

**RESOLUTION
ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Mickey Crittenden, IT Director
INITIATED BY



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DRAFTED BY

Finance Committee
SUBMITTED BY

March 7, 2017
DATE DRAFTED

AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF NETWORK DISK STORAGE

- 1 **WHEREAS**, the Information Technology Department manages the data storage needs for all County
- 2 systems and applications; and,
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- 4 **WHEREAS**, the 2017 Information Technology Department budget and Capital Projects Account
- 5 includes funding for adding capacity to the County's disk storage environment; and,
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- 7 **WHEREAS**, the Information Technology Department has determined and specified the requirements
- 8 for adding disk storage capacity; and,
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- 10 **WHEREAS**, an Invitation to Bid was issued in order to seek the best possible pricing for the purchase
- 11 and installation of a NexGen hybrid solid state and disk storage system; and,
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- 13 **WHEREAS**, the lowest cost and best qualified vendor for the NexGen disk storage unit is Transcendent,
- 14 LLC of Hartland, WI.
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- 16 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled
- 17 this 23rd day of March, 2017 authorizes a Purchase Order for a NexGen disk storage
- 18 expansion unit be issued to Transcendent, LLC in the amount of \$82,897.00.

17-3B-238

Respectfully submitted,

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Mary Mawhinney
Mary Mawhinney, Chair

Absent
Sandra Kraft, Vice Chair

Absent
Mary Beaver

Brent Fox
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J. Russell Podzilni
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FISCAL NOTE:

Sufficient funds are available in the IT capital budget for the cost of this purchase. This purchase is being funded by sales tax revenue.

Sherry Oja

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Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to take this action pursuant to secs. 59.01 and 59.51, Wis. Stats. In addition, sec. 59.52(29), Wis. Stats. requires the project to be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

Jeffrey S. Kuglitsch
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Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Josh Smith
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County Administrator

Executive Summary for Purchase of Network Disk Storage Unit

As an IT capital project included in the 2017 budget, the expansion of the County's storage area network (SAN) is planned to address the County's rapidly growing storage requirements for both structured and unstructured County information. The desired NexGen hybrid solid state/disk storage expansion unit will be targeted for applications and systems that are particularly data-intensive. The NexGen disk storage expansion unit will allow for greater throughput of input/output data operations as well as adding the necessary increase in raw storage capacity. The hybrid expansion unit uses a combination of solid state and disk storage, which further enhances the performance of all disk-related storage operations.

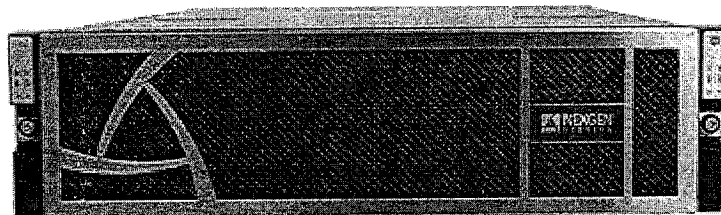
A Request for Bids was issued for this system.

The NexGen disk storage expansion unit purchase includes:

- One Rack-mounted NexGen expansion unit totaling 66.6 terabytes of storage capacity
- Installation
- 3 Years Maintenance Support Service

This storage expansion unit will be located in the County's data center at the Health Care Center.

The storage storage expansion pack will cost \$82,897.00 and will be purchased from Trascendent, LLC of Hartland, WI.



ROCK COUNTY, WISCONSIN
FINANCE DIRECTOR

PURCHASING DIVISION



BID SUMMARY FORM

PROJECT NUMBER 2017-27
PROJECT NAME NEXGEN HYBRID FLASH ARRAY
PROPOSAL DUE DATE MARCH 6, 2017 – 1:30 P.M.
DEPARTMENT INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

	TRANSCENDENT HARTLAND WI
FIRM BID PRICE WITH DELIVERY AND INSTALLATION	\$ 69,657.00
WARRANTY	\$ 13,240.00
TOTAL BID	\$ 82,897.00
APPROXIMATE DELIVERY	10 BUSINESS DAYS

Invitation to Bid was advertised in the Beloit Daily News and on the Internet. Two additional vendors were solicited that did not respond.

PREPARED BY: JODI MILLIS – PURCHASING MANAGER

DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION: TRANSCENDENT

SIGNATURE

Mickey Cattenden

3/8/17

DATE

GOVERNING COMMITTEE APPROVAL:

Mary Mawhanna

CHAIR

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VOTE

3-16-17

DATE