



RESOLUTION NO. 7128

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL, ACTING AS THE LOCAL CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD, WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING, AND AWARDING A SOLE-SOURCE CONTRACT TO RITE ACADEMY LLC

WHEREAS, Oregon Revised Statutes 279B.075 and Oregon Administrative Rule 137-047-0275 allow the city council, acting as the local contract review board, to award a contract for goods and services without competition by sole-source procurement if it is determined that the goods or services are available from only one source; and

WHEREAS, such authorization must be based on written findings submitted by the department seeking the exception that describe the circumstances that support the source selection and use of a sole-source procurement as set forth below; and

WHEREAS, the Albany Police Department has a need to conduct de-escalation communication, racial equity, bias awareness, and emotional/social intelligence training; and

WHEREAS, the RITE Academy LLC, offers a one-day class and a two-day train the trainer class covering these topics; and

WHEREAS, there is no other vendor that can provide the RITE training program that is offered by the RITE Academy LLC.

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

SECTION 1. Adopts the following findings:

1. There is a great need for all public safety officers to receive de-escalation, racial equity, bias awareness, and emotional/social intelligence training.
2. The RITE Academy LLC provides the RITE training program and gives other officers the necessary credentials to administer the training to future officers and employees.
3. A sole-source procurement process will procure the necessary training through RITE Academy LLC.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of Albany Municipal Code Section 2.66.060, the Police Chief is authorized and directed to use a sole-source procurement method to enter into a new contract with RITE Academy LLC.

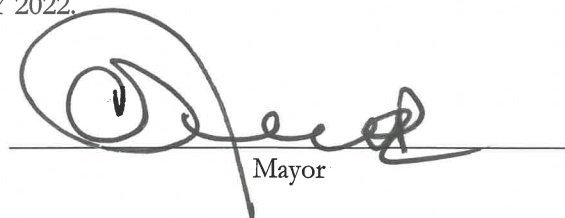
SECTION 3. The Police Chief is hereby directed to negotiate and execute a sole-source contract to RITE Academy LLC after the City has given public notice for seven days of its intent to award a contract, per Oregon Administrative Rules 137-047-0275 and ORS 279B.075.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 13TH DAY OF JULY 2022.

ATTEST:


Allison R. Luese

City Clerk



Mayor