

RESOLUTION NO 6663

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL, ACTING AS THE LOCAL CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD, WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND ESTABLISHING A CONTRACT-SPECIFIC SPECIAL PROCUREMENT FOR BUXTON'S ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TOOLS

WHEREAS, Albany Municipal Code 2.66 060 (11), Oregon Revised Statutes 279B 085, and OAR 137-047-0285 allow the City Council, acting as the Local Contract Review Board, to authorize the use of the contract-specific special procurement process for the selection of goods and services contractors for a special purpose; and

WHEREAS, such authorization must be based on written findings submitted by the department seeking the exemption that describes the selected special procurement method to be used and the circumstances that support the use of the special procurement; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albany seeks to attract, help strengthen and retain local businesses through data-driven insights and technology; and

WHEREAS, the Economic Development Department plans to identify specific concepts to fill vacancies and recruit new business through this data-driven target approach, and

WHEREAS, Buxton has an exclusive partnership with one of the largest credit card companies that acquires consumer purchasing behaviors data and provides proprietary tools which focus on business retention, analytics, and geo-spatial visualization tools, and

WHEREAS, awarding a contract-specific special procurement to Buxton would be unlikely to encourage favoritism or to substantially diminish competition for public contracts; and

WHEREAS, the use of a contract-specific special procurement process to purchase Buxton's economic development tools is expected to result in cost savings to the City and potential increase in return on investment (ROI) for future local businesses.

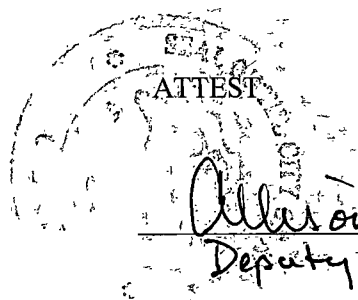
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL, ACTING AS THE LOCAL CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD

SECTION 1 Notwithstanding the provisions of City Code Section 2.66 060, the City Manager is authorized and directed to use the contract-specific special procurement method to procure Buxton's economic development tools.

SECTION 3. The City Manager is hereby directed to award a contract for Buxton's economic development tools after the City has given public notice for seven days of its intent to award a contract and no protests have been received, per Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) 137-047-0285

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 14TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2018

  
Mayor



  
Deputy City Clerk