

Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street Chicago, IL

Legislation Text

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PROPOSED CONTRACT

Department(s): Bureau of Finance, Office of the County Comptroller

Vendor: PNC Bank, National Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

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

Good(s) or Service(s): Electronic payment card services

Contract Value: \$0.00 cost

Contract period: 8/1/2014 - 7/31/2017 with two (2) one (1) year renewal options

Potential Fiscal Year Budget Impact: Revenue Generating: FY 2014, \$250,000.00; FY 2015, \$450,000.00; FY2016,

\$450,000.00

Accounts: 490-260

Contract Number(s): 1488-13855

Concurrences:

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

The Chief Procurement Officer concurs.

Summary: The Bank will provide the County with electronic payment card services, utilizing a virtual credit card for vendor payments, that is cost effective, flexible and user friendly with strong security, antifraud and reconciliation features that includes: 1) robust online reporting; 2) a rebate incentive program; 3) on-going marketing and enablement process to expand the use of the virtual card as a form of payment across the County's vendors/suppliers; and 4) 24 x 7 customer service which will include technical and functional user and vendor training.

This is a Comparable Government Procurement pursuant to Section 34-140 of the Procurement Code: PNC Bank. was previously awarded a contract by the Chicago Board of Education through a Request for Proposal (RFP) process. Cook County wishes to leverage this procurement effort.