



Legislation Text

File #: Res. 2020-194R, **Version:** 1

AGENDA CAPTION:

Consider approval of Resolution 2020-194R, approving a Change in Service to the agreement with Freeit Data Solutions, Inc. through the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts Department of Information Resources ("DIR") program for license renewal of security software in the estimated annual amount of \$18,512.61 and authorizing three additional annual renewals; authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute the appropriate documents to implement the Change in Service; and declaring an effective date.

Meeting date: September 15, 2020

Department: Information Technology Department - Mike Sturm, Director (by Lynda Williams, Purchasing Manager)

Amount & Source of Funding

Funds Required: \$18,512.61 estimated annual renewal

Account Number: 10001280-52395 \$6,170.81, 22006335-52395 \$6,170.87, 21006322-52395 \$6,170.87

Funds Available: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Account Name: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Fiscal Note:

Prior Council Action: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

City Council Strategic Initiative: [Please select from the dropdown menu below]

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Comprehensive Plan Element (s): [Please select the Plan element(s) and Goal # from dropdown menu below]

☐ Economic Development - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Environment & Resource Protection - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Land Use - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Neighborhoods & Housing - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Parks, Public Spaces & Facilities - [Choose an item.](#)

☐ Transportation - [Choose an item.](#)

- ☐ Core Services
- ☒ Not Applicable

Master Plan: *[Please select the corresponding Master Plan from the dropdown menu below (if applicable)]*

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Background Information:

Since 2017, the security software (related to backup technology) offered by Freeit Data Solutions, Inc. has enabled the City to achieve unparalleled data availability, visibility, automation and governance across data centers, at the edge and in the cloud. The software removes the manual processes associated with data protection, recovery, monitoring, ransomware protection and compliance saving the City time and money while also enabling it to focus less on backup, and more in other areas.

The security software partners with a broad ecosystem of dedicated partners to help customers achieve their goals without implementing proprietary solutions. It enables customers to choose their infrastructure and storage, allowing them to make the best return on investment on existing and future infrastructure purchases.

This request is for Council approval to extend the contract for another one-year term in the amount of \$18,512.61 for a total contract amount of \$66,947.30 exceeding the \$50,000 administrative authority. Council approval is also requested for additional annual renewals in the estimated amount of \$18,512.61.

Council Committee, Board/Commission Action:

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Alternatives:

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Recommendation:

Staff recommends approval of the Change in Service to the agreement with Freeit Data Solutions, Inc. (Contract No. 217-487) in the estimated annual amount of \$18,512.61 and an authorization for three additional annual renewals.