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**SUBJECT: RFP NO. 2022-137 - ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR
OFFENDER/DEFENDANT-PAID BATTERER'S INTERVENTION
AND PREVENTION PROGRAM AND HIGH-RISK BATTERER'S
INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION PROGRAM - COMMUNITY
SUPERVISION AND CORRECTIONS DEPARTMENT - VARIOUS
VENDORS - EXERCISE FIRST OPTION FOR RENEWAL - SAME
CONTRACT TERMS**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve renewal of RFP No. 2022-137, Annual Contract for Offender/Defendant-Paid Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program and High-Risk Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program, for the first optional twelve (12) month period at the same contract terms.

BACKGROUND

On June 21, 2022, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #138424, awarded RFP No. 2022-137, Annual Contract for Offender/Defendant-Paid Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program and High-Risk Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program, for Community Supervision and Corrections Department (CSCD) to the following vendors:

Section 1 Free for Life Group
 MEMMS Counseling
 Opportunities Counseling Center Inc.
 SafeHaven of Tarrant County
 The Polo Group, LLC

Section 2 Free for Life Group
 Opportunities Counseling Center Inc.
 SafeHaven of Tarrant County
 The Polo Group, LLC

The awards were based upon evaluation criteria set forth in the RFP specifications and contained options to renew for three (3) additional twelve (12) month periods.

CSCD utilizes the Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program and High-Risk Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program as supervision tools for defendants and as alternative measures for sentencing, confinement, and possible revocation.

SUBMITTED BY:	Purchasing	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	Wanyu Chen Chris Lax, CPSM, CPSD, CPCP
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The vendors notified Purchasing in writing that they will extend the same contract terms through June 30, 2025. CSCD notified Purchasing in writing they are pleased with the vendors and want to renew.

Therefore, it is the joint recommendation of CSCD and Purchasing that the Commissioners Court approve renewal of RFP No. 2022-137, Annual Contract for Offender/Defendant-Paid Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program and High-Risk Batterer's Intervention and Prevention Program, for another twelve (12) month period.

FISCAL IMPACT

Services are paid for by offenders/defendants. No Tarrant County funds are required.