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To: Mahesh Sharma, County Administrator
From: Matt Hirst, Information Technology Director
Subject: Network Monitoring 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 includes utilities for:

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

The bid summary is as follows:

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Total</u>
SolarWinds Direct	\$28,912.00
Loop1	\$24,575.00

It is recommended that the Board approve the bid from Loop1 in the amount of \$24,575.00.

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.

The contract for this maintenance and support was awarded to Loop1 in the amount of \$23,743 in FY'15. 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

R E S O L U T I O N

SCOTT COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

October 6, 2016

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 \$24,575 is hereby approved.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.