



City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 26-1267, **Agenda Item #:** 28.

3/26/2026

Posting Language

Authorize an amendment to a contract for continued enterprise architect products and services for all City departments with SPARX Sales US LLC d/b/a SPARX Systems North America, to increase the amount by \$374,100 for a revised total contract amount not to exceed \$608,000. Funding: \$143,250 is available in the Operating Budgets of all City departments. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Lead Department

Austin Financial Services.

Client Department(s)

All City Departments.

Fiscal Note

Funding in the amount of \$143,250 is available in the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Operating Budgets of all City departments.

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Procurement Language:

Contract Amendment.

MBE/WBE:

Sole source 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 amendment will provide the City with continued access to the SPARX Systems enterprise architecture software tool. This tool helps the City to map current information technology environments and plans for the development, integration, and implementation of new technologies for City departments. The software allows the City to facilitate and share system architectural design and analysis within and across each department. The software tool facilitates more effective and timely strategic decision making for critical systems. Additionally, the contract supports tracking and managing projects throughout their lifecycle to ensure traceability of data across City systems and to keep the enterprise architecture models current.

The initial contract was established with insufficient contract authority due to underestimated authority requests from departments. This amendment is necessary to increase the total contract authority to an amount sufficient to support usage by all City departments.

Contract Details:				
Contract Term	Length of Term	Contract Authorization	Requested Additional Authorization	Revised Total Authorization
Initial Term	3 years	\$153,142		\$153,142
Proposed Amendment			\$374,100	\$374,100
Optional Extension 1	1 year	\$40,379		\$40,379
Optional Extension 2	1 year	\$40,379		\$40,379
Total	5 years	\$233,900	\$374,100	\$608,000

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