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Recommendation for Council Action (Purchasing)

Austin City Council	Item ID:	19206	Agenda Number	62.
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Meeting Date:	October 11, 2012
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Department:	Purchasing
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Subject

Authorize award and execution of a 12-month requirements supply contract with LIBRARY IDEAS, LLC to provide downloadable licensed-content from the Sony Music Entertainment catalog for the Austin Public Library Department in an estimated amount not to exceed \$69,650, with five 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$69,500 per extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$417,150.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$69,650 is available in the Fiscal Year 2012-2013 Operating Budget of the Austin Public Library. Funding for the extension options is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	Sole Source
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Prior Council Action:	
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For More Information:	Sharon Patterson, Senior Buyer, 974-2995
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Boards and Commission Action:	
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MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9D 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.
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Related Items:	
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Additional Backup Information

This contract is for downloadable licensed-content from the Sony Music Entertainment catalog.

Library Ideas, LLC has the trademark and copyrighted service of Freegal Music Service. Freegal Music Service is a subscription which provides registered Austin Public Library cardholders the ability to download licensed content from the Sony Music Entertainment catalog. All of the downloadable content is available in an MP3 format with no DRM (Digital Rights Management). This service is compatible with PC, Mac, and other mobile devices and allows the user to download the content into their iTunes.

This is a sole source procurement since Library Ideas, LLC created and owns Freegal Music Service. No other provider is authorized to distribute or license the Sony Music Entertainment catalog for the purposes of allowing downloads through a public library.