



Harris County, Texas

1001 Preston St., Suite 934
Houston, Texas 77002

Commissioners Court

Request for Court Action

File #: 24-0162

Agenda Date: 1/9/2024

Agenda #: 186.

Department: Purchasing

Department Head/Elected Official: DeWight Dopslauf

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA

Type of Request: Contract - Renewal

Project ID (if applicable): 200201

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): TransCore ITS, LLC

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN
Judge Lina Hidalgo	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Comm. Rodney Ellis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Comm. Adrian Garcia	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Comm. Tom S. Ramsey	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Comm. Lesley Briones	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable): 0%

MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable): 0%

Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: 0% - Specialized, Technical, or Unique in Nature

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of a renewal option with TransCore ITS, LLC for wrong-way detection systems, maintenance, repair, testing services and related items for the Toll Road Authority through November 30, 2024 at a cost of \$1,817,595 and for the County Clerk to execute any applicable bonds to be received (200201), Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: 0% - Specialized, Technical, or Unique in Nature.

Background and Discussion:

The Harris County Toll Road Authority (HCTRA) mission is to responsibly operate and maintain a safe, reliable, sustainable, and evolving mobility system that meets the diverse connectivity needs of all Harris County residents. This Wrong-way Detection Systems (WWDS) will be used to monitor, detect, and alert HCTRA's Incident Management Center when a vehicle has been detected driving in the wrong direction along the main lanes and ramps.

Expected Impact:

These WWDS systems will assist in providing a safer drive along the Westpark Tollway by alerting law enforcement of a wrong-way movement in order to intercept the vehicle before an accident occurs.

Alternative Options:

None.

Presented to Commissioners Court

Alignment with Goal(s):

January 9, 2024

- ☐ Justice and Safety
- ☐ Economic Opportunity
- ☐ Housing
- ☐ Public Health

Approve: G/R

- ☒ Transportation
☐ Flooding
☐ Environment
☐ Governance and Customer Service

Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
7/28/2020	19.c.1.i	Project advertisement
12/01/2020	20.c.7.m	Contract Award
11/30/2021	184	Request for approval of renewal options (1 of 4)
1/31/2023	280	Request for approval of renewal options (2 of 4)

Location:

Address (if applicable): N/A

Precinct(s): Precincts 1 & 3

Fiscal and Personnel Summary

Service Name	Engineering & Construction Service		
	FY 24	FY 25	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures (do NOT write values in thousands or millions)			
Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Non-Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Total Incremental Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Funding Sources (do NOT write values in thousands or millions)			
Existing Budget			
Revenue - TRA	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget	\$	\$	\$
Additional Budget Requested			
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
Total Additional Budget Requested	\$	\$	\$
Total Funding Sources	\$	\$	\$
Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)			
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-
Additional Positions Requested	-	-	-

Total Personnel	-	-	-
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Anticipated Court Date: 1/9/2024

Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date):

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note: Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

Contact(s) name, title, department: Bernard Hubbard, Procurement Manager, HCTRA

Robert Brown, Senior Buyer, Harris County Purchasing

Attachments (if applicable): Letter



DeWight Dopslauf, C.P.M., CPPO
Harris County Purchasing Agent

December 22, 2023

Commissioners Court
Harris County, Texas

RE: Job No. 200201

Members of Commissioners Court:

Please approve the renewal subject to applicable bond(s) to be received from the vendor(s) for the following:

Description: Wrong-Way Detection Systems, Maintenance, Repair, Testing Services and Related Items for the Harris County Toll Road Authority

Vendor(s): TransCore ITS, LLC

Term: through 11/30/2024

Renewal Options: 3 of 4

Amount: \$1,817,595

Price Increase: \$65,171

Bond(s): Yes

Reviewed By: • Harris County Purchasing • Toll Road Authority

Justification: The vendor(s) have agreed to renew under the same terms and conditions with an 3.72 % increase in pricing based on the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers (CPI-W) as set forth in the contract(s).

Sincerely,

DeWight Dopslauf
Purchasing Agent

RB
cc: Vendor(s)

FOR INCLUSION ON COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA JANUARY 09, 2024

