



## Harris County, Texas

1001 Preston St., 1st Floor  
Houston, Texas 77002

### Commissioners Court

#### Request for Court Action

File #: 24-4076

Agenda Date: 7/15/2024

Agenda #: 247.

**Department:** Purchasing

**Department Head/Elected Official:** DeWight Dopslauf

**Regular or Supplemental RCA:** Regular RCA

**Type of Request:** Financial Authorization

**Project ID** (if applicable): N/A

**Vendor/Entity Legal Name** (if applicable): TransCore, LP

	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): N/A

**MWDBE Current Participation** (if applicable): N/A

**Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal:** Exempt - Sole Source

#### Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of a sole source exemption from the competitive bid requirements and a renewal option with TransCore, LP in the amount of \$6,500,000 for Roadside Enhancement and Augmentation Toll Collection System (RSEATCS) for the Toll Road Authority for the period of September 1, 2024 - August 31, 2025, Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: Exempt - Sole Source.

#### Background and Discussion:

Transcore will provide Roadside Enhancement & Augmentation Toll Collection System (RSEATCS) for the Harris County Toll Road Authority for a new renewal term September 1-2024 thru August 31, 2025.

#### Expected Impact:

The new renewal should cause no impact to the Toll Road Authority

#### Alternative Options:

No other recommended solutions for this identified need.

#### Alignment with Goal(s):

- ☐ Justice and Safety
- ☐ Economic Opportunity
- ☐ Housing
- ☐ Public Health
- ☒ Transportation
- ☐ Flooding
- ☐ Environment
- ☐ Governance and Customer Service

Presented to Commissioners Court

July 15, 2024

Approve: G/E

**Prior Court Action (if any):**

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
8/11/2020	Pg.19, 12c	Renewal option for term of September 1, 2020-August 31, 2021 approved by Commissioners Court
8/24/2021	21-4333-278	Renewal option for term September 1, 2021 to August 31, 2022 approved by Commissioners Court
8/23/2022	22-4787-315	Renewal option for term September 1, 2022-August 31, 2023 approved by Commissioners Court
8/29/2023	23-4997-362	Renewal option for term September 1, 2023-August 31, 2024 approved by Commissioners Court

**Location:** Toll Road Authority

Address (if applicable): N/A

Precinct(s): Countywide

**Fiscal and Personnel Summary**

Service Name	Tolling Solutions			
	Current Fiscal Year Cost			Annual Fiscal Cost
	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Recurring Expenses
<b>Funding Sources</b>				
<b>Existing Budget</b>				
Choose an item.	\$	\$6,500,000.00	\$6,500,000.00	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget	\$	\$6,500,000.00	\$6,500,000.00	\$
<b>Additional Budget Request (Requires Fiscal Review Request Form)</b>				
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Additional Budget Request	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Total Funding Request</b>	\$	\$6,500,000.00	\$6,500,000.00	\$
<b>Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)</b>				
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-	-
Additional Positions Request	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Personnel</b>	-	-	-	-

**Anticipated Court Date: July 15,2024**

**Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date):** N/A

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

**Contact(s) name, title, department:** : David Patterson, Assistant Director, Tolling Solutions; Taliyah Maynus, Buyer, Purchasing

**Attachments** (if applicable): Letter



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

July 01, 2024

Commissioners Court  
Harris County, Texas

**RE: Sole Source Exemption - Local Government Code § 262.204 (a)(7)**

Members of Commissioners Court:

Please approve a sole source exemption from the competitive bid requirements and the seventh of ten (10) renewal option(s) for the following:

**Description:** Roadside Enhancement and Augmentation Toll Collection System (RSEATCS) for the Harris County Toll Road Authority

**Vendor(s):** TransCore, LP

**Term:** September 01, 2024 - August 31, 2025

**Amount:** \$6,500,000

**Reviewed By:** • Harris County Purchasing • Toll Road Authority

The Office of the Harris County Purchasing Agent has confirmed the sole source exemption. Purchase order(s) will be issued upon Commissioners Court approval.

Sincerely,

DeWight Dopslauf  
Purchasing Agent

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cc: Vendor(s)

**FOR INCLUSION ON COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA JULY 15, 2024**

