



Legislation Text

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This ordinance authorizes the Director of the Department of Technology (DoT) to renew and modify a contract with Mythics, LLC (f/k/a Mythics, Inc.) for the purchase of Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services. The term of the contract will be for one (1) year, beginning June 1, 2024 and ending on May 31, 2025, at a cost of \$916,819.14.

The original contract (RFQ021314 - which was awarded to Mythics, LLC, who was the sole respondent) was authorized most recently via Ord. No. 0581-2023 passed on March 13, 2023 through Purchase Order PO389162. The contract language allowed for three (3) renewal options, mutually agreed upon, one (1) year renewals with the approval of City Council. This ordinance represents the second renewal option authorizing contracting with Mythics, LLC for Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services. This ordinance also authorizes the expenditure of \$916,819.14 for the above described purpose for the term beginning on June 1, 2024 and ending May 31, 2025, at a cost of \$916,819.14.

Oracle software is a critical component of a number of citywide business systems including 311, CUBS, WAM, and GIS. These critical business functions would be negatively affected without this renewal. The software is server-based and has given the City the capability to web-enabled applications for citizens' use and ensure compliance with licensing agreements. Oracle software is one of the fastest, most scalable and reliable data bases in the industry providing a feature rich platform for business process implementation.

This ordinance also authorizes a change in the vendor name from Mythics, Inc. to Mythics, LLC in light of a corporate name change of which the City received notice.

FISCAL IMPACT

In years 2022 and 2023 the Department of Technology expended \$786,025.06 and \$848,907.06 respectively, for the purchase of Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services. The cost for this year's (2024) purchase of Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services is \$916,819.14. Funds for the above-described purpose are budgeted and available in the Information Services Operating Fund. **This ordinance is contingent on the passage of the 2024 City of Columbus Operating Budget, Ordinance 3012-2023.**

CONTRACT COMPLIANCE

Vendor: Mythics, LLC (f/k/a Mythics, Inc.) Certification: EBO_CC-009234 Expires: 4/27/2024

To authorize the Director of the Department of Technology to renew and modify a contract with Mythics, LLC (f/k/a Mythics, Inc.) for the purchase of Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services; and to authorize the expenditure of \$916,819.14 for the above-described services from the Information Services Operating Fund. (\$916,819.14)

WHEREAS, Oracle software is a critical component of a number of citywide business systems including 311, CUBS, WAM, and GIS. These critical business functions would be negatively affected without this renewal. The software is server-based and has given the City the capability to web-enable applications for citizens' use and ensure compliance with licensing agreements. Oracle software is one of the fastest, most scalable and reliable databases in the industry providing a feature rich platform for business process implementation; and

WHEREAS, the original contract (RFQ021314 - which was awarded to Mythics, LLC who was the sole respondent) was authorized most recently via Ord. No. 0581-2023 passed on March 13, 2023 through Purchase Order PO389162. The

contract language allowed for three (3) renewal options, mutually agreed upon, one-year renewals with the approval of City Council; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance represents the second renewal option authorizing contracting with Mythics, LLC for Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services. This ordinance also authorizes the expenditure of \$916,819.14 for the above described purpose for the term beginning on June 1, 2024 and ending on May 31, 2025, at a cost of \$916,819.14; and

WHEREAS, this legislation authorizes the second renewal option of a contract with Mythics, LLC, which allowed for three (3) renewal options, mutually agreed upon, one-year renewals with the approval of City Council; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance also authorizes the expenditure of \$916,819.14 for the above described purpose for the term period beginning on June 1, 2024 and ending on May 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance also authorizes the change of the name of the vendor from Mythics, Inc. to Mythics, LLC in light of a corporate name change of which the City received notice; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to authorize the Director of Technology to renew a contract with Mythics, LLC for the purchase of Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services, to ensure continuation of service; **NOW, THEREFORE,**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:

SECTION 1: That the Director of the Department of Technology be and is hereby authorized to renew a contract with Mythics, LLC for Oracle software licensing, maintenance, and support services for various city agencies in the amount of \$916,819.14, for a term of one (1) year, beginning June 1, 2024 and ending May 31, 2025, and to modify the contract to change the name of the vendor from Mythics, Inc. to Mythics, LLC.

SECTION 2: That the expenditure of \$916,819.14 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby authorized to be expended from the Department of Technology, Information Services Division, Information Services Operating Fund, for the above-named purpose, as follows in the attachment to this ordinance. **(Please see attachment 0508-2024 EXP)**

SECTION 3: That the City Auditor is authorized to make any accounting changes to revise the funding source for all contracts or contract modifications associated with this ordinance.

SECTION 4: That the funds necessary to carry out the purpose of this ordinance are hereby deemed appropriated, and the City Auditor shall establish such accounting codes as necessary.

SECTION 5: That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.