
**GORDON COUNTY, GEORGIA
MEMORANDUM**

To: Board of County Commissioners
From: Regan Bramblett
Subject: Radio System as a Service
Date: April 7, 2021

The Gordon County Board of Commissioners accepted sealed written bids from qualified vendors to provide a radio system for emergency responders, E-911 dispatch, and local government officials that is provided as a "managed service" by the vendor. Gordon County defines an emergency responder radio system as a "managed service" as a system where the vendor will install and maintain the communications infrastructure (including towers and antennas) and maintain the system for continuous operation. The managed system must consist of multiple communications sites that are all connected and backed up with redundant systems in the event of catastrophic events or power outages.

Proposal documents were prepared and posted on the County's website, the State of Georgia Procurement website, and advertised in the Calhoun Times on March 3 and 10, 2021. The deadline to submit the sealed proposals was 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 24, 2021. County staff opened the proposals received at that time in a public opening.

The County received one responder:

Proposer

Dalton Communications, Inc.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board enter into contract with **Dalton Communications, Inc.**