



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street
Chicago, IL

Legislation Text

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PROPOSED CONTRACT

Department(s): Department of Budget and Management Services

Vendor: Justice Benefits, Inc. Dallas Texas

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

Good(s) or Service(s): Professional Services

Contract Value: 6% of State Criminal Alien Assistance Program Award Amount

Contract period: 1/1/2014 - 12/31/2016

Potential Fiscal Year Budget Impact: None

Accounts: N/A

Contract Number(s): 1341-12849

Concurrences:

The vendor has met the Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise Ordinance.

The Chief Procurement Officer concurs.

Summary: Justice Benefits, Inc. is currently contracted under the final extension option of contract number 93-43-1375, which will end on 12/31/2013. Justice Benefits, Inc. provides assistance with the identification and recovery of over \$63 million in County funds incurred for detaining undocumented and unknown individuals in the County's correctional facilities through the federal government's State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP). Justice Benefits, Inc. will provide assistance in gathering information pertaining to the undocumented individuals and the associated cost, as well as provide technical assistance with the submission of the SCAAP funding request to the federal government..