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City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 22-1761, Agenda Item #: 16.

5/5/2022

Posting Language

Authorize negotiation and execution of a contract with Texan Waste Equipment Inc. d/b/a Heil of Texas to provide original equipment manufacturer parts and repair services for Schwarze street sweepers, for a term of five years for a total contract amount not to exceed \$900,000.

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

Lead Department

Financial Services Department.

Client Department(s)

Fleet Mobility Services.

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$75,000 is available in the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Operating Budget of Fleet Mobility Services. 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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Additional Backup Information:

The contract is to provide original equipment manufacturer (OEM) parts and repair services for the City's 22 Schwarze street sweepers. The parts will be used for repairs and preventive maintenance services at the Fleet Service Centers, and the services will supplement the repairs performed by Fleet Service Technicians. The Fleet Service Technicians will perform preventive maintenance services based on the manufacturers' recommended schedules.

This contract will replace a contract which expires July 20, 2022. The requested authorization amounts for this contract were determined using departmental estimates and historical spend. The recommended contractor is the current provider for these goods and services.

If the City is unable to secure a contract, the City will not have a reliable and continuous source for purchasing OEM parts and repair services to maintain street sweepers that keep the city clean. In addition, the City will be forced to procure these goods and services on an as-needed basis, which may result in higher prices and additional operational costs.

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Strategic Outcome(s):
Mobility.