

**DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY PURCHASE PURSUANT TO
SANTA BARBARA MUNICIPAL CODE § 4.52.080**

I, Justin Cure, Information Technology Director, declare the following:

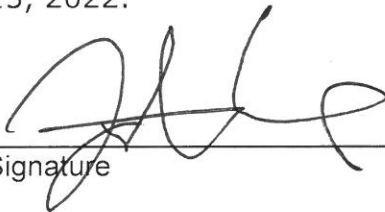
1. A Services Agreement and Statement of Work was recently completed by Justin Cure to Tetra Defense, LLC for cybersecurity incident response services in the amount of \$84,075.00

The message shall comply with Municipal Code Section 4.52.080 requiring Department Head declaration in writing of the need to make an emergency purchase order.

Justin Cure has authorized work under an emergency purchase order related to response of the 11/15/22 cybersecurity incident.

Following ordinary purchasing procedures would have required additional time to solicit proposals and execute a contract. In addition, the extra time to solicit multiple proposals would have reduced the response time and exposed the city to additional risk, therefore there is urgency to get this work done now.

The work is funded by Information Technology Funds already budgeted. A report to City Council regarding this emergency purchase order is scheduled for December 13, 2022.



Signature