

Section 2. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the welfare of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County requiring it.

Analysis

This resolution approves a sole source contract between the Metropolitan Government and the Center for Internet Security, Inc. ("CIS") to provide cyber security services and real-time operational support services.

Sole source contracts may be awarded under the Metro procurement code when it is determined that there is only one source for the supply or services rendered. Section 4.12.060 of the Metro Code requires all sole source contracts having a total value in excess of \$250,000 to be approved by the Council by resolution.

The estimated value of the contract is \$1,000,000. The term of the contract is 60 months, beginning upon approval of all parties and filing with the Metropolitan Clerk's Office.

According to the sole source justification form, CIS is national nonprofit with a strong partnership with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security ("DHS"). CIS is designated by DHS as the key resource for cyber threat prevention, protection, response, and recovery for the nation's state, local, territorial, and tribal governments. There is no other vendor that provides these government-specific services.

Fiscal Note: The estimated value of the sole source contract number 6527737 with Center for Internet Security, Inc. for the cyber security services and real time operational support services is \$1,000,000 to be paid from Fund 51137, Business Unit 1421071.