

City of Columbus

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Legislation Text

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BACKGROUND:

This legislation authorizes the Director of the Department of Technology (DoT), on behalf of the Columbus Police Division, to renew an annual software maintenance and support agreement, for the MultiBridge and Talon software applications, with Core Technology Corporation. The original agreement (FL001003) was entered into January 22, 2002, authorized by ordinance 2299-01, passed December 17, 2001. The agreement was most recently renewed by authority of ordinance 0286-2014, passed March 24, 2014, through purchase order EL015534. This renewal will provide an additional year of software maintenance and support for the period April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016. The total cost of the renewal is \$14,946.00.

The Department of Technology requires technical support and software maintenance services from Core Technology Corporation to support ongoing operations of the City's MultiBridge and Talon software applications, which supports the City's connectivity to the Ohio LEADS system. Without the software maintenance and support services provided by Core Technology Corporation, the City will not be able to utilize these applications. Also, renewing this agreement will allow the City to continue receiving software upgrades, support, and related services for the MultiBridge and Talon software applications. These applications allow for encrypted access to the Ohio LEADS system to enhance productivity and improve performance.

Core Technology Corporation is the sole proprietor and copyright holder of the MultiBridge and Talon software applications. Accordingly, Core Technology Corporation is also the sole source of supply for upgrades, maintenance, support, new releases and additional copies of these products. For this reason, this ordinance is being submitted in accordance with the provisions of Sole Source procurement of the City of Columbus Code Chapter 329.

FISCAL IMPACT:

In 2013 and 2014, the Department of Technology legislated \$38,671.00 and \$7,446.00 (under the authority of ordinances 0420-2013, 1915-2013 & 0286-2014) with Core Technology Corporation, for software licenses, implementation services, maintenance and support services and additional software upgrades. The 2015 cost for this renewal is \$14,946.00, bringing the aggregate contract total amount to \$141,063.00. The funds have been identified and are available in the Department of Technology, internal service fund. This ordinance is contingent on the passage of the 2015 City of Columbus Operating Budget.

CONTRACT COMPLIANCE NUMBER:

Vendor Name: Core Technology Corporation CC#/FID#: 38 - 2383186 Expiration Date: 11/12/2016

To authorize the Director of the Department of Technology, on behalf of the Columbus Police Division, to renew an annual software maintenance and support agreement for the MultiBridge and Talon software applications with Core Technology Corporation in accordance with the sole source procurement provisions of the Columbus City Codes; and to authorize the expenditure \$14,946.00 from the Department of Technology, internal service fund. (\$14,946.00)

WHEREAS, the Department of Technology, on behalf of the Columbus Police Division, has a need to renew an annual software maintenance and support agreement for the MultiBridge and Talon software applications, at a cost of \$14,946.00; and

WHEREAS, this renewal will provide an additional year of software maintenance and support for the period April 1,

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2015 to March 31, 2016; and

WHEREAS, the original agreement (FL001003) was entered into January 22, 2002, authorized by ordinance 2299-01, passed December 17, 2001. The agreement was most recently renewed by authority of ordinance 0286-2014, passed March 24, 2014, through purchase order EL015534; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Technology requires technical support and software maintenance services, from Core Technology Corporation to support ongoing operations of the City's MultiBridge and Talon software applications, which supports the City's connectivity to the Ohio LEADS system. Without the software maintenance and support services provided by Core Technology Corporation, the City will not be able to utilize these applications; and

WHEREAS, Core Technology Corporation is the sole proprietor and copyright holder of the MultiBridge and Talon software applications and also the sole source of supply for upgrades, maintenance, support, new releases and additional copies of these products; therefore, this ordinance is being submitted in accordance with the provisions of sole source procurement of the Columbus Code Chapter 329; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Director of the Department of Technology to renew an annual software maintenance and support agreement for the MultiBridge and Talon software applications with Core Technology Corporation on behalf of the Columbus Police Division to allow for uninterrupted daily operations and for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace, property, safety and welfare; now, therefore:

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

SECTION 1. That the Director of the Department of Technology, on behalf of the Columbus Police Division, be and is hereby authorized to renew an annual software maintenance and support agreement for the MultiBridge and Talon software applications with Core Technology Corporation in the amount of \$14,946.00. This renewal will provide an additional year of software maintenance and support for the period April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016.

SECTION 2. That the expenditure of \$14,946.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby authorized to be expended from:

Div.: 47-01|**Fund:** 514|**Subfund:** 010|**OCA Code:** 300347|**Obj. Level 1:** 03|**Obj. Level 3:** 3369 |**Amount:** \$4,946.00 {MultiBridge Maintenance & Support}

Div.: 47-01|**Fund:** 514|**Subfund:** 010|**OCA Code:** 300347|**Obj. Level 1:** 03|**Obj. Level 3:** 3369 |**Amount:** \$10,000.00 {Talon Maintenance & Support}

SECTION 3. That the City Auditor is authorized to make any changes to revise the funding source for any contract 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 agreement is being established in accordance with the sole source provisions of the Columbus City Code, Chapter 329.

SECTION 6. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.