



Harris County, Texas

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

Commissioners Court

Request for Court Action

File #: 24-4627

Agenda Date: 8/6/2024

Agenda #: 259.

Department: Purchasing

Department Head/Elected Official: DeWight Dopslauf

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA

Type of Request: Contract - Renewal

Project ID (if applicable): 200293

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): AB Sciex, LLC

MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable): N/A

MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable): N/A

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

	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"/>

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of a renewal option with AB Sciex, LLC for liquid chromatograph quadrupole time-of-flight mass spectrometer for the Institute of Forensic Sciences for the period of January 1, 2025 - December 31, 2025, at a cost of \$285,788 (200293), Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: 0% - Non-Divisible.

Background and Discussion:

Renewal of the liquid chromatograph quadrupole time of flight mass spectrometer contract for the Harris County Institute of Forensic Sciences.

Expected Impact:

Having continuous maintenance available for instruments ensures that instruments are performing well and extends the life of the equipment.

Alternative Options:

N/A

Alignment with Goal(s):

- X_ Justice and Safety
- _ Economic Opportunity
- _ Housing
- _ Public Health
- _ Transportation
- _ Flooding
- _ Environment
- X_ Governance and Customer Service

Presented to Commissioners Court

August 6, 2024

Approve: G/R

Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
01/26/2021	20.d.11.a	Contract Awarded
01/4/2022	178	1st Renewal Option approved
1/10/2023	210	2nd Renewal Option approved
10/10/2023	242	3 rd Renewal Option approved

Location: N/A

Address (if applicable): N/A

Precinct(s): Choose an item.

Fiscal and Personnel Summary

Service Name	Institute of Forensic Sciences			
	Current Fiscal Year Cost			Annual Fiscal Cost
	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Recurring Expenses
Funding Sources				
Existing Budget				
1000 - General Fund	\$	\$55,714	\$55,714	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget	\$	\$55,714	\$55,714	\$
Additional Budget Request (<i>Requires Fiscal Review Request Form</i>)				
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Additional Budget Request	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Funding Request	\$	\$	\$	\$
Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-	-
Additional Positions Request	-	-	-	-
Total Personnel	-	-	-	-

Anticipated Court Date: 8/6/2024**Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date):** 8/6/2024**Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note:** Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

Contact(s) name, title, department: Julie Prine, JD, MFS, Chief of Staff/COO; Luke Herdrich, Senior Buyer, Purchasing

Attachments (if applicable): Letter



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

July 23, 2024

Commissioners Court
Harris County, Texas

RE: Job No. 200293

Members of Commissioners Court:

Please approve the renewal for the following:

Description: Liquid Chromatograph Quadrupole Time-of-Flight Mass Spectrometer for the Harris County Institute of Forensic Sciences

Vendor(s): AB Sciex, LLC

Term: 01/01/2025 - 12/31/2025

Renewal Options: 4 of 4

Amount: \$285,788

Bond(s): No

Reviewed By: • Harris County Purchasing • Institute of Forensic Sciences

Justification: Projected expenditure for renewal term \$55,714. 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 06, 2024

