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Recommendation for Council Action

Austin City Council	Item ID	37885	Agenda Number	12.
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Meeting Date:	12/11/2014	Department:	Communications and Technology Mgmt
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Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of an interlocal agreement with the Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG) for digital aerial imagery through an existing contract between CAPCOG and Fugro Earth Data, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$61,768.69.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2014-2015 Operating Budget of the Communications and Technology Management Department.

Fiscal Note

There is no un-anticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Purchasing Language:	Interlocal Agreement
Prior Council Action:	
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Boards and Commission Action:	
MBE / WBE:	
Related Items:	

Additional Backup Information

This interlocal agreement between the City and the Capital Area Council of Governments (CAPCOG) is for the acquisition of aerial photography, specifically 4-Band Color Infrared, Leaf-Off, 6-inch resolution orthoimagery, covering 626 square miles of the Austin area. An orthoimage is an aerial photograph geometrically corrected ("orthorectified") such that the scale is uniform. The photo has the same lack of distortion as a map. This data is used by all City departments working with Geographic Information Systems and will be used to meet the immediate needs of the City's strategic initiatives for homeland security, public safety, infrastructure management, land development activities, and quality of life. Desktop availability of this easily understood graphic information improves decision-making and minimizes time spent on field checks and information gathering.

CAPCOG has contracted with Fugro Earth Data, Inc. to provide these services to the City. The total contract value includes a project management fee equal to 5%.