RESOLUTION NO. 4

WHEREAS, Sangamon County's current email system was implemented in 1998 and has become outdated;

WHEREAS, Sangamon County's current network software is no longer supported by the software vendor;

WHEREAS. Sangamon County has submitted a network upgrade implementation Request for Proposal for open and public response;

WHEREAS. Sangamon County has reviewed the network upgrade implementation Request for Proposal responses and has selected a suitable vendor

THEREFORE, the Sangamon County Information Systems Department has developed a proposal to upgrade the County's network software and email system. The proposal includes a project plan with associated costs to complete the upgrade project. Included in the plan are upgrades to the County network servers, software, Internet firewall system, and the County wide email system. The plan also includes all of the necessary training for the Information Systems staff, and the County employee's who use the email system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Members of the Board of Sangamon County, Illinois in session this 12th day of August, 2008, that funds be allocated for the County network services and email upgrade which includes DELL hardware at a cost of \$55,100, Microsoft software at a cost of \$123,124, end user and I.T. technical training at a cost of \$67,020, and implementation provided by RK Dixon at a. cost of \$154.010. Authorization is also hereby given to the County Board Chairman to execute a contract with RK Dixon in accordance with the RFP documents and vendor response documents to provide the implementation portion of the project at a cost of \$154,010. RK Dixon is the selected vendor based on the Request for Proposal - CO 2008.05 Network Services Upgrade. The DELL hardware and Microsoft software items will be purchased off of the State of Illinois contract; therefore no separate Request for Proposal bid process is needed.

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