



City Council Report

Date: April 6, 2020
To: City Council
Through: Michael Kennington, Deputy City Manager/Chief Financial Officer
From: Edward Quedens, Business Services Director
Matt Bauer, Procurement Administrator
Subject: One-Year Renewal with a One-Year Renewal Option to the Term Contract for Heavy Duty Ballistic Body Armor (SWAT) 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 Tyr Tactical, LLC, at \$80,000 annually, with an annual increase allowance of up to 5%, or the adjusted Consumer Price Index.

Background / Discussion

This contract provides ballistic body armor for the Police Department's SWAT Team. SWAT Team members require specialty body armor systems that must provide extra coverage protection from small weapons fire and the ability to carry extra equipment for these situations. The SWAT Team uses this contract to replace vests that have exceeded their warranted service life of five years and purchase additional vests as necessary.

Tyr Tactical, LLC has agreed to renew the contract with no price increases. Prices have been the same for four years. The City has been satisfied with the vendor's products and performance. The Tyr body armor system includes features such as flexible armor, hard armor, carrier, pouches, sizing, and warranty. The products are made of high-quality materials and provide good coverage. 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 (1st of 2 possible)
Procurement Type: Request for Bids
Contract Number: 2017116
Original Council Award Date: 5/22/2017
Initial Contract Term: Three years
Possible Renewals: One-year renewal subject to Administrative review and approval
Funding Source: Police Department operating budget