



Harris County, Texas

1001 Preston St., Suite 934
Houston, Texas 77002

Commissioners Court

Request for Court Action

File #: 23-5295

Agenda Date: 9/19/2023

Agenda #: 305.

Department: Purchasing

Department Head/Elected Official: DeWight Dopslauf

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA

Type of Request: Contract - Renewal

Project ID (if applicable): N/A

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC dba Comcast Business Communications; Layer 3 Communications, LLC; T-Mobile USA; and Motorola Solutions, Inc.

MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable): 0%

MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable): N/A

Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: 0% - Non-Divisible

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of State of Texas Department of Information Resources (DIR) Cooperative Contract renewal option with Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC dba Comcast Business Communications; Layer 3 Communications, LLC (DIR-TSO-4231); T-Mobile USA (DIR-TSO-3416); and Motorola Solutions, Inc. (DIR-TSO-4101) for wired and wireless broadband services for Harris County for the period of November 1, 2023 - October 31, 2024 at a cost of \$1,524,098, Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: 0% - Non-Divisible.

Background and Discussion:

This is a request to renew the contracts for wired and wireless broadband services to Comcast, Layer 3 Communications, Motorola Solutions, and T Mobile) to continue the technological support across Harris County. This will be funded from COVID Response & Recovery.

Expected Impact:

Renewal of this contract will allow the awarded suppliers to continue to provide technological support across Harris County. Telecommunication services include but are not limited to Ethernet Network Services, Ethernet Private Line, Ethernet Virtual Private Line, Ethernet Dedicated Internet, Business Trunks, Business VoiceEdge, SIP Trunking and Business Internet.

Alternative Options:

If this contract is not renewed, it would impact the ability to effectively provide telecommunication services throughout the county.

Alignment with Goal(s):

	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"/>

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

Presented to Commissioners Court

September 19, 2023

Approve: G/B

Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
12/1/2020	COVID-19 Item	12/1/2020 COVID-19 Item JHR102020 Award - Execution of Agreement and Amendments
12/14/2021	15	Renewal 1 of 4
10/25/2022	13	Renewal 2 of 4

Location:

Address (if applicable): N/A

Precinct(s): Choose an item.

Fiscal and Personnel Summary			
Service Name			
	FY 23	FY 24	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures (do NOT write values in thousands or millions)			
Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$
Non-Labor Expenditures	\$	\$1,524,098	\$
Total Incremental Expenditures	\$	\$1,524,098	\$
Funding Sources (do NOT write values in thousands or millions)			
Existing Budget			
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$
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	-	-	-

Anticipated Court Date: September 19, 2023

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: Karen Vasquez, Dir. Business Operations - Universal Services; Azadeh Rahmdel, Buyer, Purchasing Department

Attachments (if applicable): Letter



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

September 08, 2023

Commissioners Court
Harris County, Texas

RE: State of Texas Department of Information Resources (DIR) Cooperative Contract

Members of Commissioners Court:

Please approve the renewal for the following:

Description: Wired and Wireless Broadband Services for Harris County
Vendor(s): Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC dba Comcast Business Communications ; Layer 3 Communications, LLC (DIR-TSO-4231) ; T-Mobile USA (DIR-TSO-3416) ; Motorola Solutions, Inc. (DIR-TSO-4101)
Term: 11/01/2023 - 10/31/2024
Renewal Options: 3 of 4
Amount: \$1,524,098
Bond(s): No
Reviewed By: • Harris County Purchasing • Universal Services - Technology

Sincerely,

DeWight Dopslauf
Purchasing Agent

AR
cc: Vendor(s)

FOR INCLUSION ON COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA SEPTEMBER 19, 2023

