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January 6, 2015

To: Dee F. Bruemmer, County Administrator

From: Matt Hirst, Information Technology Director

Subject: Purchase of SolarWinds Software Maintenance and Support

SolarWinds software license maintenance and support is due for renewal. SolarWinds is software implemented by Information Technology to monitor various technologies at Scott County and SECC and includes utilities for:

- Network Management
  - o Performance monitoring
  - o Traffic analysis
  - o Device configuration management
  - o Log and event managment
- Virtual server performance management
- Storage management
- VoIP manangement
- Client Management
  - o IP Address management
  - o Patch management

#### The bid summary is as follows:

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Total</u>
SolarWinds Direct	\$16,492.37
Loop1	\$14,019.00
DLT	\$14,756.34

It is recommeded that the Board approve the bid from Loop1 in the amount of \$14,019.

The Loop1 proposal provides Information Technology the ability to obtain the latest updates and patches to SolarWinds software as well the support necessary to better utilize the management utilities. The result is more functional and dependable technology.

This proposal combines all software from SolarWinds into a single co-terminus contract. Multiple contracts were awarded to SolarWinds in the amount of \$21,575 last year. Budget dollars are available in the Information Technology Department operational budget to fund this contract.

THE COUNTY AUDITOR'S SIGNATURE CERTIFIES THAT THIS RESOLUTION HAS BEEN FORMALLY APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ON

DATE

SCOTT COUNTY AUDITOR

## RESOLUTION

## SCOTT COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

January 15, 2015

# APPROVING PURCHASE OF SOLARWINDS SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT

BE IT RESOLVED BY the Scott County Board of Supervisors as follows:

- Section 1. The purchase of SolarWinds software maintenance and support from Loop1 Systems in the amount of \$14,019 is hereby approved.
- Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.