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Utah Department of Public Safety
9-1-1 Committee
Attention: Bill Jensen & Sam Saeva

Dear Committee Members:

The St George Communications Center was previously awarded a grant for \$280,314.00 for a six position Plant/CML Sentinel Patriot system. At the time of the award I was lead to believe that this system would function similarly to the Plant Vesta system that we currently use in our primary PSAP. After visiting the Richfield PSAP and talking with Plant engineers I found that the Sentinel Patriot system functions much differently at the operator level. With this in mind it does not make sense to install equipment in our alternate dispatch center that is substantially different from the equipment that our dispatchers are using on a day to day basis.

With the committee's approval I would like to make a request to deobligate the grant funds of \$280,314.00 that was awarded to the City of St George for the Plant/CML Sentinel Patriot system and make a new application for a Plant Vesta-Pallas system for \$209,004.68.

Sincerely,

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