COMMISSIONERS COURT COMMUNICATION

SUBJECT: **RFP NO. 2021-130 - TRANSPORTATION SERVICES FOR JUVENILE JUSTICE ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM - JUVENILE SERVICES - DURHAM SCHOOL SERVICES - 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. 2021-130, Transportation Services for Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program, for the first optional twelve (12) month period at the same contract terms and approve contract.

BACKGROUND

On August 24, 2021, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #136173, awarded RFP No. 2021-130, for Transportation Services for Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program, for Juvenile Services, to Durham School Services.

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

The vendor notified Purchasing in writing that they will extend the same contract terms through August 31, 2023. Juvenile Services notified Purchasing in writing that they are pleased with the vendor and want to renew. The Tarrant County Juvenile Services Board approved the contract renewal on July 20, 2022.

Therefore, it is the joint recommendation of Juvenile Services, Tarrant County Juvenile Services Board, and Purchasing that the Commissioners Court approve renewal of RFP No. 2021-130, Transportation Services for Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program, for another twelve (12) month period.

The contract is attached for approval and signature. The Criminal District Attorney's Office reviewed the contract as to form.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funding in the amount of $189,848.00 is included in the department's FY 2023 budget request and will be reimbursed to the County through grant funds.

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