
2007 JUN 11: PM 3: 11 RESOLUTION NO. 80698 C.M.S.

Introduced by Councilmember _____

RESOLUTION WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL/QUALIFICATIONS PROCESS AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND, TO ENTER INTO A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF, FORENSIC SERVICES DIVISION, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000.00) FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2007 TO JUNE 30, 2008, FOR LATENT PRINT COMPARISON AND IDENTIFICATION SERVICES ON BEHALF OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Police Department's Criminalistics Division routinely conducts latent print comparison and computer-based searches in order to provide identification services in relationship to the analysis of unsolved or suspectless criminal investigations; and

WHEREAS, for more than one full calendar year, the Department's Criminalistics Division has experienced personnel shortages, resulting in a backlog in the completion of both latent print comparison assignments and latent print computer-based searches that are used in unsolved and/or suspectless criminal investigations; and

WHEREAS, the analyses performed on behalf of the Department's Criminalistics Division enhances agency-wide efforts to identify, arrest and prosecute violent offenders within our community; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department's Criminalistics Division is fully accredited under the laboratory accreditation program of the American Society of Crime Laboratory Directors/ Laboratory Accreditation Board; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department requests a waiver of the competitive request for proposal/ qualifications process to facilitate entering into a professional services agreement with the Contra Costa County Sheriff's Department, Forensic Services Division, for latent print comparison and identification services on behalf of the Criminalistics Division; and

WHEREAS, Contra Costa County Sheriff's Department, Forensic Services Division, is also fully accredited under the laboratory accreditation program of the American Society of Crime Laboratory Directors/Laboratory Accreditation Board, and there is no other crime lab in the Bay Area with those same credentials who can perform this work for the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the services provided pursuant to said agreement with the Contra Costa County Sheriff's Department are of a professional, scientific or technical nature and are temporary in nature; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that said agreements shall not result in a loss of employment or salary by any person having permanent status in the competitive service; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED: That pursuant to Oakland Municipal Code section 2.04.051.B, the City Council hereby finds and determines that it is in the best interests of the City to waive the competitive request for proposal/ qualifications process for the proposed agreement between the Police Department and the County of Contra Costa, Office of the Sheriff, relative to the delivery of forensic services, and authorizes the City Administrator, or her designee, to enter into said agreement; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That funding for said agreement shall be maintained in the General Purpose Fund: 1010; Criminalistics Division Org.: 102610; Criminalistics Program PS05; Miscellaneous Contracts Services Account: 54919; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Administrator, or her designee, is further authorized to execute said agreement and other documents necessary in connection with said agreements and to complete any negotiations, certifications and documentation required to accept, modify, extend, or amend the agreement provided no additional funds beyond the City Administrator's signing authority will be allocated without prior City Council approval; 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 on the Office of the City Clerk.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, JUL 3 2007, 20_____

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

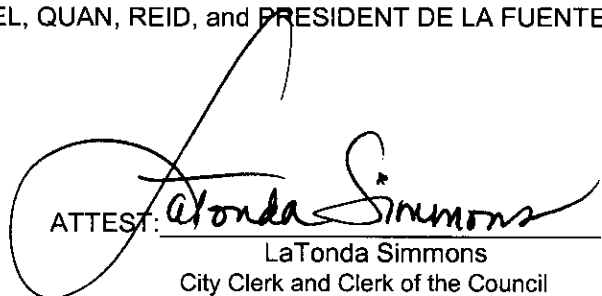
AYES - BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE - 8

NOES - 0

ABSENT - 0

ABSTENTION - 0

ATTEST:



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