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appropriation; rural interoperability communication system

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HOUSE BILL 2456

AN ACT

APPROPRIATING MONIES TO THE STATE TREASURER.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Appropriation: state treasurer: rural county
3 interoperability communication system

4 A. The sum of \$3,980,000 is appropriated from the state general
5 fund in fiscal year 2022-2023 to the state treasurer for a rural county
6 interoperability communication system that:

7 1. Enables the deployment of secure, multimedia data communications
8 system to a user base consisting of public safety agencies.

9 2. Provides a communications solution environment that allows for
10 identifying a system user's identity, location and operational status
11 during an incident, secure text messaging and file sharing to all users
12 involved in an incident, secure sharing of collaborative maps, building
13 floor plans and images, integrating manually activated panic alarm systems
14 that, when activated, establish direct collaboration between public safety
15 agencies by using multiple forms of real-time communications and
16 information collaboration, including voice and full-motion video sharing,
17 during an incident.

18 3. Is capable of being deployed to end users on existing
19 communication assets owned by participating entities.

20 4. Allows each participating entity to maintain discretionary
21 real-time control of all communications assets owned or operated by the
22 entity.

23 5. Encrypts all media communications.

24 6. Ensures staff privacy.

25 7. Is United States department of homeland security safety act
26 certified qualified antiterrorism technology.

27 8. Is compatible with federal emergency management agency
28 interoperable gateway systems for disaster communications.

29 B. The state treasurer shall distribute the monies appropriated in
30 subsection A of this section in the following amounts to the following
31 recipients for a rural county interoperability communication system:

32	1. Apache county sheriff	\$100,000
33	2. Cochise county sheriff	\$225,000
34	3. Coconino county sheriff	\$225,000
35	4. Gila county sheriff	\$225,000
36	5. Graham county sheriff	\$375,000
37	6. Greenlee county sheriff	\$100,000
38	7. La Paz county sheriff	\$150,000
39	8. Maricopa county sheriff	\$1,000,000
40	9. Mohave county sheriff	\$750,000
41	10. Navajo county sheriff	\$230,000
42	11. Pinal county sheriff	\$250,000
43	12. Yavapai county sheriff	\$350,000