

City of Austin



Recommendation for Action

File #: 20-2447, Agenda Item #: 70.

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Posting Language

Authorize award of a multi-term contract with JMR Technology, Inc., to provide telephone technical support and onsite services to support the ongoing operation of the baggage handling system, for up to five years for a total contract amount not to exceed \$527,000.

(Note: This solicitation was reviewed for subcontracting opportunities in accordance with City Code Chapter 2-9C Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program. For the services required for this solicitation, there were no subcontracting opportunities; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established).

Lead Department

Purchasing Office.

Client Department(s)

Aviation.

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$17,567 is available in the Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Operating Budget of Aviation. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Purchasing Language:

The Purchasing Office issued an Invitation for Bids (IFB) 8100 JCN1005 for these services. The solicitation issued on February 10, 2020 and it closed on April 16, 2020. The recommended contractor submitted the only responsive offer. A complete solicitation package, including a tabulation of the bids received, is available for viewing on the City's Financial Services website, Austin Finance Online. Link: Solicitation Documents

https://www.austintexas.gov/financeonline/account_services/solicitation/solicitation_details.cfm?sid=132677>.

For More Information:

Inquiries should be directed to the City Manager's Agenda Office, at 512-974-2991 or AgendaOffice@austintexas.gov <mailto:AgendaOffice@austintexas.gov>

NOTE: Respondents to this solicitation, and their representatives, shall continue to direct inquiries to the solicitation's Authorized Contact Person Jane Neal, at 512-974-3389 or Jane.Neal@austintexas.gov Jane.Neal@austintexas.gov.

Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:

July 8, 2020 - Recommended by the Airport Advisory Commission on a 9-0 vote, with Commissioner Owens absent.

Additional Backup Information:

The contract will provide telephone technical support and onsite services for the baggage handling system (BHS) located at Austin-Bergstrom International Airport. The support will include assistance with

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troubleshooting and modifying all software and hardware in relation to maintaining the BHS functionality in order to meet the federally mandated regulations and ensure safe air travel. The support services will be provided through a combination of telephone technical support and as needed an onsite technician. The BHS is comprised of two separate centralized conveyor systems designed to continuously feed checked bags to explosive detection scanners, where they are screened for explosives and then ultimately end up on the baggage carousals at the apron level for aircraft loading.

This contract will replace the existing contract expiring on August 3, 2020. The recommended contractor is not the current provider for these services.

Contract Detail:

Contract	Length	Contract
<u>Term</u>	of Term	<u>Authorization</u>
Initial Term	3 yrs.	\$316,200
Extension Option 1	1 yr.	\$105,400
Extension Option 2	1 yr.	\$105,400
TOTALS	5 yrs.	\$527,000

Note: Contract Authorization amounts are based on the City's estimated annual usage.

Strategic Outcome(s):

Mobility.