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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

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RESOLUTION No. 84931 C.M.S.

RESOLUTION: 1) AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH AIRCRAFT RESCUE FIRE FIGHTER (ARFF) PROS TO PROVIDE 40 HOURS OF STATE CERTIFIED AIRCRAFT RESCUE FIREFIGHTER TRAINING (FIRE CONTROL 5) ANNUALLY FROM MAY 2014 THROUGH MAY 2016, WITH TWO-ONE YEAR OPTIONS TO EXTEND IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$13,000 EACH YEAR FOR A TOTAL CONTRACT AMOUNT OF FIFTY-TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$52,000) OVER A FOUR YEAR PERIOD WITHOUT RETURN TO COUNCIL; AND 2) WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL/QUALIFICATIONS (RFP/Q) PROCESS, THE ADVERTISING AND BIDDING REQUIREMENTS, AND THE LOCAL AND SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM (L/SLB) PROVISIONS FOR THE PROPOSED AGREEMENT WITH ARFF

WHEREAS, Fire Control 5 is a mandated Federal Aviation Administration pre-requisite 40-hour training class for members interested in obtaining Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting certification, which is required to become eligible for assignment at the Oakland Airport Fire Station 22, and

WHEREAS, Oakland Municipal Code section 2.04.051.B permits the Council to waive the request for proposal/qualifications (“RFP/Q”) requirements upon a finding that it is in the best interest of the City to do so; and

WHEREAS, Oakland Municipal Code section 2.04.050.I.5 permits the Council to waive the advertising and bidding requirements upon a finding that it is in the best interest of the City to do so; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that it is in the best interest of the City to waive the RFP/Q process so that the City can enter into agreement with ARFF because they are the only contractor in the region who is able to deliver Metropolitan Oakland International Airport (MOIA) site specific ARFF/FC5 training to OFD members; and

WHEREAS, the only other vendor in this region is located in San Bernardino California (southern California), and is unable to provide site specific training; and

WHEREAS, ARFF PROS is a local vendor in the Bay Area which saves the City of Oakland on travel, lodging, and meal expenses required to bring in vendors from outside the Bay Area; and

WHEREAS, ARFF PROS Consulting is owned and operated by a retired member of the Oakland Fire Department, who has more than 30 years of ARFF experience as a trainer, first responder, and Airport Operations Supervisor at the Oakland International Airport; and

WHEREAS, ARFF PROS Consulting is well versed in the specifics of the general aviation and commercial aviation aspects of MOIA, and has substantial knowledge and familiarization with the fuel tank farms, Air Traffic Control Towers, its personnel, procedures, various fixed base operators, airline tenants and law enforcement partners/stakeholders, federal compliance inspectors and more; and

WHEREAS, recent inspections by F.A.A personnel have identified the OFD ARFF program and related training as a model ARFF training program that other agencies should emulate ; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the City Administrator or his designee is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with Aircraft Rescue Fire Fighter (ARFF) PROS to provide members of the Oakland Fire Department 40 hours (1 week) of State Certified Aircraft Rescue Firefighter Training (Fire Control 5) annually beginning May 2014 through May 2016, with two-one year options to extend in an amount not to exceed \$13,000 each year for a total contract amount of \$52,000 without return to Council; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Council finds that pursuant to Oakland Municipal Code sections 2.04.050.I.5 and 2.04.051.B, for the reasons stated above and in the City Administrator’s report accompanying this resolution, that it is in the best interests of the City to waive the advertising and bidding requirements and the request for proposal/qualifications (RFP/Q) process for the products and services to be purchased under the proposed agreement and so waives the requirements; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That funds shall be drawn from FY14 Aircraft Rescue Firefighting Training Budget, Fire Airport Professional Services Special Operations 1010.20814.54930.0000000.PS18; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Administrator or his designee is hereby authorized to complete all required negotiations, certifications, assurances, and documentation required to accept, modify, extend and/or amend this agreement; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Attorney shall review and approve said agreement as to form and legality and copies of said agreement shall be filed with the Office of the City Clerk.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, APR 22 2014, 20


PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

BROOKS, GALLO, KALB, KAPLAN, MCELHANEY, REID, SCHAAF and PRESIDENT KERNIGHAN. — 8

NOES- Ø

ABSENT- Ø

ABSTENTION- Ø

ATTEST: 
LaTonda Simmons
City Clerk and Clerk of the
Council of the City of Oakland, California