



City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 24-6506, **Agenda Item #:** 31.

1/30/2025

Posting Language

Authorize a contract for roadway traffic control devices for the Transportation and Public Works Department with Centerline Supply, Inc. for an initial term of three years with up to two one-year extension options for a total contract amount not to exceed \$1,000,000. Funding: \$183,344 is available in the Transportation and Public Works Department's Operating Budget. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Lead Department

Financial Services Department.

Client Department(s)

Transportation and Public Works Department.

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$183,334 is available in the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Operating Budget of Transportation and Public Works.

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Purchasing Language:

Multiple cooperative purchase programs were reviewed for these goods. The Financial Services Department has determined this contractor best meets the needs of the Transportation and Public Works Department to provide these goods required for the City.

MBE/WBE:

This procurement was reviewed for subcontracting opportunities in accordance with City Code Chapter 2-9B (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). For the goods required for this procurement, there were no certified M/WBEs; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established.

For More Information:

Direct questions regarding this Recommendation for Council Action to the Financial Services Department - Central Procurement at FSDCentralProcurementRCAs@austintexas.gov or 512-974-2500.

Additional Backup Information:

This contract will provide necessary maintenance equipment, including rubber curbs and planters for the Transportation and Public Works Department. Rubber curbs are used to delineate bike lanes and parking lanes from general traffic lanes. Planters are used to add green elements to streetscapes.

This is a new contract. Requested authorization is based on historical spend and departmental estimates of future needs.

The Texas Association of School Boards, Inc. (also known as BuyBoard) is a cooperative purchasing

association recognized under Texas procurement statutes. Cooperative associations, themselves or using a lead government, competitively solicit and award contracts that are eligible for use by other qualified state and local governments. Due to their substantial volumes, larger than any one government could achieve independently, cooperative contracts routinely include superior terms, conditions, and pricing. Use of cooperative contracts also results in lower administrative costs and time savings.

A delay in contract approval could impact street safety for cyclists and pedestrians.