



## Harris County, Texas

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

### Commissioners Court

#### Request for Court Action

File #: 24-5217

Agenda Date: 8/27/2024

Agenda #: 314.

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): Motorola Solutions, Inc

MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable): N/A

MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable): N/A

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

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN
Judge Lina Hidalgo	<input 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"/>

#### Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of a sole source exemption from the competitive bid requirements and a renewal option with Motorola Solutions, Inc in the amount of \$8,315,297 for system enhancement and upgrade for the Texas Wide Area Radio Network (TxWARN) Astro P25 System for Universal Services for the period of September 1, 2024 - August 31, 2025, Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: Exempt - Sole Source.

#### Background and Discussion:

Harris County needs qualified vendors to provide mobile and portable Project P25 (P25) single and multi-band subscriber radios for operation on Harris County's P25 "TXWARN" radio system. These subscribers will be purchased by and used by all of Harris County's first responders as well as various other Harris County Departments in the course of their duties. The Subscribers acquired will be provisioned and maintained by Universal Services.

#### Expected Impact:

This will allow Harris County communication by user Departments. This includes the ability of first responders to have command and control of incidents, as well as interoperate with surrounding jurisdictions.

#### Alternative Options:

#### Alignment with Goal(s):

- \_ Justice and Safety
- \_ Economic Opportunity
- \_ Housing
- \_ Public Health

Presented to Commissioners Court

August 27, 2024

Approve: G/B

- \_ Transportation
- \_ Flooding
- \_ Environment
- \_ Governance and Customer Service

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

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
08/25/2023	349	Renewal 3
08/25/2023	349	Amendment 2
3/14/2023	279	Amendment 1
11/15/2022	283	2 <sup>nd</sup> Renewal
11/30/2021	231	1 <sup>st</sup> Renewal
11/10/20		Award

**Location:**

Address (if applicable): N/A

Precinct(s): Choose an item.

**Fiscal and Personnel Summary**

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

<b>Total Personnel</b>	-	-	-	-
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**Anticipated Court Date:**08/27/2024**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:** Shannon Pleasant, Sr. Manager, Contracts & Compliance, Universal Services; Linda Dowl, Buyer, Purchasing**Attachments** (if applicable): Letter



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

August 15, 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 fourth and final renewal option(s) for the following:

**Description:** System Enhancement and Upgrade for the Texas Wide Area Radio Network (TxWARN) Astro P25 System for Harris County Universal Services

**Vendor(s):** Motorola Solutions, Inc

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

**Amount:** \$8,315,297

**Reviewed By:** • Harris County Purchasing • Universal Services - Technology

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 AUGUST 27, 2024**

