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Recommendation for Council Action (Purchasing)

Austin City Council	Item ID:	23524	Agenda Number	31.
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Meeting Date:	April 25, 2013
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Department:	Purchasing
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Subject

Authorized award and execution of a 24-month requirements supply contract with ADS LLC, dba HYDRA-STOP for fittings and cutters for the Austin Water Utility in an amount not to exceed \$40,000, with three 12-month extension options in and amount not to exceed \$20,000 per extension option, for a total agreement amount not to exceed \$100,000.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$10,000 is available in the Fiscal Year 2012-2013 Operating Budget for the Austin Water Utility. Funding for the remaining eighteen months of the initial contract period and extension options are contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Fiscal Note

There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	Sole Source.
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Prior Council Action:	
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For More Information:	Steve Aden, Purchasing Manager, 972-4040
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Boards and Commission Action:	April 10, 2013 - Approved by the Water and Wastewater Commission on 5-0.
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Related Items:	
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MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with City Code Chapter 2-9D (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this solicitation.
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Additional Backup Information

This 24-month requirements contract will provide for the purchase Insta-Valve, Hydra-Stop fittings and cutters as needed to perform work in the City's water distribution system. The fittings and cutters can pressure tap lines in sizes ranging from 4" to 20" without interrupting services. These fittings and cutters are used with Hydra-Stop tapping equipment currently owned by the Austin Water Utility.

ADS LLC d/b/a Hydra-Stop, Huntsville, AL is the sole designer, manufacturer and supplier of Hydra-Stop equipment. The fittings and cutters are of a proprietary nature and are one of a kind. ADS LLC has held the contract for over ten years and is a reliable source.