



COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION

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SUBJECT: **PERMISSION TO TAKE BIDS/RFPs**

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court grant permission to take Bids/RFPs for the following:

a. Asbestos Abatement Services at Resource Connection Law Enforcement Training Center

Estimated Value - \$350,000.00

Funding is available through the 2024 ARPA Grant fund.

The purpose of this contract is the removal and disposal of asbestos containing material associated with cementitious ceiling texture, exterior soffit grey texture, pipe and fitting insulation, and window glazing which are required prior to renovation of the training center. This contract will be used by Facilities Management and the primary contacts are Joshua Palmer and Lorin Scarborough.

b. Annual Contract for Heavy Duty Equipment Truck Parts and Supplies

Estimated Value - \$388,266.00

Funding is available in the FY 2024 budget.

The purpose of this contract is the purchase of parts for the County’s heavy duty equipment trucks and equipment. This will be purchased by the four (4) Maintenance Precincts and the primary contacts are Keith Carpenter, Jason Murphy, Ed Haidusek and Ned Pyle.

c. RFP for Annual Contract for CDL Training

Estimated Value - \$40,000.00

Funding is available in the FY 2024 budget.

The purpose of this contract is to provide CDL training for Tarrant County staff, Countywide. This contract is required to be compliant with Entry Level Driver Training (ELDT) regulations established in 49 CFR Part 380, Subparts F and G. This permits the operation of 18-wheelers, buses, and trucks that haul hazardous materials. This contract will be used by the four (4) Maintenance Precincts, Facilities Management, and the Sheriff’s Office. The primary contacts are Ashley Clark, Joe Trammel, Jason Thomas, Anthony Jaramillo, Doug Deweese, and Anthony Black.

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d. Purchase of Laptops and Micro Desktops

Estimated Value - \$840,000.00

Funding is available in FY 2024 budget.

This purchase would be for laptops and micro desktops specifically for the Sheriff's Office as their computer-aided dispatch and record management system functions require 16GB of RAM rather than 8GB RAM for standard County computers. This contract will be used by the Sheriff's Office and the primary contact is Brian Redmond.

e. RFQ for Annual Contract for Temporary Healthcare Personnel

Estimated Value - \$55,000.00

Funding will be requested in the FY 2025 budget.

The purpose of this contract is to provide healthcare personnel for Public Health's clients and patients. Temporary personnel are needed to fill in coverage gaps which can be created when County healthcare employees are ill, on vacation, or while posted positions are not yet filled. This contract will be used by Public Health and the primary contact is Kim Pearce.

f. Purchase of Full-Size Prisoner Transport Wheelchair Accessible Vans

Estimated Value - \$110,000.00

Funding is available in the FY 2024 budget.

This purchase will be used by the Sheriff's Office to transport handicapped prisoners to and from various locations within the County. The primary contact is Joylee Russell.

g. Purchase of Full-Size Extended Length Prisoner Transport Van

Estimated Value - \$54,000.00

Funding is available in the FY 2024 budget.

This purchase will be used by the Sheriff's Office to transport prisoners to and from various locations within the County. The primary contact is Joylee Russell.

h. Purchase of Police Package SUVs

Estimated Value - \$647,700.00

Funding is available in the FY 2024 budget.

This purchase will be used by Constable Offices during high pursuit chases and other law enforcement activities. The primary contact is Joylee Russell.



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i. Purchase of Full-Size Half Ton Crew Cab SWB Pickup Trucks

Estimated Value - \$579,645.00

Funding is available in the FY 2024 budget.

This contract will be used by the Sheriff's Office, Maintenance Precincts, and Transportation Services to purchase trucks for County business related purposes. The primary contact is Joylee Russell.

BACKGROUND

The above list is for goods/services to be purchased through the competitive bid process required by Texas Local Government Code 262.002(c).

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.