



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street
Chicago, IL

Legislation Text

File #: 15-4310, **Version:** 1

PROPOSED CONTRACT

Department(s): Transportation and Highways

Vendor: Cambridge Systematics, Inc., Cambridge, Massachusetts

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

Good(s) or Service(s): Freight Rail Study for Central and South Cook County

Contract Value: \$600,000.00

Contract period: 8/5/2015 - 08/4/2017, with one (1), one (1) year renewal option

Potential Fiscal Year Budget Impact: FY2015 \$150,000.00; FY2016 \$300,000.00;
FY2017 \$150,000.00

Accounts: Motor Fuel Tax Fund 600-585

Contract Number(s): 1423-13748

Concurrences:

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

The Chief Procurement Officer concurs.

Summary: This contract includes preparation of a Freight Rail Study which will evaluate freight system needs and recommend vital improvements to accommodate current and future freight traffic, ease congestion and improve truck and rail freight traffic.

Request for Qualifications (RFQ) procedures were followed in accordance with the Cook County Procurement Code. Cambridge Systematics, Inc. was selected based on established criteria.