RESOLUTION NO. 2014-061



A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO PURCHASE SERVERS, DATA STORAGE HARDWARE, SOFTWARE, AND IMPLEMENTATION SERVICES FOR USE BY PUBLIC SAFETY AND MUNICIPAL COURT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$110,000 FROM EST GROUP UTILIZING THE STATE OF TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION RESOURCES CONTRACT PRICING FOR AUTOMATED INFORMATION SYSTEMS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Farmers Branch, Texas, pursuant to the authority granted by Section 271.081 – 271.083 Local Government Code, V.T.C.A., desires to participate in the described purchasing programs of the State Catalog Purchase procedures for automated information systems; and

WHEREAS, the Fiscal Year 2013-2014 budget includes a fixed asset in the amount of \$150,000 for information technology purchases of new and replacement equipment; and

WHEREAS, City Administration prepared specifications and requested vendor quotations utilizing the State of Texas Department of Information Resources contract; and

WHEREAS, City Administration has determined that equipment which meets specifications can be purchased from EST Group through the State of Texas Department of Information Resources contract DIR-SDD-1951 for an amount not to exceed \$110,000; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Farmers Branch, Texas, finds it to be in the public interest to purchase the above described equipment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to take such action as necessary to purchase replacement servers and upgrades from EST Group through the State of Texas Department of Information Resources contract DIR-SDD-1951 in an amount not to exceed \$110,000.

SECTION 2. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, THIS 15th DAY OF JULY, 2014.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Angela Kelly, City Secretary

Bob Phelps, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter G. Smith, City Attorney (kbl:7/9/14:67041)