

AGENDA



Thursday, November 20, 2008

**Purchasing Office
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 49**

Subject: Authorize award, negotiation, and execution of a 12-month requirements service contract with MOTOROLA COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRONICS, INC., Austin, TX, for maintenance and support of the Austin Mobile Data Radio Communication System in an estimated amount not to exceed \$69,099, with four 12-month extension options in estimated amounts not to exceed \$71,172 for the first extension option, \$73,307 for the second extension option, \$75,506 for the third extension option, and \$76,985 for the fourth extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$366,069.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$57,583 is available in the Fiscal Year 2008-2009 Operating Budget, General Fund Agencies Radio Maintenance Account. Funding for the remaining two months of the original contract period and extension options is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

For More Information: Mick Osborne, Specialist Sr. Buyer /974 2995

Purchasing Language: Sole Source.

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9C of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this contract.

This contract is for the continued maintenance and support for the Motorola Mobile Data Radio Communication System, including mobile data terminals and mobile data computers installed in police and other emergency vehicles. The system includes communications network infrastructure that links the mobile workstations to the public safety mainframe computer. The contract provides for upgrades, repairs, preventive maintenance, and engineering support services for this system.

Motorola has been the sole provider of these services to the City since the system was first purchased in 1989. Some components of the system - Motorola hardware, software, and communication protocols are proprietary to Motorola; therefore, Motorola is the sole source available to provide this maintenance.