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

AGENDA DATE: April 26, 2022 PUBLIC HEARING DATE: Not Applicable

## CONTACT PERSON(S) NAME AND PHONE NUMBER:

Lilia Worrell, Director of El Paso Municipal Court, (915) 212-5822 Claudia A. Garcia, Interim Director of Purchasing & Strategic Sourcing, (915) 212-1218 All

## DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: A

## STRATEGIC GOAL: No. 2 – Set the Standard for a Safe and Secure City

**SUBGOAL:** 2.7 – Maximize Municipal Court efficiency and enhance customer experience.

## SUBJECT:

Discussion and action that after having provided adequate notice as required by Sec. 2254.1036 of the Texas Government Code, the Agreement for Delinquent Court Fines and Fees Services, pursuant to Solicitation 2022-0007R Collection Services for Delinquent Fines and Fees - Municipal Court, is awarded to Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP and that the City Manager, or his designee, is authorized to execute the Agreement and any related documents with Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP required to effectuate this award.

## BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

Since 2003, the Municipal Court has contracted with an outside collection agency as approved by the Texas Code of Criminal Procedures, Section 103.0031. The Court refers delinquent Class C warrants, warrant fees, and parking citations to the agency for collection. Each vendor submitted a minimum recovery rate for each account category, as well as a penalty fee associated with each category of accounts if the vendor fails to meet the guaranteed recovery rates.

It is important to note that <u>no City money</u> is paid to the collection agency. Section 103.0031 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure authorizes municipalities to pass on to the defendants and vehicle owners a 30% collection fee when an outside collection agency or firm is used.

The award of solicitation 2022-0007R Collection Services for Delinquent Fines and Fees – Municipal Court to Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP for an initial four (4) year term for an estimated amount of \$3,796,035.80. The award also includes, three (3), one (1) year options for an estimated amount of \$2,847,026.85. The total value of the contract is, including the initial term plus the options, for a total of seven (7) years, for an estimated amount of \$6,643,062.65.

#### SELECTION SUMMARY:

Solicitation was advertised on November 30, 2021 and December 7, 2021. The solicitation was posted on City website on November 30, 2021. The email (Purmail) notification was sent out on December 2, 2021. There were a total twenty (20) viewers online; one (1) proposal was received; one (1) from a local vendor. An Inadequate Competition Survey was conducted.

## CONTRACT VARIANCE:

N/A

## PROTEST

No protest received for this requirement.

2022-0007R Collection Services for Delinquent Fines and Fees

#### **PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:** N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Amount: \$6,643,062.65 Funding Source: Collection Agency Payable Account: 203400-111-1000-11030

HAVE ALL AFFECTED DEPARTMENTS BEEN NOTIFIED? \_X\_ YES \_\_\_NO

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT: Municipal Court SECONDARY DEPARTMENT: Purchasing & Strategic Sourcing

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:** 

Lilia Worrell – Director of El Paso Municipal Court

## COUNCIL PROJECT FORM (REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL)

Please place the following item on the **REGULAR** agenda for the Council Meeting of **APRIL 26, 2022**.

## Strategic Goal 2: Set the Standard for a Safe and Secure City

The linkage to the Strategic Plan is subsection: 2.7 – Maximize Municipal Court efficiency and enhance customer experience.

## Award Summary:

Discussion and action that after having provided adequate notice as required by Sec. 2254.1036 of the Texas Government Code, the Agreement for Delinquent Court Fines and Fees Services, pursuant to Solicitation 2022-0007R Collection Services for Delinquent Fines and Fees - Municipal Court, is awarded to Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP and that the City Manager, or his designee, is authorized to execute the Agreement and any related documents with Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP required to effectuate this award.

## Contract Variance:

No contract variance

Department:	Municipal Court
Award to:	Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP
	El Paso, TX
Item(s):	All
Annual Estimated Award:	\$949,008.95
Initial Term:	\$3,796,035.80 (4 years)
Option to Extend:	\$2,847,026.85 (3 years)
Total Estimated Award:	\$6,643,062.65 (7 years)
Account No.:	111-1000-11030-203400
Funding Source:	Collection Agency Payable
Districts(s):	All

This is a Request for Proposal (RFP), service contract.

The Purchasing & Strategic Sourcing and Municipal Court Departments recommend award as indicated to Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP, the sole highest ranked proposer based on evaluation factors established for this procurement. In accordance with this award the City Manager or designee is authorized to exercise future options if needed.

Additionally, it is requested that the City Attorney's Office review and that the City Manager be authorized to execute any related contract documents and agreements necessary to effectuate this award.

		Committee Scoresheet	
CITY OF EL PASO RFP SCORESHEET			
PROJECT: 2022-0007R Collection Services for delinquent fines and fees			
	MAX POINTS	Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP El Paso, TX	
Factor A - Proposed Minimum Recovery Rate	35	31.50	
Factor B - Experience – Comparable Contracts	10	10.00	
Factor C - References	10	2.99	
Factor D – Employee Medical Benefit and Incentives	10	2.00	
Factor E - Penalty Fee Proposal	35	33.00	
TOTAL SCORE	100	79.49	
Rank		1	

**Committee Scoresheet** 

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# CITY OF EL PASO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS TABULATION FORM



Bid Opening Date: January 19, 2022

**Project Name: Collection Services for Delinquent Fines and Fees** 

Solicitation #: 2022-0007R

**Department: Municipal Court** 

BIDDER'S NAME:	LOCATION:	AMENDMENT(S) ACKNOWLEDGED:
Delgado Acosta Spencer Linebarger & Perez, LLP	El Paso, TX	Yes
RFPs SOLICITED: 7 LOCAL RFPs SOLICITED:	1 RFPs RECEIVED: 1 LOCAL RFPs RECEIVED	: 1 NO BIDS: 0

NOTE: The information contained in this RFP tabulation is for information only and does not constitute actual award/execution of contract.

# Bidders list 2022-0007R Collection Services for Delinquent Fines and Fees

1465742128600 / 512134 Agility Net LLC 12005 Ford Rd Ste 400 Farmers Branch, Tx 75234-7230 CESAR HERENANDEZ

1752435999300 / 56115 Credit Systems International, Inc. 1277 Country Club Ln Fort Worth, Tx 76112-2304 Darlene Mead

1742013959800 / 84379 Data Search Collection, Inc. Po Box 461289 San Antonio, Tx 78246-1289 Vice President/Bill San Marco

1822743868800 / 527697 Basocom, LLC 3206 Coronado St Irving, Tx 75062-4604 Michael Basoco 1752279921600 / 517701 Collectech Diversified Inc 1721 45th St Lubbock, Tx 79412-1731 Judy Jordan Delgado, Acosta, Spencer, Linebarger & Perez, LLP Attn: Carmen Perez 221 North Kansas St. Suite 1400 El Paso, TX 79901

Advanced Data Processing, Inc. a Subsidiary of Intermedix Corporation Attn: Mark SchiowiE 480 Bedford Rd, Building 600 2nd Floor Chappaqua, NY 10514