



# City Council Report

**Date:** April 21, 2014  
**To:** City Council  
**Through:** Alex Deshuk, Manager of Technology and Innovation  
**From:** Edward Quedens, MPA, C.P.M., CPPO, Business Services Director  
Matt Bauer MBA, CPPO, CPPB, CPSM, Procurement Administrator  
**Subject:** Purchase of Hardware and Software for the City's Annual Server Replacement Program **(Citywide)**

## Purpose and Recommendation

Council is requested to approve the purchase of hardware and software for the City's Annual Server Replacement Program as recommended.

Information Technology and Purchasing recommend authorizing the purchase using State of Arizona cooperative contracts with Insight Public Sector, Inc. at \$106,331.84, EMC Corporation at \$30,487.78, and SHI International, Corp. at \$10,384.70, for a combined total contract award of \$147,204.32.

## Background / Discussion

The City's server cycle replacement program replaces aging servers when vendor support ends. These servers are central to the delivery of core City services. This procurement is FY 13/14's replacement program funded by Information Technology's Lifecycle Roadmap. The City's annual server replacement program funding is part of an overall "cloud" strategy that combines both private and public cloud offerings and integration

Aging servers for the City's Geographic Information Systems (GIS) will be replaced this year. These servers support the City's Computerized Maintenance Management System (CMMS). This particular replacement is the Oracle database servers for GIS. In addition, this replacement cycle funds the Police Department's continued efforts to address its aging server fleet through virtualized server; providing cost savings, increased flexibility and manageability, and faster start up time for server services.

Both purchase and "cloud" hosting options were reviewed and "cloud" services were found to be more expensive for the functions being replaced. In addition, due to existing investments in City of Mesa on premise capabilities, we are able to reduce purchase costs, consolidate equipment and provide the GIS/CMMS services with higher levels of availability.

Using the cooperative contract offers the City high volume discounted pricing for both purchases of hardware and software. Insight Public Sector, Inc. (hardware vendor selected) was the lowest bid of three State contract vendors to provide the multiple server configurations needed.

## Alternatives

Council may choose not to authorize the State of Arizona contract purchases.

## Fiscal Impact

The total amount of \$147,204.32 is available in the Information Technology Department FY 13/14 budget.

## Coordinated With

Information Technology and Purchasing

### **AWARD RECOMMENDATION**

#### **I. PURCHASING INFORMATION**

Action: Award

Contracting Agency: State of Arizona

Contracting Agency Contract Number: ADSP012-024652

Mesa Contract Number: 2014235

***Insight Public Sector, Inc.***  
**Tempe, AZ**

Cisco Server Hardware and Add-Ons to include VM Ware and Support

Price	\$98,182.68
8.3% Sales Tax	<u>\$8,149.16</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$106,331.84</b>

#### **II. PURCHASING INFORMATION**

Action: Award

Contracting Agency: State of Arizona

Contracting Agency Contract Number: ADSP010-00000049 (WSCA)

Mesa Contract Number: 2014235

***EMC Corporation***  
**Hopkinton, MA**

EMC Hardware, Software, and Maintenance

Price	\$28,871.00
5.6% Use Tax	<u>\$1,616.78</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$30,487.78</b>

### **III. PURCHASING INFORMATION**

Action: Award

Contracting Agency: State of Arizona

Contracting Agency Contract Number: ADSPO11-007500

Mesa Contract Number: 2014235

***SHI International***  
**Somerset, NJ**

Microsoft Server Software

Price	\$9,834.00
5.6% Use Tax	<u>\$550.70</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,384.70</b>

**Combined Total Award: \$147,204.32**