

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407 Santa Barbara, CA 93101 (805) 568-2240

Department Name:

General Services

Department No.:

063

For Agenda Of:

June 4, 2019

Placement:

Administrative

Estimated Time:

N/A No

Continued Item:

If Yes, date from:

Vote Required:

Majority

TO:

Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Department

Janette D. Pell, Director (805) 560-1011

General Services Department

Thomas

Director(s)

Contact Info:

Thomas Gresham, Assistant Director (805) 568-2606

Information and Communication Services Division

SUBJECT:

Procurement of Cyber Security End-Point Protection Services

County Counsel Concurrence

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: Yes As to form: Yes

Other Concurrence: Risk

As to form: Yes

Recommended Actions:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- a) Approve, ratify, and authorize the Chair of the Board to execute the attached contract to procure continued protection services from Kroll, a Division of Duff and Phelps, for 8 months for up to 5,500 County computers at a rate of \$48 per computer for a total of \$264,000.
- b) Determine that the above actions are not a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15378(b)(5) of the CEQA guidelines because they consist of administrative activities of government that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment

Summary Text:

Santa Barbara County recently engaged with Kroll to provide cyber security response services to County computers following a major cyber security incident December 2018. Continuation of this service is needed to ensure adequate protection remains while the County seeks a long-term cyber security partnership for the protection of County computers.

Background:

The County of Santa Barbara experienced a major cyber security incident in December 2018. The County's cyber insurance carrier engaged Kroll to provide immediate containment and remediation of

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compromised County computers. Kroll was able to successfully assist the County with remediation activities and has continued to support the County since the incident was resolved.

County staff has identified the need to continue operating in coordination with a managed security provider to augment in-house staff in monitoring and managing cyber security activities. The County is in the process of designing a Request for Proposal (RFP) that will allow the County to acquire these needed services long-term through a competitive bid process.

As the County pursues a long-term service arrangement, current cyber security services provided by Kroll, should remain in-place to avoid a service disruption that may increase further cyber security risk to the County.

Key Contract Risks

The services provided by Kroll will provide needed protection of County computers against cyber security attacks such as computer viruses and other types of malware.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: Yes

Fiscal Analysis:

Internal Service Fund \$		-	\$	-	\$ 264,000.00
State					
Federal					
Fees					
Other:					
Total	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 264,000.00
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Special Instructions:

Duplicate original of the Statement of Work and Minute Order to Tom Gresham, Information & Communications Technology Assistant Director, General Services.

Attachments:

- 1. Kroll Letter of Engagement
- 2. Kroll Statement of Work

Authored by:

Thomas Gresham, Assistant Director

cc: