

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RATIFIED SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE WYOMING OFFICE OF HOMELAND SECURITY FOR THE FFY 2025 STATE AND LOCAL CYBERSECURITY GRANT PROGRAM (SLCGP), ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF LARAMIE COUNTY, WYOMING TO REQUEST FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$55,292.91.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF: REQUESTED FUNDS WILL BE USED TO PURCHASE SILVERFORT, A CYBERSECURITY SOFTWARE SPECIALIZING IN ADAPTIVE MULTI-FACTOR AUTHENTICATION, AND IDENTITY AND ACCESS MANAGEMENT.

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the Wyoming Office of Homeland Security receives FFY 2025 SLCGP funds from the Federal Emergency Management Agency and;

WHEREAS, the Wyoming Office of Homeland Security distributes a portion of these FFY 2025 SLCGP funds to Wyoming Counties and;

WHEREAS, the Laramie County Board of Commissioners is eligible to apply for and receive FFY 2025 SLCGP funds and;

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of Laramie County desires to participate in the Wyoming Office of Homeland Security Grant Program for Cybersecurity by sponsoring this grant application to assist in financing this project; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of Laramie County has been provided with preliminary cost estimates and information on this project; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF LARAMIE COUNTY that a grant application in the amount of \$55,292.91 be submitted to the Wyoming Office of Homeland Security for consideration of assistance in funding the Laramie County Information Technology Department under the FFY 2025 SLCGP grant program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Sandra Bay, or her successor in the position of Laramie County Grants Manager, is appointed as agent of the Laramie County Board of Commissioners to execute and submit applications and certifications for these funds and to receive funds and implement the programs funded under this grant.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 6th DAY OF MAY 2025.

By: _____

Chairman, Laramie County Commissioners

Date: _____

ATTEST:

Debra Lee, Laramie County Clerk

Date: _____

Received and Approved as to Form only By:

Laramie County Attorney's Office

Date: 4/21/25

Sandra Bay

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Dear Sandra (Newland) Bay,

This email is to confirm that the Wyoming Office of Homeland Security (WOHS) has received an application in the amount of \$ 55,292.91.

All eligible applications received for SLCGP funding are reviewed and considered by the Wyoming Cybersecurity grants staff will inform you of the status of your application once these decisions are made.

SLCGP is a competitive grant, submission of an application does not necessarily guarantee funding.

Regards,

Ashley Paulsrud, Grants/Finance Section Chief

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Wyoming Office of Homeland Security
State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program (SLCGP)
Deadline: 4/18/2025

Laramie County, Wyoming Cybersecurity SilverFort

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\$ 55,292.91 Requested

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1. Organization Type

- ☐ State Government
- ☒ County Government
- ☐ City/Town Government
- ☐ Tribal Government
- ☐ School District
- ☐ Hospital District
- ☐ Institution of Higher Education
- ☐ Other Special District
- ☐ Other

2. What cybersecurity framework does your organization subscribe to and how far along are you in implementing that framework?

Laramie County uses NIST Cybersecurity Framework that is fairly mature in its implementation within the county. We also use CIS controls, which has been intermediately implemented into our system.

3. Please briefly describe the cybersecurity project.

Silverfort is a cyber security company specializing in adaptive multi-factor authentication (MFA), and Identity and Access Management (IAM). Silverfort is a Unified Identity Protection Platform that secures all identities, to include both human and machine, on the premises and cloud environments. It uses Runtime Access Protection (RAP) technology to integrate with already existing IAM infrastructures. This provides visibility and protection without requiring major system changes which can minimize disruption time and costs.

Silverfort provides visibility into all user and service accounts, allowing organizations to analyze risk and create new policies for enforcement of online security. Silverfort helps organizations enforce the principle of least privilege, which means it will provide access only when needed. This capability assists in preventing attackers from moving laterally after gaining access, making it a valuable ransomware prevention tool.

Silverfort mitigates the risk of unmanaged devices by monitoring access attempts and blocking potentially

compromised devices in real-time.

SilverFort is a security solution that manages privileged access (controlling administrative access to applications, services, and devices) and improves our multi-factor authentication feature set. Credential theft is a very real concern. The County has had several instances in the past year where the O365 credentials for some of our users have been compromised, and malicious actors have gotten access to O365 accounts. These attacks are relatively isolated, relatively minor in impact, and fairly easy to block and recover from. However, a compromise of credentials that has administrative access to servers, applications, services, etc., could be catastrophic, and we don't currently have a way to automatically detect and block malicious authentications. SilverFort can help protect us from that concern by

- Automatically detecting and blocking malicious authentications
- Enforcing multifactor authentication on administrative and service accounts, as well as other sensitive credentials

In summary, Silverfort offers a comprehensive and robust identity security solution that addresses the evolving threats in today's digital landscape. It provides organizations with tools and capabilities to secure their identities, resources and infrastructures, thus enhancing their overall security.

4. SLCGP projects must align with one of the 4 following objectives. Objective 1: Develop and establish appropriate governance structures, including developing, implementing, or revising cybersecurity plans, to improve capabilities to respond to cybersecurity incidents and ensure continuity of operations. Objective 2: Understand current cybersecurity posture and areas for improvement based on continuous testing, evaluation, and structured assessments. Objective 3: Implement security protections commensurate with risk. Objective 4: Ensure organization personnel are appropriately trained in cybersecurity, commensurate with responsibility.

Which objective does the project align with?

- ☐ Objective 1
- ☒ Objective 2
- ☐ Objective 3
- ☐ Objective 4

5. How does the project impact or support your local cybersecurity efforts?

Cybersecurity with secure networks continue to be a concern that has been identified. This cybersecurity project will protect county systems to include information and services. Silverfort will allow sensitive information to be secure from damage, unauthorized use, and exploitation along with providing twenty-four-hour protection. It is imperative that Laramie County has the best protection we can obtain as many other agencies such as law enforcement, EMA, and the health department also use our system.

Securing the data of Laramie County is one of the highest job functions that IT does. In a world of quickly changing technological changes, it is imperative Laramie County keeps up to date with the most current software so protected data is not easily breached by today's hackers. The Laramie County Emergency Response Plan, along with the Laramie County Cyber Security Plan have identified backup and data/resource availability as being a critical aspect of cyber and emergency readiness. Robust protection has been identified in several round table discussions as the best recovery option for terrorist and cyber-attacks.

6. Does the project protect critical infrastructure? If so, please describe the infrastructure and how this project will impact it.

Our current solution is being pushed to capacity and longer meets our needs for current cyberspace standards. Our existing solution is also not a high compatibility pair, often going offline leaving our critical services and information unprotected. Our request would identify and block all unwanted traffic to include terrorist threats to county government. Having robust software that protects all of Laramie Counties information that also detects and disarms harmful data breaches is essential for protecting Laramie County security.

Silverfort can be used for audits, testing, evaluating and assessing cybersecurity postures by leveraging threat detection capabilities. It can simulate real-world attacks, identify and respond to possible threats, and will provide insights into network traffic and potential vulnerabilities. Silverfort will increase our independent efforts by providing real-time detection and response capabilities.

7. Continued federal funding and ongoing support is not guaranteed. Do you have local support and/or funding to continue the project beyond the federal funding should it be awarded?

No, we currently do not have any other grant requests for this cybersecurity measure. We did receive SHSP funding two years ago for Firewalls under the umbrella of Cybersecurity.

8. Will you accept partial funding?

No, unfortunately we would need the full amount to implement SilverFort.

9. What date do you anticipate the project to be completed?

Our anticipated completion date is no later than 9/30/2026.

10. Please submit a minimum of three (3) milestones associated with this project.

Milestone 1: We will establish a budget and accounting line items to prepare for receiving the funding. Upon award, the county will work with the vendor to implement this software into our current system. We anticipate this step will be completed within six months of our award notice. Milestone 2: Laramie County will work with vendor to train employees and work out any bugs that might arise from the implementation of Silverfort into the current Laramie County system. We anticipate that this step will be completed within 12 months of the award. Milestone 3: Once Silverfort is in place and functioning, Laramie County will use the security solution to manage privileged access to improve our multi-factor authentication feature.

11. I understand that this is a competitive grant program and that submitting this application does not guarantee funding. The Wyoming Cybersecurity Planning Committee will review applications and make funding determinations. If selected for funding, the Wyoming Office of Homeland Security will contact you to discuss next steps.

