



Sheriff's Office
COUNTY OF TULARE
AGENDA ITEM

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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AGENDA DATE: September 17, 2019

Table with 3 columns: Requirement, Yes/No checkboxes, N/A checkboxes. Includes items like Public Hearing Required, Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk, etc. CONTACT PERSON: Ed Lardner, Grant Specialist PHONE: (559) 802-9462

SUBJECT: Approve a fourth amendment to Agreement No. 26035 with Global Tel\*Link Corporation

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Approve a fourth amendment to Agreement No. 26035 with Global Tel\* Link Corporation...
2. Find that the Board had authority to enter into the proposed amendment...
3. Authorize the Chairman to sign three copies of the amendment.

SUMMARY:

On April 16, 2013, the Board approved Agreement No. 26035 with Global Tel\* Link Corporation (GTL) to provide inmate telephone services at the adult correctional facilities managed by the Tulare County Sheriff's Office (TCSO) and the juvenile correctional facilities managed by the Tulare County Probation Department (Probation).

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provide inmate telephone services at the newly constructed SCDF per California Penal Code Section 851.5.

The County and GTL have amended the agreement three times. The first Amendment is effective October 21, 2014, Amendment 26035-A, Resolution No. 2014-0755. The second Amendment is effective October 21, 2014, Amendment 26035-B, Resolution No. 2014-0755. The third Amendment is effective June 20, 2016, Amendment 26035-C, Resolution No. 2016-0849.

The original agreement was approved as to form by County Counsel on March 20, 2013 and was approved by the Board of Supervisors on April 16, 2013. The substantive deviations from the standard County boilerplate identified in the original agenda item were: Termination may be made without cause upon 6 months advance notice. The proposed amendment to the agreement does not include any additional deviations from the standard County boilerplate. The only changes to the original agreement, as amended to date, are the dollar amount of the agreement. The price for services has not changed.

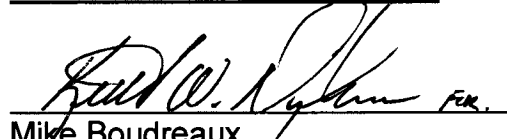
**FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:**

The amendment with GTL is to add an additional TCSO adult correctional facility to the original agreement, the South County Detention Facility. The County will receive revenue from GTL for the inmate telephone and video visitation system. The County receives a 70% commission from the GTL system. TCSO commission received from GTL for FY 18/19 was \$499,670 and was deposited into the adult Inmate Welfare Trust Fund. Probation commission received from GTL for FY 18/19 was \$27,003 and was deposited into the juvenile Inmate Welfare Trust Fund. There is no additional net County cost to the General Fund.

**LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:**

The County's Strategic Plan includes the Safety and Security initiative to provide facilities and resources for training and rehabilitation of offenders. The GTL agreement helps fulfill this initiative by expending the revenue collected for the education and welfare of offenders confined within County facilities.

**ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:**

  
Mike Boudreaux  
Sheriff-Coroner

cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s) Amendment

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE AN )  
AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT No. ) Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_  
26035 WITH GLOBAL TEL\* LINK ) Agreement No. \_\_\_\_\_  
CORPORATION )

UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_, SECONDED BY  
SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:  
NOES:  
ABSTAIN:  
ABSENT:

ATTEST: JASON T. BRITT  
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/  
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

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1. Approved a fourth amendment to Agreement No. 26035 with Global Tel\* Link Corporation, to provide inmate telephone services at the Sheriff's South County Detention Facility, retroactive from July 1, 2019 to April 30, 2020. The amendment is retroactive due to a delay in amendment formulation with the vendor. It was impracticable for the Board to take action prior to July 1, 2019 due to the time needed to process, prepare, and submit the agenda item;
2. Found that the Board had authority to enter into the proposed amendment as of July 1, 2019, and that it was in the County's best interest to enter into the amendment on that date; and
3. Authorized the Chairman to sign three copies of the amendment.