



Legislation Text

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Five-Year Term Contract for an Outdoor Cellular Network Citizen Broadband Access to Underserved Areas of West Mesa (**Districts 1, 3 and 4**)

This purchase will provide the hardware, software, and services for a 4G LTE outdoor cellular network using the Citizens Broadband Radio Service radio band. To address the digital divide experienced by underserved communities of Mesa school students during the COVID-19 pandemic, the City is building broadband internet infrastructure to get access to the students in greatest need.

The Department of Innovation and Technology, Transportation Department and Purchasing recommend authorizing the purchase using the Houston-Galveston Area Council cooperative contract with Motorola Solutions, Inc. at \$4,506,226.12. This purchase is funded by American Rescue Plan Act Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds.