

**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA TOPIC**

Resolution authorizing the execution of an amendment for two-year extension to the technology solutions agreement with Arctic Wolf to provide managed detection and response cyber security services and approval of a purchase order to CompuNet, in an amount not to exceed \$311,367.13, plus any applicable taxes.

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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY****ACTION**

This Resolution authorizes the execution of an amendment for two-year extension to the technology solutions agreement with Arctic Wolf to provide managed detection and response cyber security services and ensure the continued protection of City data, networks, and systems. This amendment also approves a purchase order to ComputNet, in the amount not to exceed \$311,367.13, plus any applicable taxes.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Move to adopt Resolution No. 10309

**BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS**

One of the Information Technology Department's (ITD) key responsibilities is ensuring that the City's data and technology is secure. As part of the Information Security Program, ITD manages policies, processes and systems to mitigate risks to the City's systems, data and network resources. To achieve the greatest protection, the IT security program deploys a variety of systems and services to address threats and vulnerabilities that continue to evolve.

In 2020 the City executed a technology solutions agreement with Arctic Wolf through their partner CompuNet, after a thorough selection process utilizing an RFP to seek managed detection and response services. There have been two minor amendments to this agreement to update the number of user licenses, Amendment #1 on June 6, 2022, and Amendment #2 on April 11, 2023. The effective term of the agreement is December 30, 2020 to December 29, 2023.

Since and during this period, the City has successfully received security monitoring, which provides proactive vulnerability assessments to minimize security risks from emerging threats. ITD is now recommending Amendment #3 to include a two-year extension of this agreement to December 29, 2025 and approval of a purchase order in the amount not to exceed \$311,367.13, plus any applicable taxes, to ensure continued protection of City data, networks, and systems.

## **POLICY & FISCAL IMPACTS**

### **Policy Impact**

BCC 4.28 provides for the fair and equitable treatment of all persons involved in the purchasing process. Council approval is required to award the bid where the cost exceeds \$350,000.

### **Fiscal Impact**

Total expenditures for CompuNet/Arctic Wolf will be monitored by ITD. ITD will continue to submit for approval future on-going support costs in its budget requests. This expenditure is accommodated within the 2023-2024 Adopted Budget.

## **OPTIONS**

1. Adopt the Resolution authorizing the execution of an amendment for two-year extension to the technology solutions agreement with Arctic Wolf to provide managed detection and response cyber security services and approval of a purchase order to CompuNet, in an amount not to exceed \$311,367.13, plus any applicable taxes.
2. Do not adopt the Resolution and provide alternative direction to staff.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

Proposed Resolution No. 10309

## **AVAILABLE IN COUNCIL LIBRARY**

Arctic Wolf Technology Services Agreement 2020

Arctic Wolf Amendment #1

Arctic Wolf Amendment #2

Arctic Wolf Amendment #3 [Proposed]