

State Term Contract  
Permission Request

Date: 11.7.25

State Contract No/URL:

MCSA0016

Contract Type:

STS

Over \$50,000 \_X\_ Under \$50,000 \_\_\_\_

Requesting Agency:

Dept. of Technology

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TO BE COMPLETED BY AGENCY:

Describe how use of this contract provides the most cost effective method to purchase goods and /or services.

(For new requests, attach three (3) or more quotations received from contract vendors, if the contract was not bid.)

The City of Columbus has been utilizing the State Master Cloud Service Agreement for several years. The reason for using this contract has been due to Adobe having shared that we will get better pricing from this contract than having our own Universal Term Contract. The Department of Technology is requesting the continued use of this contract to keep our existing subscription portal in place and continue to add any new subscriptions to this portal.

Note if this purchase is the continuation of an existing project.

(Please attach three (3) or more quotations originally received, if three quotes were not solicited for the original purchase, three are required now.)

American Business Solutions: \$262,437.00

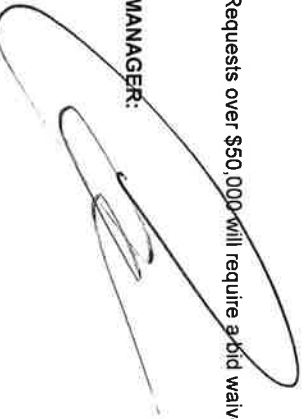
Brown Enterprise Solutions: \$262,148.50

Since only two quotes were obtained, we will be requesting a bid waiver from Council.

or any other evidence of cost effectiveness. Requests over \$50,000 will require a bid waiver from City Council.

TO BE COMPLETED BY PROCUREMENT MANAGER:

Approved? Y



Approved as to bid waiver