



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street
Chicago, IL

Legislation Text

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PROPOSED CONTRACT AMENDMENT

Department(s): Capital Planning and Policy

Vendor: The Gordian Group, Inc., Greenville, South Carolina

Request: Authorization for the Chief Procurement Officer to extend contract

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

Original Contract Period: 5/1/2012-4/30/2015 with two (2), one (1) year renewal options

Proposed Contract Period Extension: 5/1/2018-4/30/2019

Total Current Contract Amount Authority: \$7,050,000.00

Original Approval (Board or Procurement): 5/14/2012, \$1,050,000.00

Previous Board Increase(s) or Extension(s): 9/10/2014, \$2,500,000.00; 5/11/2016; 5/1/2016-4/30/2017, \$3,500,000.00; 3/22/2017, 5/1/2017-4/30/2018

Previous Chief Procurement Officer Increase(s) or Extension(s): 4/24/2015, 5/1/2015-4/30/2016

This Increase Requested: N/A

Potential Fiscal Impact: N/A

Accounts: Capital Improvement Program

Contract Number(s): 11-28-043

Concurrences:

The vendor has met the Minority- and Women-owned Business Enterprise Ordinance via full MWBE waiver with indirect participation.

The Chief Procurement Officer concurs.

Summary: The objective of the Job Order Contracting (JOC) program is to provide an alternate procurement method to enable the County to rapidly engage construction project simultaneously. The JOC Program is consisted of the JOC administrator and JOC Construction Contractors.

The Gordian Group is the current JOC Administrator providing management services for the JOC Program. The Gordian Group's fee for the services provided is assessed as a percentage of the value of construction procured by the County through the JOC program. The County is under no obligation to expend any monies, and is only obligated to pay The Gordian Group's fee when the construction work is procured through the JOC program. This extension will accommodate

the time necessary for the procurement and any potential transitional period.

This contract was awarded through a Request for Proposal (RFP) process in accordance with the Cook County Procurement Code. The Gordian Group, Inc. was awarded based on established evaluation criteria.