BOARD OF BIDS AND CONTRACTS JANUARY 26, 2017

4. CAPILLARY ELECTROPHORESIS INSTRUMENT (GENETIC ANALYZER) -- REGIONAL FORENSIC SCIENCE CENTER (RFSC)

FUNDING -- FY2016 DNA CAPACITY ENHANCEMENT

(Request sent to 26 vendors)

RFP #16-0066 S/C #80000101950

	Life Technologies Corporation	
Capillary Electrophoresis Instrument (Genetic Analyzer)	\$99,600.00	
No Bids	Phenomenex Inc	Dave Allert Co.

On the recommendation of Kara Kingsley, on behalf of the Regional Forensic Science Center, Linda Kizzire moved to accept the bid from Life Technologies Corporation for a total amount of \$99,600.00. Tim Kaufman seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

The genetic analyzer is an instrument that produces genetic data from biological samples. Crime scene samples are analyzed, as are individuals believed to be involved in the case, and the data is then interpreted to determine who may or may not have deposited DNA at a crime scene.

Note:

RFSC will be trading in their existing model, 3130 genetic analyzer and will receive a \$16,000.00 trade in allowance. Price reflects trade in allowance.

Currently, Life Technologies Corporation is the only provider of a genetic analyzer that meets the specifications