



# Board of Commissioners of Cook County

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Chicago, IL

## Legislation Details

**File #:** 23-0439      **Version:** 1      **Name:** In-Person Foreign Language Services  
**Type:** Contract      **Status:** Approved  
**File created:** 12/5/2022      **In control:** Board of Commissioners  
**On agenda:** 2/9/2023      **Final action:** 2/9/2023  
**Title:** PROPOSED CONTRACT

Department(s): Office of the Chief Judge, Circuit Court of Cook County

Vendor: Ready Made Language Resources, Chicago Illinois

Request: Authorization for the Chief Procurement Officer to enter into and execute

Good(s) or Service(s): Foreign Language Interpreting Services

Contract Value: \$1,749,150.00

Contract period: 5/1/2023 - 4/30/2028, with two (2), one-year renewal options

Potential Fiscal Year Budget Impact: FY 2023 \$204,068, FY 2024 \$349,824, FY2025 \$349,824, FY2026 \$349,824 , FY2027 \$349,824, FY28 \$145,786

Accounts: 11100.1310.15190.520830

Contract Number(s): 2112-09202

Concurrences:

The Contract Specific Goal set on this contract is Zero.

The Chief Procurement Officer concurs.

Summary: This contract provides for in-person foreign language interpreter services primarily involving languages other than Spanish and Polish for persons participating in Circuit Court of Cook County proceedings. Contract services are requested whenever the court's in-house interpreter staff is not available or the requested languages are outside staff expertise.

Competitive bidding procedures were followed in accordance with the Cook County Procurement Code. Bids were solicited for Foreign Language Interpreting Services. Ready Made Staffing was the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:** (Inactive) TIMOTHY C. EVANS, Chief Judge, Circuit Court of Cook County

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:**

| Date      | Ver. | Action By              | Action   | Result |
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| 2/9/2023  | 1    | Board of Commissioners | approve  | Pass   |
| 1/26/2023 | 1    | Board of Commissioners | withdraw | Pass   |