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SUBJECT: BID NO. 2023-156 - ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR PRISONER EXTRADITION SERVICES - SHERIFF'S OFFICE - VARIOUS VENDORS - PER UNIT PRICE

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court cancel award for Bid No. 2023-156, Annual Contract for Prisoner Extradition Services, for the Sheriff's Office, and remove Blue Knight Security from the vendor list for a period of two (2) years.

BACKGROUND

On July 11, 2023, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #141212, awarded Bid No. 2023-156, Annual Contract for Prisoner Extradition Services, to the following vendors:

Primary Blue Knight Security Sections 1 and 2

Secondary Risk Management Armored Security Section 1

After the awards were made on July 11, 2023, Blue Knight Security notified Purchasing that they could no longer hold their pricing due to the varying pricing of travel across the country. They are withdrawing their bid as the primary vendor.

We cannot proceed with awarding Risk Management Armored Security for Section 1, as Section 2 would be left without an awarded vendor.

Annual Contract for Prisoner Extradition Services will be rebid using permission to bid on September 19, 2023, through Court Order #141789.

Therefore, it is the joint recommendation of the Sheriff's Office and Purchasing that the Commissioners Court cancel award for Bid No. 2023-156, Annual Contract for Prisoner Extradition Services, to Blue Knight Security and Risk Management Armored Security, and remove Blue Knight Security from the vendor list for a period of two (2) years.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

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