



Recommendation for Action

File #: 20-1551, **Agenda Item #:** 21.

4/9/2020

Posting Language

Authorize ratification of an emergency contract with Action Target Inc., for emergency repair of the large gun range including replacement parts, in the amount of \$118,170.

(Note: This contract is exempt from the City Code Chapter 2-9C Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established).

Lead Department

Purchasing Office.

Client Department(s)

Austin Police Department.

Fiscal Note

Funding was available in the Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Operating Budget of the Austin Police Department.

Purchasing Language:

Ratification.

Prior Council Action:

For More Information:

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Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:

Additional Backup Information:

The contract was for the emergency repair of the large gun range at the Austin Police Department (APD) Public Safety Training Academy including all associated labor and parts.

Instances of bullet fragments ricocheting were reported to APD command staff. When alerted to the problem, APD determined immediate action was needed to mitigate the safety risks associated with use of the large gun range by cadets and officers.

Due to the critical safety implications for gun range users, APD needed to repair the range immediately and this item is being brought to Council at the first available opportunity for ratification. Action Target Inc. is the manufacturer of the shooting range equipment and having work performed by another contractor would void the warranties while also maintaining broad and uniform coverage terms and conditions negotiated and purchased in 2017.

Strategic Outcome(s):
Safety.