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August 14, 2012

TO: Board of Acquisition and Contract

FROM: George N. Longworth, Commissioner-Sheriff
Department of Public Safety

RE: Resolution authorizing the County of Westchester, acting by and through its Department of Public Safety to enter into an Agreement with A-T Solutions, Inc., for an amount not to exceed \$199,918.08, and pursuant to an approved budget, to allow certified bomb technicians to participate in advanced electronics and IED/threat assessment training for a term commencing October 1, 2012 through July 31, 2013

Authority is sought for the County of Westchester, acting by and through its Department of Public Safety (the "Department"), to enter into an agreement with A-T Solutions, Inc., for an amount not to exceed one hundred ninety-nine thousand nine hundred eighteen dollars and eight cents (\$199,918.08), pursuant to an approved budget. This agreement will allow certified bomb technicians to participate in advanced electronics and IED/threat assessment training. The agreement shall commence October 1, 2012 and shall terminate July 31, 2013.

The proposed agreement is in the public's best interest and will promote the safety and general welfare of the public by providing the County's Hazardous Devices Unit and other bomb squads in the metropolitan area with needed training to effectively inspect, identify and prosecute potential explosive threats. The goals and objectives of this program are the enhancement of the public safety and security of the County's residents.

The goals and objectives will be tracked and monitored by the Department's Special Operations Division.

The proposed program is exempt from the Westchester County Procurement Policy pursuant to Section 3(a)(xi) thereof. In accordance with the applicable federal procurement rules this procurement qualifies as a 'sole source' procurement. This course was developed by A-T Solutions and A-T Solutions are the only providers of this course under the Department of Homeland Security approved state sponsored course catalog CA-003-PROT.

Wherefore, authority is respectfully sought for the County of Westchester to enter into this agreement.

Attachment

RESOLUTION

Upon a communication from the Commissioner-Sheriff, Department of Public Safety, be it hereby

RESOLVED, that authority is hereby granted to the County of Westchester, acting by and through its Department of Public Safety, to enter into an agreement with A-T Solutions, Inc., for an amount not to exceed one hundred ninety-nine thousand nine hundred eighteen dollars and eight cents (\$199,918.08), pursuant to an approved budget. This agreement will allow certified bomb technicians to participate in advanced electronics and IED/threat assessment training. The agreement shall commence October 1, 2012 and shall terminate July 31, 2013; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this agreement is subject to County appropriations; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this agreement is also subject to further financial analysis of the impact of any New York State Budget (the "State Budget") proposed and adopted during the term of this Agreement. The County shall retain the right, upon occurrence of any release by the Governor of a proposed State Budget and/or the adoption of a State Budget or any amendments, thereto, and for a reasonable period of time after such release(s) or adoption(s), to conduct an analysis of the impacts of any such State Budget on County finances. After such analysis, the County shall retain the right to either terminate this agreement or to renegotiate the amounts and rates approved herein. If the County subsequently offers to pay a reduced amount to the Contractor, then the Contractor shall have the right to terminate this agreement upon reasonable prior written notice; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive or his authorized designee is hereby authorized to execute any documents and take any actions reasonably necessary and appropriate to effectuate the purposes of this resolution.

Account to be Charged	Fund	Dept.	Major Program, Program & Phase or Unit	Object/ Sub Object	Trust Account	Dollars
	263	38	895M	4380	T895	\$193,392.00
	711	38	8002	4380		\$ 6,526.08

Budget Funding Years 2012-2013
(must match resolution)

Start Date October 1, 2012

End Date July 31, 2013

Funding Source
\$199,918.08
(must match resolution)

Tax Dollars _____
State Aid _____
Federal Aid \$193,392.00
Other Seized Assets \$6526.08

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