

MEMORANDUM
Police Department

TO: Mr. Thomas Thomas, City Manager

SUBJECT: Police Uniform Contract
RE: Renewal of Contract

NUMBER: 044-12
DATE: 10/10/12

The current Uniform Contract between the City of Rock Island and Uniform Den, Inc. for the purchase of uniforms (Part A - Uniform Pants & Shirts, Part B - Uniform Outerwear & Accessories and Part D - Badges & Bars) expires December 31, 2012. As outlined in the contract, this contract may be renewed at the request of the contractor. To do this the "Contractor must submit a written request to apply for renewal three (3) months prior to the expiration date of the contract." This written request has been received from Uniform Den, Inc. (see attached) and is being submitted for consideration by the City Council.

Uniform Den, Inc. has requested a 3% increase based upon the current Police uniform contract which states:

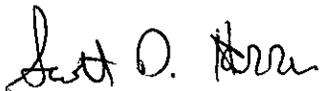
The City of Rock Island Finance Department may approve, upon request, increases in the contract prices if those changes are the result of at least a three percent (3%) change in the most recent Producer Price Index for Textile Products and Apparel published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Statistics. Contract price increases, if granted, shall be limited to the percent of increase reflected in the index. All index decreases of three percent (3%) or more shall result in a decrease in all contract prices. All contract price decreases resulting from decreases in the index shall be limited to the percent of decrease reflected in the index.

City Finance Director, Cynthia Parchert indicated that the "Producer Price Index for Textile Products and Apparel" has shown a 6.2% increase since January 1, 2011 (see attached).

RECOMMENDATION:

I recommend that the City Council authorize the renewal of the uniform contract (Part A - Uniform Pants & Shirts, Part B - Uniform Outerwear & Accessories and Part D - Badges & Bars) with Uniform Den, Inc. for one year, expiring December 31, 2013, to include a **3% increase** based upon the current Police uniform contract.

SUBMITTED BY: Lt. Jason Foy
Commander, A.T.S.B.



APPROVED: Scott D. Harris
Chief of Police

APPROVED: Mr. Thomas Thomas
City Manager

CC: Lt. Jason Foy

Producer Price Index-Commodities
Original Data Value

Series Id: WPU03
Not Seasonally Adjusted
Group: Textile products and apparel
Item: Textile products and apparel
Base Date: 198200
Years: 2010 to 2012

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
2010	130.1	130.3	131.0	131.1	131.5	131.5	131.5	131.8	131.9	132.3	133.3	134.0	131.7
2011	136.1	137.7	139.7	141.1	143.0	143.3	143.3	143.6	143.8	143.3	143.0	142.1	141.7
2012	141.9	142.2	142.6	142.5	142.5	142.7	142.0	142.3					



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REF: Police Uniform Contract Renewal

Lt Foy,

Please accept this letter as a renewal of the Police Uniform Contract. Unfortunately because of the price increases that we have been given by the manufactures and shipping we are requesting a 3% increase.

Please let me know if this is acceptable

Andy Dennhardt

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Uniform Den Inc.