

**RESOLUTION 2023-95**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF A FIXED BASE NETWORK WITH MUNICIPAL SUPPLY INC.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of West Branch, Iowa desires to utilize a fixed base network for the purposes of reading water meters for monthly billing and abnormal usage issues; and

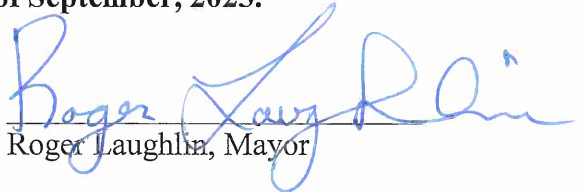
**WHEREAS**, the Lead Water / Sewer Operator spends approximately ten percent of their time reading water meters each month;

**WHEREAS**, by adding this software capability will free the operator up to do other required tasks; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of West Branch will pay \$37,925 to Municipal Supply Inc. for installation for a R100 antenna, software set-up and training for the first year, plus an additional \$8,300 annually for support (see Exhibit A)

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of West Branch, Iowa, that the aforementioned purchase of a Fixed Base Network with Municipal Supply Inc. is hereby approved.

**Passed and approved this 5th day of September, 2023.**

  
Roger Laughlin, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Leslie Brick, City Clerk

City of West Branch  
Fixed Based Network  
07-17-2023

EXHIBIT A

R100 Antenna and Installation	\$13,750
Software Set-up and Training	\$15,875
Annual Support Based off 650 Meters	\$8300

**Total:** **\$37,925**

3/4s iPERL Water Meters	\$155
SmartPoints	\$175
Dual Port SmartPoints	\$225

Dan Ashworth  
Municipal Supply  
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