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Recommendation for Council Action (Purchasing)

Austin City Council

Item ID:

31782

Agenda Number

16.

Meeting Date:

April 10, 2014

Department:

Purchasing

Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of an Interlocal Agreement with THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN to allow for cooperative procurement of goods and services.

Amount and Source of Funding

Procurements under this Interlocal Agreement will not be made unless funds are available in the appropriate department budgets.

Fiscal Note

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

Purchasing Language:

Interlocal Agreement.

Prior Council Action:

For More Information:

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Boards and Commission Action:

Related Items:

MBE / WBE:

This Interlocal Agreement is exempt from the MBE/WBE Ordinance. This exemption is in compliance with City Code Chapter 2-9D (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this contract.

Additional Backup Information

Approval of this interlocal agreement with The University of Texas at Austin will allow the City of Austin and The University of Texas at Austin to participate in the purchase of various types of goods and services through the use of contracts already in place through each jurisdiction's purchasing processes.

The ability to share competitive contracts between jurisdictions assists each to accomplish acquisitions more efficiently. Aggregating demand with other local jurisdictions should result in reduced unit prices for requirements because of increased volume.