

1 **BILL NO. S-25-12-06**

2 ORDINANCE NO. S-17325

3 **AN ORDINANCE** approving the purchase of telephone services for a
4 total cost not to exceed \$192,000.00 from ConvergeOne by the City of
5 Fort Wayne, Indiana,

6 **Whereas**, operation of telephone services is essential to the operation
7 of all city, county and utility services;

8 **Whereas**, the City of Fort Wayne, Allen County and City Utilities jointly
9 share the cost and operation of telephone cloud services;

10 **Whereas**, the cloud services provided eliminate the ongoing expenses
11 of hardware purchases, hardware maintenance and security necessary
12 for the continued operation of telephones for the City of Fort Wayne,
13 Allen County and City Utilities;

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON
15 COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:**

16 **SECTION 1.** That the purchase of inbound and outbound telephone
17 services for the operation for joint telephone system from ConvergeOne for a total
18 cost of \$192,000 is hereby approved in all respects.

19 **SECTION 2.** That the City is authorized and directed to take all
20 action necessary for the payment of these services through ConvergeOne.

21 **SECTION 3.** That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from
22 and after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.

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24 Council Member

25 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

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27 Malak Heiny, City Attorney

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COUNCIL DIGEST SHEET

Enclosed with this introduction form is a tab sheet and related material from the vendor(s) who submitted bid(s). The Purchasing Department is providing this information to Council as an overview of this award.

RFPs & BIDS

Bid/RFP #	
Awarded To	
Amount	N/A
Conflict of interest on file?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Number of Registrants	N/A
Number of Bidders	
Required Attachments	

EXTENSIONS

Date Last Bid Out	
# Extensions Granted To Date	None

SPECIAL PROCUREMENT

Contract #/ID <i>(State, Federal, Piggyback-- Authority)</i>	Indiana State Contract #
Sole Source/Compatibility Justification	

BID CRITERIA *(Take Buy Indiana requirements into consideration.)*

Most Responsible, Responsive Lowest	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>If no, explain below</i>
If not lowest, explain	

COUNCIL DIGEST SHEET

COST COMPARISON

<i>Increase/decrease amount from prior years For annual purchase (if available).</i>	
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DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT / NEED

<i>Identify need for project & describe project; attach supporting documents as necessary.</i>	This is part of our 5 year server refresh program.

REQUEST FOR PRIOR APPROVAL

<i>Provide justification if prior approval is being requested.</i>	N/A

FUNDING SOURCE

<i>Account Information.</i>	Fund Dept Org Object = 00022603-5323

Fort Wayne City Council
c/o City Clerk' Office
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

Subject: Telephone software as a service

Members of City Council:

This is a joint purchase between Allen County, Civil City and City Utilities. The ordinance authorizes the purchase of telephone services for inbound and outbound calls including long-distance services. Allen County will reimburse the City of Fort Wayne approximately \$76,800 of the estimated \$192,000 total. The Costs are broken down by a 40/40/20 split between Allen County/Civil City/City Utilities. Below is the cost breakdown:

Civil City	City Utilities	City	Allen County	Annual Total
\$76,800.00	\$38,400.00	\$115,200.00	\$76,800.00	\$192,000.00

2026 is the final year of a 3-year contract with ConvergeOne.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Bob Thiele
CIO
City of Fort Wayne
260-427-1400

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

December 16, 2025

Nathan Hartman Chair

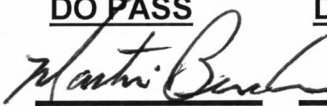
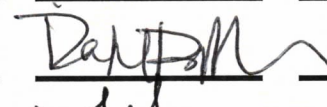
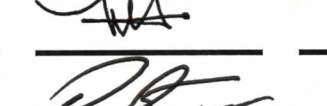

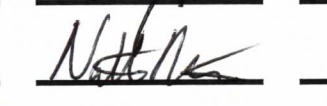
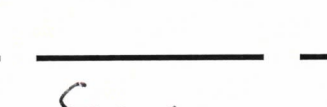
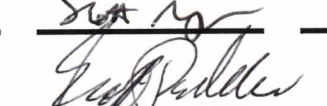

Geoff Paddock Co-Chair

All Council Members

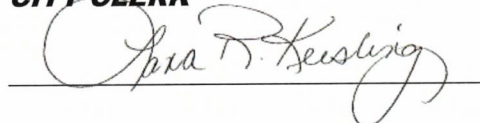
An Ordinance approving the purchase of telephone services from ConvergeOne by the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana

For a total cost not to exceed \$192,000.00

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE HAVE HAD SAID Ordinance under consideration and beg leave to report back to the Common Council that said Ordinance

<u>COUNCIL MEMBER</u>	<u>DO PASS</u>	<u>DO NOT PASS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
<u>BENDER</u>			
<u>BOOKER</u>			
<u>CHAMBERS</u>			
<u>ENSLEY</u>			
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<u>MYERS</u>			
<u>PADDOCK</u>			

**LANA R. KEESLING
CITY CLERK**



Public Hearing Date: N/A

Read the first time in full and on motion by Councilperson Hartman.

Read the second time by title and referred to the Finance Committee.

Read the third time in full and on motion by Councilperson Hartman, placed on passage by the following vote:

<u>TOTAL VOTES</u>	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAINED</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
BENDER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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PADDOCK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

DATED: December 16, 2025




 LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as

Special Ordinance No. S-25-12-06 on the 16th day of December, 2025

ATTEST:



 LANA R. KEESLING
 CITY CLERK



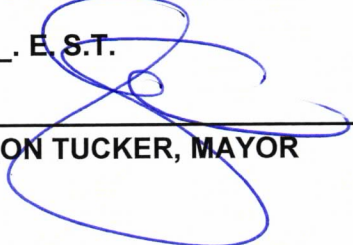
 PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 17th of December 2025, at the hour of 9:05 o'clock A.M. E.S.T.



 LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 17th day of December 2025, at the hour of 10:1 o'clock p.m. E.S.T.



 SHARON TUCKER, MAYOR

