



Recommendation for Action

File #: 20-2060, **Agenda Item #:** 38.

6/11/2020

Posting Language

Authorize award of a multi-term contract with BMC Consolidated, LLC D/B/A OB Traffic, to provide traffic signal heads, for up to five years for a total contract amount not to exceed \$750,000.

(Note: This solicitation was reviewed for subcontracting opportunities in accordance with City Code Chapter 2-9D Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program. For the goods required for this solicitation, there were no subcontracting opportunities therefore, no subcontracting goals were established).

Lead Department

Purchasing Office.

Client Department(s)

Austin Transportation Department.

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$41,667 is available in the Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Operating Budget of the Austin Transportation Department. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Purchasing Language:

The Purchasing Office issued an Invitation for Bids (IFB) 2400 BJT1006 for these goods. The solicitation issued on October 14, 2019 and it closed on November 5, 2019. Of the four offers received, the recommended contractor submitted the lowest responsive offer. A complete solicitation package, including a tabulation of the bids received, is available for viewing on the City's Financial Services website, Austin Finance Online. Link:

[Solicitation Documents](#)

https://www.austintexas.gov/financeonline/account_services/solicitation/solicitation_details.cfm?sid=132956.

For More Information:

Inquiries should be directed to the City Manager's Agenda Office, at 512-974-2991 or

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NOTE: Respondents to this solicitation, and their representatives, shall continue to direct inquiries to the solicitation's Authorized Contact Person: Bartley Tyler, at 512-974-2023 or Bartley.Tyler@austintexas.gov <[../Users/HilbunJ/AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/INetCache/Content.Outlook/8WS9T7OP/Bartley.Tyler@austintexas.gov](mailto:..../Users/HilbunJ/AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/INetCache/Content.Outlook/8WS9T7OP/Bartley.Tyler@austintexas.gov)>.

Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:

Additional Backup Information:

The contract is for the purchase of various sizes of traffic signal heads. The heads are needed to construct

new traffic signals and to maintain, modify, and upgrade existing traffic signals. Without these parts the City will not be able to construct new traffic signals or maintain the existing ones.

This contract will replace a contract which expired on August 8, 2019. Demand for traffic signal heads is predicted to increase due to future bond projects. Surplus inventory from the previous contract is being depleted. The requested authorization amounts for the contract were determined using departmental estimates and historical spending. The recommended contractor is not the previous provider of these goods.

Contract Detail:

Contract Term	Length of Term	Contract Authorization
Initial Term	3 yrs.	\$450,000
Optional Extension 1	1 yr.	\$150,000
Optional Extension 2	1 yr.	\$150,000
TOTAL	5 yrs.	\$750,000

Note: Contract Authorization amounts are based on the City's estimated annual usage.

Strategic Outcome(s):

Government that Works for All; Mobility.