



Legislation Text

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PROPOSED CONTRACT

Department(s): Department of Planning and Development

Vendor: NearMap US Inc., South Jordan, Utah

Request: Authorization for the Forest Preserves of Cook County (the "Forest Preserves") to enter into and execute

Good(s) or Service(s): High-resolution aerial imagery subscription

Contract Value: \$25,000.00

Contract period: 2/13/2021 (retroactive) - 2/12/2026

Estimated Fiscal Impact: FY 2021 \$25,000.00

Accounts: Professional Technical Membership Fees 51001.501790, Professional Services 51001.520830, Institutional Supplies 51001.530170, Co-ops and Special Programs 51001.521313 and Operations and Maintenance 51001.540350

Contract Number(s): #74000008959

Concurrences:

The Chief Financial Officer has approved this item. Final agreement is subject to legal review and approval.

The Minority- and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Ordinance is not applicable due to the contract value per year being equal to or less than \$25,000.00.

District(s): Districtwide

Summary: High-resolution aerial maps are essential for planning restoration and improvement work. Procurement of aerial imagery from NearMap is desired on a sole-source basis for a period of five (5) years due to unmatched advantages which include frequency of updates (quarterly), high resolution quality, integration with current software or web-based delivery and cost compared to other vendors that can fly and collect aerial imagery over Cook County. The proposed subscription agreement is a form agreement that includes some non-standard provisions for the Forest Preserves, particularly with respect to interest for late payment, disclaimers, limitations on liability, warranties, and indemnification. The Forest Preserves intends to pay upfront for the proposed five (5) year subscription. The Forest Preserves has used NearMap since 2017.