## **ORDINANCE NO.** 184250

Authorize four contracts for on-call professional/technical services for Portland Water Bureau Capital Improvement Program (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

- 1. The Portland Water Bureau (PWB) anticipates the need for consultant services to support the delivery of projects within its Capital Improvement Program.
- 2. These contracts will support various projects which are typically smaller, relatively low dollar and shorter in duration and for which the PWB does not currently have experienced internal staff or a sufficient number of internal staff to accomplish these tasks.
- 3. The establishment of on-call services contracts, based upon estimated amounts of work and without a specific City commitment to purchase any given amount of services, is in the best interest of the City.
- 4. On-call services contracts for professional, technical and expert services facilitate long-range planning, increase control and provide for an uninterrupted supply of needed services.
- 5. On-call services contracts save time and money by reducing repetitive selection processes on a project-by-project basis.
- 6. Contracting for professional, technical and expert services in this manner does not diminish competition or compromise M/W/ESB participation because solicitation is an open and competitive process.
- 7. PWB has advertised (RFP WTR086) and received 11 proposals for professional, technical and expert support in accordance with Chapter 5.68 of the City Code for the purpose of entering into these on-call services contracts.
- 8. A selection committee evaluated all proposals received against defined performance criteria and four firms were selected to provide services as required.
- 9. The selected firms are Brown and Caldwell, CH2M Hill, Black & Veatch, and Murray, Smith & Associates.
- 10. Services needed for specific projects will be defined, authorized, assigned and approved for a not-to-exceed dollar value at the discretion of PWB via negotiated task orders and such task orders will be negotiated with selected firms on a rotational basis.

11. The maximum value of each contract shall not exceed \$500,000. The contracts will expire on August 30, 2013, unless otherwise amended and approved by the Chief Procurement Officer.

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12. The selected contractors are using forty-five (45) sub-consultants that are State certified M/W/ESB firms and these firms are estimated to receive \$439,000 in work, which is approximately 21.95% of the total contracts.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council directs:

- That the Chief Procurement Officer and the Auditor are authorized to sign the City's a. standard agreements, substantially in accordance with the contracts attached to this ordinance as Exhibit A through Exhibit D and, by reference, made a part hereof, and approved by the City Attorney's office as to form, with the selected firms for services as required.
- The Mayor and Auditor are hereby authorized to draw and deliver checks chargeable to the b. Water Fund, Account 521000, when demand is presented and approved by the proper authorities.

Passed by the Council,

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**Commissioner** Leonard Darren Kipper October 20, 2010

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