

# **CITY OF LONG BEACH**

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

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September 12, 2017

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or designee, to execute a contract with Fastenal Company, of Winona, MN, for furnishing and delivering fasteners and miscellaneous hardware, on the same terms and conditions afforded to Region 4 Education Service Center (ESC), of Houston, Texas, through The Cooperative Purchasing Network (TCPN), in an annual amount of \$223,000, with the option to add expenditures up to 10 percent (or \$22,300), for a total annual amount not to exceed \$245,300, for a period of one year, with the option to renew for two additional one-year periods, at the discretion of the City Manager. (Citywide)

### **DISCUSSION**

City Council approval is requested to enter into a contract with Fastenal Company (Fastenal), for furnishing and delivering fasteners and miscellaneous hardware. The award represents the combined annual requirements as estimated by various City department users.

The Purchasing Division reviewed procurement options for fasteners and miscellaneous hardware. The Fastenal Company, Region 4 Education Service Center (ESC) agreement, through The Cooperative Purchasing Network (TCPN), was selected based on their competitive pricing, service levels, breadth of product offering, and local economic impact. Fastenal is able to manage high frequency, small volume, will call orders made via Purchase Orders for a wide variety of fasteners and hardware used for special projects that would be impractical to bid individually. Purchases under this contract are to be made at the Long Beach store, located on Airport Way. The TCPN contract was competitively bid in 2014 is valid until 2018, with two additional one-year extension options.

City Charter Section 1802 provides an alternative procurement method by permitting the City to purchase or otherwise obtain services, supplies, materials, equipment and labor with other governmental agencies by purchasing under their contracts on a voluntary and selective basis when authorized by a Resolution of the City Council.

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The use of cooperative purchasing contracts provides agencies with opportunities for greater efficiencies in acquiring goods, reduces the City's administrative burden of conducting a competitive bid process, and provides greater cost savings by leveraging multiple-agency buying volumes.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Linda T. Vu on August 14, 2017 and by Assistant Finance Director Lea Eriksen on August 9, 2017.

### TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action to adopt the attached Resolution and award a contract concurrently is requested on September 5, 2017, to ensure the contract is in place expeditiously.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The total annual amount of this contract will not exceed \$245,300, and is budgeted in various funds and departments. The award of this contract will provide continued support to our local economy by assisting in the preservation of employment for five employees residing in Long Beach.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN GROSS DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

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APPROVED:

PATRICK H. WEST CITY MANAGER

	1	RESOLUTION NO.
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	3	A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
	4	CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY
	5	MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT
	6	WITH FASTENAL COMPANY ON THE SAME TERMS AND
	7	CONDITIONS AFFORDED TO REGIONAL 4 EDUCATION
	8	SERVICE CENTER THROUGH THE COOPERATIVE
	9	PURCHASING NETWORK, FOR AN ANNUAL AMOUNT
	10	NOT TO EXCEED \$223,000
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364	12	WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Long Beach, Section 1802, permits
802-46	13	the City Manager to enter into a contract on behalf of the City, in writing or otherwise,
CA 90802-4664	14	without advertising for bids, for services, supplies, materials, equipment or labor, with
	15	other government agencies, when authorized by resolution; and
Lona Beach.	16	WHEREAS, the City desires to purchase fasteners and miscellaneous
_	17	hardware; and
	18	WHEREAS, Region 4 Education Service Center through The Cooperative
	19	Purchasing Network has a contract with Fastenal Company for the purchase of fasteners
	20	and miscellaneous hardware, Contract No. R142101 ("TCPN Contract"); and
	21	WHEREAS, the City's participation in the TCPN Contract will facilitate
	22	acquisition of the fasteners and miscellaneous hardware as well as provide considerable
	23	cost benefits to the City; and
	24	WHEREAS, if the City had to go to formal bid rather than participate in the
	25	TCPN Contract considerably more funds would be required;
	26	NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as
	27	follows:
	28	Section 1. The City Manager or designee is hereby authorized to enter a
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contract with Fastenal Company for fasteners and miscellaneous hardware, in an annual 1 amount not to exceed Two Hundred Twenty-Three Thousand Dollars (\$223,000), for a 2 period of one (1) year, with the option to extend the term for two (2) additional one-year 3 periods, at the discretion of the City Manager. 4 This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption 5 Section 2. by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution. 6 7 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City 8 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017 9 10 by the following vote: 11 Councilmembers: 12 Ayes: 13 14 15 Councilmembers: 16 Noes: 17 Councilmembers: 18 Absent: 19 20 21 22 City Clerk 23 24 25 26 27 28 2 LTV:bg A17-01593 (8-14-17) L:\Apps\CtyLaw32\WPDocs\D014\P032\00786787.docx

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