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RESOLUTION NUMBER 2022

A RESOLUTION TO NEGOTIATE THE PURCHASE OF A DIGITAL PROJECTION SYSTEM FOR THE GREENBELT THEATER TO CARDINAL SOUND & MOTION PICTURE SYSTEMS, INC. OF ELDRIDGE, MARYLAND IN THE AMOUNT OF \$108,460

WHEREAS, the City of Greenbelt is the owner of the Greenbelt Theater, an original theater located in the historic Roosevelt Center; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has approved a negotiated purchase for the renovation of the Greenbelt Theater; and

WHEREAS, the motion picture industry has discontinued distribution of films on 35mm film format; and

WHEREAS, the existing projection system in the Greenbelt Theater cannot display digital file format, rendering the existing system obsolete and unusable for popular motion picture presentation; and

WHEREAS, the company of Cardinal Sound & Motion Picture Systems, Inc. has been designing, supplying and services projection systems for over 20 years; and

WHEREAS, Cardinal Sound & Motion Picture Systems, Inc. has experience in design and installation of movie theater projection systems, and has unique experience working at the Greenbelt Theater; and

WHEREAS, Cardinal Sound & Motion Picture Systems, Inc. has experience designing ADA and captioning systems to accommodate the needs of the deaf, hearing impaired, vision impaired and blind members of the public;

WHEREAS, Cardinal Sound & Motion Picture Systems, Inc. has prepared an estimate to install a new digital projection system including new audio systems, Blue Ray player, ADA and captioning systems, and Cardinal Care remote monitoring system; and

WHEREAS, the total price quoted by Cardinal Sound & Motion Picture Systems, Inc. for the complete digital projection system is \$108,460 based on a proposal dated March 4, 2014;

WHEREAS, the city is the recipient of grant funds from the State of Maryland and the National Trust for Historic Preservation Partners in Preservation for the renovation work; and

WHEREAS, Cardinal Sound & Motion Picture Systems, Inc. has demonstrated their experience in the design and installation of digital projection systems;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, to approve the purchase of motion picture projection equipment for the Greenbelt Theater to the firm of Cardinal Sound & Motion Picture Systems, Inc. of Elkridge, Maryland in the amount of \$108,460.00, as set forth in their letter dated March 4, 2014.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at its Regular Meeting of June 4, 2014.

Emmett V. Jordan, Mayor

ATTEST:

Cindy Murray, City Clerk