

1 RESOLUTION NO. RES-16-0104

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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
4 CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY
5 MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH THE
6 GORDIAN GROUP, INC., WITHOUT ADVERTISING FOR
7 BIDS, TO PROVIDE JOB ORDER CONTRACTING
8 PROGRAM AND SOFTWARE SUPPORT FOR A TOTAL
9 CONTRACT AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$800,000 FOR A
10 PERIOD OF TWO YEARS WITH THE OPTION TO RENEW
11 FOR TWO ADDITIONAL ONE-YEAR PERIODS

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13 WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works requires Job Order Contracting
14 (JOC) program and software support; and

15 WHEREAS, the JOC system, which utilizes a competitively bid firm-price
16 master contract, is a comprehensive procurement system designed to help public agencies
17 provide routine construction services in a more timely and cost efficient manner than the
18 traditional design/bid/build method of contracting; and

19 WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach has contracted with The Gordian Group,
20 Inc. (Gordian) since 2003 for use of their proprietary JOC system; and

21 WHEREAS, the Gordian JOC program is a highly specialized and proprietary
22 solution consisting of e-Gordian web- based JOC applications configured to meet the City's
23 specific needs, Construction Task Catalog customized to include the construction tasks
24 required, implementation services and support materials to train City and construction
25 contractor staff to properly utilize the system, and on-going technical maintenance and
26 support services; and

27 WHEREAS, Gordian is the only company that provides JOC program support
28 that is both comprehensive and highly integrated and no comparable level of services

1 exists in the market; and

2 WHEREAS, no useful purpose would be served by advertising for bids and
3 to do so would constitute an idle and useless act and an unnecessary expenditure of public
4 funds because The Gordian Group, Inc. is the only corporation, firm or individual that could
5 or would bid to furnish and deliver Job Order Contracting program and software support;

6 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as
7 follows:

8 Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter a contract,
9 without advertising for bids, with The Gordian Group, Inc. for furnishing and delivering Job
10 Order Contracting program and software support for a period of two (2) years, in a total not
11 to exceed amount of Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$800,000). The contract may be
12 extended for two (2) additional one-year periods, at the discretion of the City Manager. If
13 the sole source status of The Gordian Group, Inc. changes, City shall publicly bid instead
14 of extending the contract.

15 Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
16 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

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1 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council
2 of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of October 18, 2016
3 by the following vote:

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5 Ayes: Councilmembers: Gonzalez, Price, Supernaw,
6 Mungo, Andrews, Uranga,
7 Austin, Richardson,

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9 Noes: Councilmembers: None.

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11 Absent: Councilmembers: Pearce.

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15 Maria del L. Garcia
16 City Clerk
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