CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS AGENDA ITEM DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM



DEPARTMENT: El Paso International Airport

Purchasing & Strategic

Sourcing **AGENDA DATE**: August 5, 2025

PUBLIC HEARING DATE: NA

CONTACT PERSON NAME: Tony Nevarez, Director PHONE NUMBER: (915) 212-7301

Claudia A. Garcia, Director PHONE NUMBER: (915) 212-0043

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 3

SUBJECT:

Request that the Director of Purchasing & Strategic Sourcing be authorized to issue Purchase Order(s) to GS Solar, LLC dba Big Sun Solar referencing contract 2024-0356R ELP Solar Covered Parking-ConRac. This change order will increase referenced contract by \$76,644.00 for a total not to exceed \$4,867,808.00.

BACKGROUND DISCUSSION:

This change order will incorporate a revision to the specifications for the PV (Photovoltaic) system canopy and the appropriate contract amount for this change. This specification revision will increase the canopy height, enabling rental agencies to maintain operations and services with their current vehicle inventory for the indicated amount above.

COMMUNITY AND STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH:

N/A

SELECTION SUMMARY:

N/A

CONTRACT VARIANCE:

N/A

PROTEST

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PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

On June 4, 2024 City Council approved the award of contract 2024-0356R to GS Solar, LLC dba Big Sun Solar for installation and maintenance for a three (3) year term and two (2) year option to extend the contract for a total amount of \$4,791,164.00.

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Amount: \$76,644.00

Funding Source: FAA Grant and Airport Enterprise Fund

Account: 562-3080-580270-62335

562-3010-62335-580270-PAP24MICRO

REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTION OR DONATION TO CITY COUNCIL:

Report any contributions or donations to City Council of an accumulated total of \$500 or more. Report the name of the elected official and the amount.

NAME	AMOUNT (\$)
Form was provided to the applicant	

DEPARTMENT HEAD:

Tony Nevarez, Aviation Director

Claudia A. Garcia - Director of Purchasing & Strategic Souring

Project Form (Change Order)

Please place the following item on the Consent Agenda for the City Council Meeting of August 5, 2025.

Award Summary:

The request that the Director of Purchasing & Strategic Sourcing be authorized to issue Purchase Order(s) to increase contract 2024-0356R ELP Solar Covered Parking-ConRac to GS Solar, LLC dba Big Sun Solar. This change order will increase referenced contract by \$76,644.00 for a total estimated amount not to exceed \$4,867,808.00. This change order will incorporate a revision to the specifications for the PV (photovoltaic) system canopy and the appropriate contract amount for this change. This specification revision will increase the canopy height, enabling rental agencies to maintain operations and services with their current vehicle inventory.

Department: El Paso International Airport
Award to: GS Solar, LLC dba Big Sun Solar

City & State: San Antonio, TX
Current Contract Estimated Amount: \$4,791,164.00
Change Order amount: \$76,644.00
Total estimated Amount not to Exceed: \$4,867,808.00

Account(s): 562-3080-580270-62335

562-3010-62335-580270-PAP24MICRO

Funding Source(s): Federal Aviation Administration Supplemental,

Airport Enterprise Fund

District(s): 3

This was a Request for Proposals Award – service contract