

Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE January 12, 2026

Honorable Members of the Public Safety Committee

TO Cara Mendelsohn (Chair), Jesse Moreno (Vice Chair), Laura Cadena, Maxie Johnson, Jaime Resendez, William Roth, Kathy Stewart

SUBJECT

January 14, 2026, City Council Agenda Item #26-3A: Authorize a three-year service price agreement for parts, repairs, preventative maintenance and calibration for automatic stretcher load systems and power stretchers for the Dallas Fire-Rescue Department

The following agenda item is scheduled to go before Council on January 14, 2026.

AGENDA ITEM #26-3A

Authorize a three-year service price agreement for parts, repairs, preventative maintenance and calibration for automatic stretcher load systems and power stretchers for the Dallas Fire-Rescue Department - Howmedica Osteonics Corp/Stryker Sales, LLC dba Stryker Instruments, sole source - Estimated amount of \$615,172.20 - Financing: General Fund (subject to annual appropriations)

BACKGROUND

This action does not encumber funds; the purpose of a service price agreement is to establish firm pricing for services, for a specific term, which are ordered on an as needed basis according to annual budgetary appropriations. The estimated amount is intended as guidance rather than a cap on spending under the agreement, so that actual need combined with the amount budgeted will determine the amount spent under this agreement.

This service price agreement will provide for parts, repairs, preventative maintenance and calibration for automatic stretcher load systems and power stretchers. Annual maintenance is required for all automatic stretcher load systems and power stretchers to ensure proper operation and prevent the risk of injury. Maintaining existing stretcher load systems and power stretchers is essential to Fire Rescue's replacement plan for power stretchers and stair chairs.

On November 10, 2015, the City Council authorized a living wage policy that requires contractors to pay their employees a "living wage" rate as established annually by the

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Massachusetts Institute of Technology Living Wage Calculator for Dallas County by Resolution No. 15-2141. The calculated living wage during the solicitation process of this contract is \$17.82; the selected vendor meets this requirement.

FISCAL INFORMATION

Fund	FY 2026	FY 2027	Future Years
General Fund	\$205,057.40	\$205,057.40	\$205,057.40

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Chief of Public Safety

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