

City of Mesquite, Texas

Legislation Text

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Bid No. 2020-060 - Annual Fiber Optic Cabling Repair and Maintenance.

(Authorize the City Manager to finalize and execute a contract with Future Telecom, Inc., through an Interlocal Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Mesquite Independent School District, in an amount not to exceed \$120,000.00. The term of this contract is for one year, with four additional one-year renewal options. The City Manager is authorized to exercise the renewal options, subject to annual appropriation of sufficient funds.)

Name of Department

Public Works / Information Technology

Project/Budgeted Amount

\$120,000.00

Sum of Bid/Bid Amount

\$120,000.00

The City of Mesquite and the Mesquite Independent School District (MISD) have mutually agreed to maintain a 55-mile underground fiber optic network, which provides communication to MISD facilities, City facilities and traffic signals. MISD, with assistance from the City, advertised Requests for Proposals for annual fiber optic cabling repair and maintenance services in December 2019. Proposals were evaluated and Future Telecom, Inc., was selected. MISD has executed a contract with Future Telecom, Inc., for fiber optic locating, repair and maintenance of MISD facilities. This contract between the City of Mesquite and Future Telecom, Inc., provides for locating, repair and maintenance of City-only fiber facilities.

Financial Implications

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2019-2020 operating budget. This contract is for one year, with four one-year renewal options, in an amount not to exceed \$120,000.00.

Recommended/Desired Action

Staff recommends approval of the contract.

Attachment(s)

Pricing

Drafter

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Head of Department

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