

**SAINT PETERSBURG CITY COUNCIL**  
**Consent Agenda**  
**Meeting of July 23, 2009**

**To: The Honorable Jeff Danner, Chair and Members of City Council**

**Subject:** Renewing an agreement with Florida Department of Management Services for telecommunications services for the ICS department at an estimated annual amount of \$128,000.

**Explanation:** On July 6, 2006, City Council approved a two-year agreement for local and long distance telecommunications services effective through July 31, 2008. On August 7, 2008, City Council approved the first renewal through July 31, 2009. Under the renewal of contract clause, the city reserves the right to extend the agreement for three one-year periods if mutually agreeable. This is the second one-year renewal.

The vendor provides approximately 350 local analog, long distance and Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) data telephone lines on the CentraNet (CNET) system. The CNET is a statewide network created within the State Technology Office that provides local and long distance communications services to political subdivisions of the State.

The State CNET system allows the city to utilize Verizon telephone lines, at locations beyond the reach of the City's telephone system, at state contracted pricing. The Vice and Narcotics divisions of the Police Department are the largest users of these lines for undercover purposes. Other locations throughout the city utilize CNET lines for voice calls, alarm monitoring, elevators and time clocks.

Additionally, the State allows the city to utilize its SUNCOM system for voice, discounted long distance and data. SUNCOM ISDN data is primarily utilized by the Transportation Department for high speed data connections to their mobile sign systems.

The Purchasing Department in cooperation with the ICS Department, recommends for renewal:

Florida Department of Management Services..... \$128,000

The vendor has agreed to hold prices firm under the terms and conditions of State Contract No. MA2114 and DMS 05/06-062 dated November 15, 2005. The renewal will be effective from date of approval through July 31, 2010 and will be binding only for actual services received.

**Cost/Funding/Assessment Information:** Funds have been previously appropriated in the ICS Operating Fund (5011) Telecommunications Department (8502569).

**Attachment:** Price History  
Resolution

**Approvals:**

  
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**Administrative**

  
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**Budget**

**Price History**  
**915-77 Telecommunication Services**

Item No.	Description	2006	2007	2008	2009	% Change
1	CNET system for single line, analog local telephone services through Verizon at State contract pricing (per line, per month).	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$22.00	-
2	SUNCOM voice and data service including voice service between other CNET users and SUNCOM network long distance service (per line, per month).	\$62.00	\$62.00	\$62.00	\$62.00	-
3	SUNCOM long distance voice services - dedicated line through Qwest at State contract pricing (per line, per month).	-	-	\$0.04	\$0.03	2%
4	SUNCOM long distance voice services - switch / PIC line through Verizon at State contract pricing (per line, per month).	-	-	\$0.05	\$0.05	-

A RESOLUTION RENEWING AN AGREEMENT (BLANKET AGREEMENT) WITH THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES, A SOLE SOURCE SUPPLIER, FOR COMMUNICATION SERVICES THROUGH THE STATE'S CENTRANET PROGRAM FOR THE ICS DEPARTMENT AT AN ESTIMATED ANNUAL COST NOT TO EXCEED \$128,000; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THIS TRANSACTION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on July 6, 2006 the Florida Department of Management Services ("Vendor") was declared to be a sole source provider for local and long distance communications services through the State's CentraNet program;

WHEREAS, on July 6, 2006 City Council approved a two-year agreement with three one-year renewal options with the Vendor; and

WHEREAS, on August 7, 2008 City Council approved the first one-year renewal option of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to exercise the second one-year renewal option of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Purchasing Department, in cooperation with the ICS Department recommends approval of this renewal.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida, that the renewal of an agreement (Blanket Agreement) with the Florida Department of Management Services, for communication services through the State's CentraNet Program for the ICS Department at an estimated annual cost not to exceed \$128,000 is hereby approved and the Mayor or Mayor's Designee is authorized to execute all documents necessary to effectuate this transaction; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this renewal will be effective from the date of approval through July 31, 2010.

This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Approved as to Form and Substance:

  
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City Attorney (Designee)