



Legislation Text

File #: Res. 2022-146R, **Version:** 1

AGENDA CAPTION:

Consider approval of Resolution 2022-146R, approving award of a contract to WestNet Inc. through the Houston Galveston Area Council ("HGACBUY") Purchasing Cooperative for the purchase of a First-In Fire Station Alerting System with automated voice dispatch system and Fire Stations First-In Alerting Smart Station System in an amount not to exceed \$645,554.44; authorizing the City Manager or her designee to execute the contract on behalf of the City; and declaring an effective date.

Meeting date: July 5, 2022

Department: Fire Department, Les Stephens, Chief (by Lynda Williams, Purchasing & Contracting Manager)

Amount & Source of Funding

Funds Required: \$645,554.44

Account Number: FY23 CIP

Funds Available: Pending Reimbursement Resolution

Account Name: Capital Outlay

Fiscal Note:

Prior Council Action: N/A

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

Community Safety

Choose an item.

Choose an item.

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)]*

Choose an item.

Background Information:

WestNet's First-In Fire State Alerting System is used to assist fire departments in meeting The National Fire Protection Association's (NFPA) standards 1221 and 1710 by monitoring alerting functions, lowering response times, improving firefighter health and safety, and providing critical information to responding crews in a more timely fashion. The First-In Alerting Smart station system will be installed in fire stations 1,2,3,4, and 5 via this resolution. The alerting solution for Station 6 is already included in the construction costs allocated for that project.

Pursuant to Local Government Code 271.102, the City has authority to participate in cooperative purchasing programs, therefore staff recommends award of this work to WestNet Inc., Huntington Beach, CA, in the estimated amount of \$645,554.44 through the HGACBuy purchasing cooperative contract #EC07-20.

Council Committee, Board/Commission Action:

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Alternatives:

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Recommendation:

Staff recommends award of this work to WestNet, Inc. in the estimated amount of \$645,554.44 through HGACBuy cooperative contract.