



Legislation Text

File #: 1286-2009, **Version:** 1

This ordinance authorizes the Director of Public Utilities to enter into a service agreement with Environmental Systems Corporation to upgrade the Emissions Monitoring Systems (CEMS) at the Southerly and Jackson Pike Wastewater Treatment Plant. This agreement is being entered into under the Sole Source provisions provided under Section 329.07 of Columbus City Code.

The current CEMS equipment and software is outdated and no longer will be supported by the company after April 2010. It has become necessary for the software and hardware to be upgraded to the most recent version. CEMS provides continuous regulatory stack emissions monitoring as required by state and federal regulations. The current systems were purchased and installed in 1998. Environmental Systems Corporation installed and developed the software and hardware and is the sole provider of the software, maintenance, and licenses for this upgrade.

Environmental Systems Corporation will provide with this upgrade, support and maintenance, licenses fees, software and hardware. The maintenance agreement for the new software will be for one (1) year to and including September 30, 2010. The Division of Sewerage and Drainage will need to annually enter into an agreement with ESC for the annual support of the software.

SUPPLIER: Environmental Systems Corporation (62-0807987) Expires 9-24-11

FISCAL IMPACT: \$99,561.66 is needed for this agreement. Funding is available in the current budget appropriation.

\$28,554.00 was spent in 2007 (Support Only)

\$39,955.00 was spent in 2006 (Support Only)

The company is not debarred according to the Excluded Party Listing System of the Federal Government or prohibited from being awarded a contract according to the Auditor of State Unresolved Findings for Recovery Certified Search.

To authorize the Director of Public Utilities to enter into an agreement with Environmental Systems Corporation for the complete upgrade of the Emissions Monitoring Systems under the Sole Source provisions of the Columbus City Code for the Division of Sewerage and Drainage, and to authorize the expenditure of \$99,561.66 from the Sewerage System Operating Fund, (\$96,561.66)

WHEREAS the Incinerator Continuous Emissions Monitoring Systems at the Southerly and Jackson Pike Wastewater Treatment Plant provides continuous regulatory stack emissions monitoring as required by state and federal regulations 40CFR75; and

WHEREAS, the current CEMS equipment and software is outdated and no longer will be supported by the company after April 2010. It has become necessary for the software and hardware to be upgraded to the most recent version; and

WHEREAS, Environmental Systems Corporation will provide with this upgrade support and maintenance, licenses fees, software and hardware; and

WHEREAS, the maintenance agreement for the new software will be for one (1) year to and including September 30, 2010. The Division of Sewerage and Drainage will need to annually enter into an agreement with ESC for the annual support of the software; and

WHEREAS, Environmental Systems Corporation installed and developed the software and hardware and is the sole provider of the software, maintenance, and licenses for this upgrade and this agreement is being established under the Sole Source provisions provided in Section 329.07 of the Columbus City Code, now, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS

Section 1. That the Director of Public Utilities be and is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with Environmental Systems Corporation for the complete upgrade and support for the Emissions Monitoring Systems for the Division of Sewerage and Drainage.

Section 2. That the expenditure of \$99,561.66 or so much thereof as may be needed, be and the same hereby is authorized from the Sewerage System Operating Fund, Fund No. 650 as follows

Southerly Wastewater Treatment Plant

OCA: 604793
Object Level 1: 03
Object Level 3: 3369
Amount \$49,780.83

Jackson Pike Wastewater Treatment Plant

OCA: 604819
Object Level 1: 03
Object Level 3: 3369
Amount \$49,780.83

Section 3. That the agreement is being established in accordance with the sole source provisions of the Columbus City Code, Section 329.07.

Section 4. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.