



City of West Allis

7525 W. Greenfield Ave
West Allis, WI 53214

Resolution

File Number: R-2010-0270

Final Action:
DEC 21 2010

Sponsor(s): Administration & Finance Committee

Resolution relative to accepting the sole source proposal of Titan Public Safety Solutions (Tipss) for providing Court software for a total net sum of \$25,731.50.

WHEREAS, The Purchasing/Central Services Division has reported that it has received a proposal for Court Software for the Municipal Court of the City of West Allis, that the proposal received was reasonable; and,


WHEREAS, The Common Council deems it to be in the best interests of the City of West Allis that the proposal of Tipss be accepted; and,

WHEREAS, the IT Department of the Department of Administration & Finance has determined that this contract is inappropriate for competitive selection because it is able to interface with the State of WI DOT, WI Tracs, WI Dept of Revenue and others. It is also the most widely used system in the area designed specifically for the State of Wisconsin.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of West Allis that the proposal dated October 27, 2010, submitted by Tipss for providing TipssCourts 4 full access/1 View-only Workstation; 1 TipssDOT Interface; 1 TipssTax Intercept Interface; 1 TipssTracs Courts Interface & TipssCash Register 3 Workstations for \$20,596.50 and annual system support fees for \$5,135.00 for the total net sum of \$25,731.50 be and is hereby accepted.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Purchasing/Central Services Division be and is hereby authorized to issue a purchase order for the aforesaid software.

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ADOPTED DEC 21 2010


Paul M. Ziehler, City Admin. Officer, Clerk/Treas.

APPROVED 12/23/10


Dan Devine, Mayor



From: Jim Jandovitz
Sent: Thursday, December 09, 2010 2:16 PM
To: Gene Baietto
Subject: TiPPS Sole Source Acquisition

I am requesting that the new TiPSS Court software be purchased as a sole source acquisition.

The TiPSS (Titan Public Safety Solution) is located in Lake Mills, WI and is designed specifically for Wisconsin. A successful court software package must contain all the necessary interfaces to the State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation for license suspensions, WI TraCs for electronic citations, WI Department of Revenue for the Tax Intercept Programs, Electronic State Reporting System, and others. Other out of state products are either very limited or do not have these existing interfaces in place because they were not specifically designed for the State of Wisconsin. We are very inefficient and unproductive without these interfaces between the City of West Allis Municipal Court System and the State of Wisconsin.

The TiPSS Court package is in use by over 70 municipal courts in Wisconsin and is easily the most widely used in the area. This allows our court clerks access to peer support by calling other courts in the area if help is needed.

Over the past four years we have tried to use a general-purpose court package that was designed out of state with limited success. There are currently no other known court packages designed specifically for the State of Wisconsin.