



To: Commissioners' Court

From: Bill Burke/Director of Construction Projects

Date: January 22, 2018

Subject: Amendment to Construction Standards

Upon approval of FY18 PIP to replace the intercom system throughout the Jail, it is Facilities Maintenance recommendation to amend the Construction Standards, Court Order No. 2017-1000-12-11, to allow for the addition of a Preferred Manufacturer, Tech Works. The Tech Works replacement intercom parts are required to repair the existing intercom system at the jail and all other Collin County Detention Facilities. Tech Works is the only manufacture of components that work with our current system since Dukane systems went out of business. If we do not approve Tech Works as a preferred manufacturer we would need to add approximately \$250,000. to the \$177,000. budget to engineer replacing over 250 intercoms and associated wiring.

Thank you for your consideration,

Bill Burke  
Director of Construction Projects