

Public Notice of Proposed Award of Sole Source Procurement

Section A – Description of Proposed Sole Source Procurement

Description of Supplies/Services: ProQA[®] Emergency Fire Dispatch (EFD) Protocol, which consists of the International Academies of Emergency Dispatch's[®] (IAED[™]) Fire Priority Dispatch System (FPDS[®]), onsite installation, training, maintenance and off-site support. This system is used to standardize how emergency fire dispatchers communicate and provide lifesaving instructions when citizens call for help.

Demonstration of Contractor's Unique Qualifications: Priority Dispatch Corp. is the exclusive licensee and distributor of the IAED's unified protocol systems. Priority Dispatch Corp. integrates these protocols with the technology of ProQA[®] software currently being utilized by the County.

Section B – To Be Completed by the Department of Purchasing and Contracting

Market Survey Results

Date Public Notice posted on website: May 02, 2019

Date Public Notice closed: May 08, 2019

Review of Offers

Were any offers received (Yes/No): No

Number of offers received: N/A

Responders: N/A

Purchasing Agent review and recommendation:

- Priority Dispatch Corp. (The Company) is the exclusive licensee and distributor of the IAED's unified protocol systems, which includes the EFD protocol.
- The Company is the sole integrator of these protocols with its proprietary software, ProQA currently being utilized by the County.
- The Company, which was established in 1979, has been doing business with the County since 2004.
- The County's spend to date with the Company is \$ 381,715.00, for various kind of purchases which include the purchase of the ProQA software, AQUA performance review software; Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) protocols, maintenance and services, support, certification and licensing.
- I recommend this purchase because it allows for an efficient classification of E911 calls and enables emergency fire dispatchers provide standardized responses to citizens, which consequently reduces the County's exposure to liability.

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Technician Signature

MAY-10-2019

Date

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Procurement Manager Signature

May 11, 2019

Date