



City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 26-1982, **Agenda Item #:** 23.

7/23/2026

Posting Language

Authorize a contract for data visualization, analytics, and integration licenses, maintenance, and support services for Austin Technology Services with Porter Burgess Company d/b/a Flair Data Systems for an initial term of one year with up to two 1-year extension options in an amount not to exceed \$1,750,000. Funding: \$419,461 is available in the Operating Budget of Austin Technology Services. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Lead Department

Austin Financial Services.

Client Department(s)

Austin Technology Services.

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$419,461 is available in the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Operating Budget of Austin Technology Services.

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Procurement Language:

Multiple cooperative purchase programs were reviewed for these goods and services. Austin Financial Services and Austin Technology Services have determined this contractor best meets the needs of Austin Technology Services to provide these goods and services required for the City.

MBE/WBE:

Cooperative Agreement contracts are 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 Austin Financial Services - Central Procurement at: FSDCentralProcurementRCAs@austintexas.gov or 512-974-2500.

Additional Backup Information:

The contract will provide data visualization and analytics tools, data integration licenses, maintenance, and support services for the Qlik product suite. Qlik Sense enables City users within the Public Safety domain to generate interactive dashboards, reports, and data visualizations from a diverse range of data sources and aids in the reporting of sensitive data, such as Criminal Justice Information, which is restricted on other hosted systems due to security and policy considerations. Qlik Data Integration helps organizations move, replicate, synchronize, and transform data between systems in near real time.

This contract will consolidate and replace two current contracts. The recommended contractor is the current provider for these services, and the proposed estimates reflect continuation of the services and licensing

provided under the existing contracts.

The State of Texas Department of Information Resources 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.

Non-renewal of Qlik licensing would result in the loss of Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) analytics and reporting capabilities for Combined Transportation, Emergency, and Communications Center program customers. It would also disrupt the replication and movement of CAD data to downstream systems and critical data sources that rely on those integrations.

Contract Details:		
Contract Term	Length of Term	Contract Authorization
Initial Term	1 year	\$519,000
Optional Extension 1	1 year	\$572,000
Optional Extension 2	1 year	\$659,000
Total	3 years	\$1,750,000

Note: Contract Authorization amounts are based on the City's estimated annual usage.