

SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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FROM: Riverside County Information Technology

SUBMITTAL DATE:

May 18, 2009

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF THE AGREEMENT WITH VERIZON BUSINESS NETWORK SERVICES INC., ON BEHALF OF VERIZON SELECT SERVICES INC., TO PROVIDE CABLING EQUIPMENT AND INSTALLATION SERVICES FOR THE DOWNTOWN LAW BUILDING

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve and execute the one-year professional service agreement with Verizon Business Network Services Inc., DBA Verizon Select Services Inc., for \$1,623,547, and;
2. Authorize the Purchasing Agent, in accordance with Ordinance No. 459.4, to sign amendments that do not change the substantive terms of the agreement, and;
3. Approve the use of cash from the securitization of tobacco settlement funds to be reimbursed by future CORAL bond proceeds, and;
4. Direct the Clerk of the Board to return (2) original signed copies to Purchasing and Fleet Services.

BACKGROUND: In 2007, the Purchasing and Riverside County Information Technology (RCIT) departments released an RFP to establish an award with multiple vendors to provide data and voice

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FORM APPROVED BY COUNTY COUNSEL
DATE
BY: NEAL R. KIPNIS
Departmental Concurrence

Purchasing: Mark Seiler, Assistant Director

for Matthew W. Frymire GREG. R. STODDARD
Chief Information Officer Chief Technology Officer

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 1,623,547	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 1,623,547	For Fiscal Year:	FY 09/10

SOURCE OF FUNDS: Tobacco settlement funds to be reimbursed by future CORAL bond proceeds.	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	☐
	Requires 4/5 Vote	☐

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE

BY: Elizabeth J. Olson
Elizabeth J. Olson

County Executive Office Signature

Dep't Recomm.: ☒ Policy
Per Exec. Ofc.: ☒ Policy
☐ Consent
☐ Consent

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 3.30 1/27/09

District:

Agenda Number:

ATTACHMENTS FILED
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

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BACKGROUND (Continued)

cabling infrastructure in County owned and leased facilities. The award was made to three vendors, PCC, Compel, and Verizon. When new cabling requirements arise, RCIT's Engineering Section develops specifications and the three awarded vendors bid on the project in order for the County to obtain the best pricing. This cabling infrastructure agreement will provide for the data communications (intranet/internet), as well as voice communications for the various departments in the new downtown law building.

PRICE REASONABLENESS

On behalf of RCIT, the Purchasing Department solicited proposals from the three awarded vendors to provide voice and data cabling installation for the downtown law building. Two of the three vendors submitted quotes ranging from \$1,623,547 to \$1,650,773. The proposals were evaluated by a team consisting of personnel from Purchasing and RCIT based on the bidders responsiveness to the County's requirements, ability and experiences to perform the work, overall cost to the County, references, and other criteria as specified in the RFP. Verizon Business, with the lowest cost proposal, was selected as the most responsive and responsible vendor.

REVIEW/APPROVAL: Purchasing and County Counsel concur with this request.