



RESOLUTION NO. 7354

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL, ACTING AS THE LOCAL CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD, WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND AWARDING A SOLE-SOURCE CONTRACT TO US DIGITAL DESIGNS (USDD) BY HONEYWELL TO PROVIDE A G2 PHOENIX DIGITAL ALERTING SYSTEM; AND AUTHORIZING THE FIRE CHIEF TO AWARD AND EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH US DIGITAL DESIGNS BY HONEYWELL TO PROVIDE A G2 PHOENIX DIGITAL ALERTING SYSTEM

WHEREAS, Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) 279B.075, and Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) 137-047-0275 allow the city council, acting as the local contract review board, to award a contract for goods and services without any competition by Sole-source Procurement if it is determined that the goods or services are available from one source; and

WHEREAS, such authorization must be based on written findings submitted by the department seeking the exemption that describe the circumstances to support the use of the Sole-source Procurement as defined in ORS 279B.075; and

WHEREAS, the current system has been in place for almost 40 years, and has reached end of life and end of warranty; and

WHEREAS, the G2 Phoenix Fire Station Alerting System is fully compatible with existing infrastructure currently used by both Linn and Benton County Sheriff's Office dispatching centers, who are the primary and secondary Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) for Albany Fire and fire agencies in Linn County; and

WHEREAS, the G2 System incorporates specialized features that have been shown to be safer and more effective for firefighter/EMTs to respond to; and

WHEREAS, this system aligns with the City's strategic plans for a Safe City; and

WHEREAS, it is in the City's best interest to upgrade its alerting system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL, ACTING AS THE LOCAL CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD:

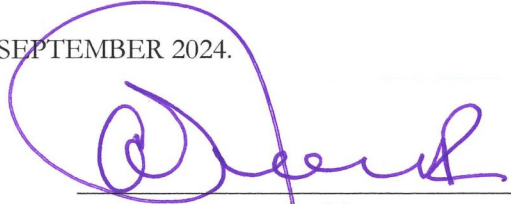
SECTION 1. Adopts the following findings:

1. The City must use the G2 Phoenix system to ensure compatibility with the existing infrastructure used by both the Linn and Benton County Sheriff's Office dispatching centers. These centers are the primary and secondary Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) for Albany Fire and fire agencies in Linn County.
2. USDD Honeywell is the sole provider of the technology required for the efficient upgrade of Albany Fire Department's alerting system.
3. The G2 Phoenix System for fire station alerting and use by the Albany Fire Department aligns with the City's strategic plan for a Safe City (Goals 1 & 2) and is in the City's best interest.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of Albany Municipal Code Section 2.66.060, the fire chief is authorized and directed to use a Sole-source Procurement method to procure G2 Phoenix Digital Alerting System.


SECTION 3. The fire chief is hereby directed to negotiate, award, and execute a Sole-source contract with US Digital Designs by Honeywell to provide a G2 Phoenix Digital Alerting System for an initial term of five years, with optional contract extensions, after the City has given public notice for seven days of its intent to award a contract, per OAR 137-047-0275 and ORS 279B.075.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 25TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2024.



Mayor

ATTEST:



City Clerk

