**RESOLUTION TO APPROVE PURCHASE OF EXPRESS VOTE MACHINES
FROM ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE**

WHEREAS, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the city clerk expects to receive more absentee ballots for the November 2020 election than any election in the city's history; and

WHEREAS, the use of absentee ballots promotes the health and safety of electors and election workers by limiting personal contact, so it is in the best interests of the city to obtain equipment that can efficiently produce and process absentee ballots; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of Express Vote machines would allow the City to efficiently produce and process absentee ballots while also providing multilingual and ADA voting options; and

WHEREAS, the City has received a grant which will fully cover the cost to purchase of up to 15 Express Vote machines along with maintenance and warranties;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the West Allis Common Council that the purchase of up to 15 Express Voting machines, with maintenance and warranties, from Election Systems & Software is hereby authorized.

SECTION 1: **ADOPTION** “R-2020-0597” of the City Of West Allis Municipal Resolutions is hereby *added* as follows:

A D O P T I O N

R-2020-0597(*Added*)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the city clerk is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the aforesaid equipment and purchase the equipment for an amount not to exceed \$55,000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the finance department staff shall transfer the necessary amounts from Account #100-8813-517.30-04 to #100-1502-514.70-03 and payment is authorized from #100-1502-514.70-03.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF WEST ALLIS COUNCIL

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	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Ald. Angelito Tenorio	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Vince Vitale	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Tracy Stefanski	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Marty Weigel	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Suzzette Grisham	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Danna Kuehn	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Thomas Lajsic	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Dan Roadt	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Rosalie Reinke	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Kevin Haass	_____	_____	_____	_____

Attest

Presiding Officer

Rebecca Grill, City Clerk, City Of
West Allis

Dan Devine, Mayor City Of West
Allis