



# City Council Report

**Date:** November 5, 2018  
**To:** City Council  
**Through:** Michael Kennington, Chief Financial Officer  
**From:** Edward Quedens, Business Services Director  
Matt Bauer, Procurement Administrator  
**Subject:** One-Year Renewal to the Term Contract for Helicopter Engine Parts and Repairs for the Police Department **(Citywide)**

## Recommendation

Council is requested to approve the contract renewal as recommended.

The Police Department and Purchasing recommend authorizing the renewal with AeroMaritime America, Inc. (a Mesa business) at \$300,000, based on estimated usage.

## Background / Discussion

This contract provides aviation turbine engine overhauls, repairs, modifications, furnishing parts, tooling, rental, technical assistance and/or labor for complete engines, engine modules, engine components, and engine accessories for the Police Aviation Unit's three MD Helicopter Corporation (MDHC) helicopters. This contract is required to ensure helicopter availability and usage for continuous Police Aviation operations. Parts and services may be ordered on an as-needed basis. The contract covers costs associated with scheduled and unscheduled repairs.

The City has been satisfied with the vendor's performance, timely and quality service over the past four years. The vendor is very responsive to the Aviation Unit maintenance team's inquiries referencing future services or completed services and their facility is located within close proximity of the Aviation Unit's hanger. Based on the vendor's proven track record and their reliability, the Aviation Unit has opted to renew for the final one-year period.

Aeromaritime agreed to renew the contract under the same terms, conditions and current pricing. This is the fifth-year the vendor has maintained pricing. The Consumer Price Index increased 1.8% over the last year. This contract continues to be advantageous to the City and it is in the City's best interest to renew the contract.

## Purchase Information

Action: Renewal (2<sup>nd</sup> of 2 possible)  
Procurement Type: Request for Bids  
Contract Number: 2015005  
Responses Received: 2  
Original Council Award Date: 12/1/2014  
Initial Contract Term: Three  
Funding Source: Police Department operating budget