



City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 25-1274, **Agenda Item #:** 73.

7/24/2025

Posting Language

Ratify a contract for the installation of a hydraulic dock lift for Austin Public Library with Johnson Equipment Company, in the amount of \$132,600. Funding: \$132,600 is available in Operating Budget of Austin Public Library.

Lead Department

Financial Services Department.

Client Department(s)

Austin Public Library.

Fiscal Note

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Operating Budget of Austin Public Library.

Purchasing Language:

Ratification.

MBE/WBE:

This contract is exempt from the City Code Chapter 2-9B (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program); 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 was executed as an emergency and is being brought back to council as a ratification. The Austin Public Library uses the hydraulic dock lift as a delivery dock intended for trucks for receiving and loading deliveries. The existing dock was leaking oil, creating a slip hazard and creating a safety issue for employees and contractors, and library staff were unable to repair the existing lift. The emergency contract replaced a delivery dock at the Zaragosa Warehouse addressing the safety and operational concerns.