

Purchasing Notes

EVENT # 8653	TITLE: Information Technology Services and Equipment	COST: \$249,544.45
TYPE OF PROCUREMENT: COOPERATIVE PURCHASE	ANNUAL CONTRACT <input type="checkbox"/> ANNUAL MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT <input type="checkbox"/>	ONE TIME PURCHASE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

CONTRACT TERM (IF APPLICABLE)
N/A

DBE (IF APPLICABLE)
N/A

MATRIX (IF APPLICABLE)
N/A

NOTES

Recommend approval to procure Information technology services and equipment from Layer 3 Communications, LLC in the amount of \$249,544.45. The Information Technology Department will use the service to upgrade the DOT Ring Optics from 1g to 10g. This will also support optic equipment through replacing inventory, include a subscription with Veeam, and all necessary equipment purchases for the remainder of 2021. Layer 3 Communications, LLC will also be working on a proof concept for community broadband access. This will support the Council driven initiative for broadband access.

This procurement was made through a cooperative purchasing agreement with The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS). Cooperative purchasing is authorized as an appropriate procurement method in Division 10 Section 4-4152 of the City of Savannah's purchasing ordinance.

The contract was competitively bid and awarded to Layer 3 Communications, LLC. A master agreement with was signed for a three-year term with one renewal option on March 30, 2020. The contract expires on May 31, 2023. The contract number is 2005105.

Delivery: As requested. Terms: Net 30 days. The vendor is:

S.C. Layer 3 Communications, LLC (109 Park of Commerce Drive, Suite 1, Savannah, GA 31405)^(B) \$249,544.45

A pre-proposal meeting was not conducted as these services are being procured through the use of a cooperative purchasing agreement. (B) Indicates local, non-DBE business. Recommend approval.

Local available: Yes

Total sent: 1

Total received: 1

Vendor federally debarred/suspended: No