

RESOLUTION NO. RES-21-0123

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH VERIZON BUSINESS NETWORK SERVICES, INC. TO PROVIDE LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE, DATA COMMUNICATIONS, AND INTERNET SERVICES, ON THE SAME TERMS AND CONDITIONS AFFORDED TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY (CALNET), AGREEMENT NO. C4-LEG-13-02-TS-08, IN AN ANNUAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$500,000 UNTIL THE CALNET AGREEMENT EXPIRES ON APRIL 5, 2026 WITH THE OPTION TO RENEW FOR AS LONG AS THE CALNET AGREEMENT IS IN EFFECT, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CITY MANAGER

WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Long Beach (the "City"), Section 1802, permits the City to purchase services, supplies, materials, equipment and labor with other government agencies by purchasing under their contracts on a voluntary and selective basis when authorized by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach desires to purchase local and long distance telephone, data communications, and internet services; and

WHEREAS, Verizon Business Network Services, Inc. has an Agreement with the State of California, Department of Technology (Calnet), Agreement No. C4-LEG-13-02-TS-08 (the "Calnet Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the City's participation in the Calnet Agreement will facilitate timely acquisition of the local and long distance telephone, data communications, and

1 internet services as well as provide considerable cost benefits to the City; and

2 WHEREAS, if the City had to utilize a formal bid process rather than
3 participate in the Calnet Agreement considerably more funds would be required;

4 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as
5 follows:

6 Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated
7 herein by this reference.

8 Section 2. The City Manager or designee is hereby authorized to enter
9 an agreement and any amendments thereto with Verizon Business Network Services,
10 Inc. to provide local and long distance telephone, data communications, and internet
11 services on the same terms and conditions afforded to the State of California,
12 Department of Technology, Agreement No. C4-LEG-13-02-TS-08, in an annual amount
13 not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000), until the Calnet Agreement
14 expires on April 5, 2026 with the option to renew for as long as the Calnet Agreement is
15 in effect, at the discretion of the City Manager.

16 Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
17 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City
Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of October 5, 2021
by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: Zendejas, Allen, Price, Supernaw,
Saro, Uranga, Austin, Richardson.

Noes: Councilmembers: None.

Absent: Councilmembers: Mungo.

Recusal(s): Councilmembers: None.


City Clerk