

AGENDA



Thursday, December 17, 2009

**Purchasing Office
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 67**

Subject: Authorize award, negotiation, and execution of Amendment No. 8 to a professional services contract with AECOM DESIGN, Albuquerque, NM, to increase and extend the contract for up to eight months for additional construction administration services for the security system upgrade at Austin Bergstrom International Airport in an amount not to exceed \$106,000, with an additional \$244,000 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$1,055,736.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$350,000 is available in the Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Capital Budget of the Department of Aviation.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is attached.

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

Purchasing Language: Contract Amendment.

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9B 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 solicitation.

Boards and Commission Action: Recommended by the Austin Airport Advisory Commission.

Prior Council Action: June 21, 2007 - Approved 16-month professional services contract, with four one-month extension options; March 12, 2009 – Approved Amendment No. 6 to increase and extend the contract for one 12-month period.

On May 17, 2007, City Council authorized a contract with EO Integrated Systems for the purchase and installation of a security system upgrade at Austin-Bergstrom International Airport. On June 17, 2007 City Council authorized a contract with DMJM H&N for construction administration services for this project. DMJM H&N has since undergone a name change and is now doing business as AECOM Design.

The project was estimated to be completed within 16 to 20 months. The installation has not proceeded as quickly as anticipated and additional construction administration services are needed to oversee completion of the work. This proposed amendment will extend the contract for up to eight months, through the completion of the project.

Multiple manufacturers for the access control and video management systems necessitated more coordination to integrate the systems than anticipated. This proposed amendment will increase the contract for construction administration services by \$106,000 to extend the contract through October, 2010. In addition, if approved, this Council action will authorize a \$244,000 contingency amount to be used in the event of future schedule slippage and/or additional consultant services required for the project.