Recommendation for Action

File #: 22-3785, **Agenda Item #:** 26. 1/26/2023

Posting Language
Authorize negotiation and execution of a contract to provide remote camera imagery services with Privateer Technology, LP d/b/a Beholder Technology, LLC, for a term of five years in an amount not to exceed $750,000.

[Note: Sole source contracts are 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
Financial Services Department.

Client Department(s)
Watershed Protection Department.

Fiscal Note
Funding in the amount of $130,200 is available in the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Operating Budget of the Watershed Protection Department. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Purchasing Language:
Sole Source.

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Additional Backup Information:
The contract is for continued remote camera imagery services for the ATXfloods.com low water crossing website. These services include a forward-facing user website, administrative dashboard, and integration of low water crossing camera imagery and future sensor functionality. The ATXfloods Platform allows for the collection, storage, viewing, updating, adding, removing, and editing of geographic information, camera imagery, and future sensor data. ATXfloods.com is a very important public safety resource for Austin residents and 15 other surrounding communities. This website shows a real-time map of flooded roads. In addition to road closures, ATXfloods.com provides the public access to cameras that show near real-time flooding conditions at various locations.

Privateer Technology, LP d/b/a Beholder Technology, LLC is the owner, sole developer, and sole provider of the Beholder platform. There are no other resellers or distributors of the system.

Strategic Outcome(s):
Government that Works for All.