☒ Yes

☐ No

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Detailed Project Budget	Equipment	Supplies	Contractual	Other
Security Solution SilverFort			\$ 55,292.51	
Total	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 55,292.51	\$ 0.00

Budget Narrative

Laramie County is requesting a total of \$55,292.51 for the purchase of Silverfort Cybersecurity security solution to offer protection to all county departments and component units. Our county IT department will lead the project and coordinate with the vendor for setup, installation and training. Please see attached quote for budget breakdown. The Laramie County IT Department will budget for maintenance and support costs every year. The cost is based on the amount of users it supports.

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Documents Requested *

Upload quotes and other documentation to support budget here

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Line Details

Line #	Vendor	Quantity	Product Type	Part Number	Description	Client Unit Price	Client Total
1	Silverfort Inc	1	Software	SF-UNI-750	Silverfort "Unified" Platform for a company with 501 - 750 employees. Includes a license to Silverfort's base platform, which enables discovery, monitoring and analysis of the identity infrastructure and user access activity, including Identity Security Po	USD 55,292.91	USD 55,292.91
Line Details Client Total:							USD 55,292.91

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Description: Port scanners and other tools designed to identify security vulnerabilities on networks or individual hosts on target networks.

Applicable Grant Programs: BZPP, DLSPG, EMPG, EOC, IBSGP, LETPA-SHSP, LETPA-UASI, MMRS, OPSG, PSGP, PSIC, SHSP, THSGP, UASI

Grant Notes:

Applicable Core Capabilities: Environmental Response/Health and Safety, Intelligence and Information Sharing, Interdiction and Disruption, On-scene Security and Protection, Operational Communications, Operational Coordination, Physical Protective Measures, Public Health and Medical Services, Public Information and Warning, Screening, Search, and Detection

05NP-00-SEIM System, Security Event/Incident Management

Description: Software or appliance that gathers data from multiple security sources such as firewalls, intrusion detection systems, malware protection systems, etc. to provide log file consolidation and event correlation capability in support of network security operations.

Applicable Grant Programs: BZPP, DLSPG, EMPG, EOC, IBSGP, LETPA-SHSP, LETPA-UASI, MMRS, OPSG, PSGP, PSIC, SHSP, THSGP, UASI

Grant Notes:

Applicable Core Capabilities: Environmental Response/Health and Safety, Intelligence and Information Sharing, Interdiction and Disruption, On-scene Security and Protection, Operational Communications, Operational Coordination, Physical Protective Measures, Public Health and Medical Services, Public Information and Warning, Screening, Search, and Detection

(05PM) Patch and Configuration Management

(05PM-00) ...

05PM-00-PTCH System, Patch/Configuration Management

Description: System to manage the update and installation of patches, applications, and/or operating systems utilized by an organization in order to maintain current "version control."

Applicable Grant Programs: BZPP, DLSPG, EMPG, EOC, IBSGP, LETPA-SHSP, LETPA-UASI, MMRS, OPSG, PSGP, PSIC, SHSP, THSGP, UASI

Grant Notes:

Applicable Core Capabilities: Environmental Response/Health and Safety, Intelligence and Information Sharing, Interdiction and Disruption, On-scene Security and Protection, Operational Communications, Operational Coordination, Physical Protective Measures, Public Health and Medical Services, Public Information and Warning, Public and Private Services and Resources, Screening, Search, and Detection

Section 06 Interoperable Communications Equipment

(06CC) Commercial

(06CC-01) Cell - Digital

06CC-01-CELL Phone, Cellular

Description: Cellular phone

Applicable Grant Programs: Amtrak, BZPP, CCP, DLSPG, EMPG, EOC, IBSGP, IECGP, LETPA-SHSP, LETPA-UASI, MMRS, OPSG, PSGP, PSIC, SHSP, THSGP, TSGP, UASI

Grant Notes: This section includes equipment and systems that provide connectivity and electrical interoperability between local and interagency organizations to coordinate CBRNE response operations. When utilizing FEMA program funds in the category of Interoperable Communications Equipment to build, upgrade, enhance, or replace communications systems, grantees and sub-grantees should develop a comprehensive interoperable communications plan before procurement decisions are made.

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