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City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 21-2127, Agenda Item #: 70.

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Posting Language

Authorize negotiation and execution of a contract with GateKeeper Systems, Inc., to provide ground transportation management system software and hardware support and maintenance, for a term of five years in an amount not to exceed \$835,000.

(Note: Sole source contracts are exempt from the City Code Chapter 2-9C Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established).

Lead Department

Purchasing Office.

Client Department(s)

Aviation

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$82,675 is available in the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Operating Budget of Aviation. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Purchasing Language:

Sole Source.

For More Information:

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Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:

May 11, 2021 - Recommended by the Airport Advisory Commission on an 8-0 vote, with Commissioner Owens absent.

Additional Backup Information:

The contract will provide ground transportation management system software and hardware support and maintenance for the ground transportation vehicle monitoring and revenue system (GTVMS) at Austin-Bergstrom International Airport (ABIA). This system consists of integrated software and hardware that tracks taxis, buses, and other ground transportation vehicles as they pass through the airport roadway. The system manages and automates the dispatch and fee collection for various ground transportation vehicles at ABIA. The system consists of an integration between GateKeeper Systems, Inc., Commercial Vehicle Management System, and Transcore hardware placed along the airport's main roadway. An additional integrated software module provides management and revenue collection for transportation networking companies operating at

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ABIA.

The system is critical to the business operations of the airport and therefore it is important for the airport to maintain the systems to ensure reliable operations. Additionally, proper maintenance of the hardware will ensure that it meets its 15 - 20-year life cycle thus reducing the need for early replacement.

GateKeeper Systems, Inc. is the sole provider of the GateKeeper system that offers GTVMS, taxi dispatch, and transportation networking companies management in a single, integrated, software and hardware solution package.

Strategic Outcome(s):

Mobility.