

City of Dallas

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Title: Authorize a three-year service contract for the acquisition, maintenance, and support of a cloud based

digital learning platform for the Water Utilities Department - ANCILE Solutions, Inc., sole source - Not to exceed \$135,330.37 - Financing: Dallas Water Utilities Fund (subject to annual appropriations)

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STRATEGIC PRIORITY: Government Performance & Financial Management

AGENDA DATE: November 9, 2022

COUNCIL DISTRICT(S): All

DEPARTMENT: Office of Procurement Services

EXECUTIVE: Jack Ireland

SUBJECT

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BACKGROUND

This action does not encumber funds; the purpose of a service contract is to establish firm pricing for services, for a specific item, which are ordered on an as needed basis.

This service contract will provide for the acquisition, maintenance, and support of a cloud based digital learning software for the Water Utilities Department. This software will allow for the creation of eLearning courses and simulations that can be deployed through a cloud-based environment.

The City will benefit from high quality training material and work instructions that are recorded from the source using human interactions and not created by artificial intelligence.

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

PRIOR ACTION/REVIEW (COUNCIL, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS)

This item has no prior action.

FISCAL INFORMATION

Fund	FY 2023	FY 2024	Future Years
Dallas Water Utilities Fund	\$48,992.00	\$42,426.72	\$43,911.65

M/WBE INFORMATION

In accordance with the City's Business Inclusion and Development Policy adopted on September 23, 2020, by Resolution No. 20-1430, as amended, the M/WBE participation on this contract is as follows:

Contract Amount	Procurement Category	M/WBE Goal	
\$135,330.37	Other Services	N/A	
M/WBE Subcontracting %	M/WBE Overall %	M/WBE Overall Participation \$	
N/A	N/A	N/A	
• The Business Inclusion and Development Policy does not apply to Other Service contracts.			
ANCILE Solutions, Inc Non-local; Workforce - 0.00% Local			

PROCUREMENT INFORMATION

Method of Evaluation for Award Type:

	Utilized for procurements where functional requirements can only be satisfied by one vendor, such as those where patents, copyrights or monopolies exists
1	Exempted from competitive bidding process
	The Office of Procurement Services conducted a sole source review and found no exceptions

OWNER

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