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Department of
Procurement Services

Montel M. Gayles
Chief Procurement Officer

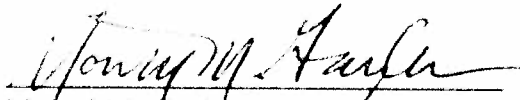
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Date: July 9, 2009

To: Rosemarie S. Andolino
Commissioner

From:


Montel M. Gayles
Chief Procurement Officer

Attention: Denise Hudson

Re: **Emergency Contract for Tower/Ground
Two-Way Radios and Related Parts**
Vendor: BearCom Wireless Worldwide

Vendor Number: 50072766
PO Number: 20000

Amount: 155,705.60
RX Number: 44034

Pursuant to Section 2-92-644 of Municipal Purchasing Act, I concur with your request and authorize an Emergency Contract. Based on the documentation received from your office, it is determined that this procurement is necessary to meet bona fide operating emergency.

You are hereby authorized to purchase the Tower/Ground Two-Way Radios and Related Parts in the amount of \$155,705.60 from BEARCOM as requested in your letter dated July 2, 2009. Any amount in excess of the \$155,705.60 approved here will be subject to additional authorization and will be limited so as not to exceed the \$250,000.00 limit established by statute.

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cc: Montel M. Gayles
Judy Martinez
James McIsaac
Denise Hudson, DOA
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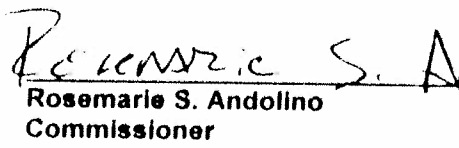


DEPARTMENT OF AVIATION

MEMORANDUM

Date: July 2, 2009

To: Montel M. Gayles
Chief Procurement Officer

From: 
Rosemarie S. Andolino
Commissioner

Subject: Emergency Contract Justification
Vendor: L&N Supply
Specification Number: 47736
P.O. Number: 13943

The Department of Aviation (DOA) has been notified that L & N Supply filed Chapter 7 bankruptcy and will no longer be able to perform their contractual obligations under the contract number captioned above.


We are requesting an emergency contract for approximately five months until a new competitive bid for tower/ground two-way radios and related parts can be advertised and a new contract awarded. The emergency agreement is critical to meeting the needs of employees at O'Hare and Midway that operate vehicles on the airfield. All vehicles on the airfield must have tower/ground two-way radios to operate in the area. The DOA cannot be without radios and related parts due to the nature of business at O'Hare and Midway International Airports.

Four proposals were solicited and due back by Friday June 19, 2009, at 4:00 pm. Two proposals were received in response to the emergency request. BearCom Wireless Worldwide and Chicago Communications, LLC were the two respondents. All four companies are listed below.

- Chicago Communications, LLC (WBE)
- Bonaparte Corporation (MBE)
- Mercommbe, Inc (M/WBE)
- BearCom Wireless Worldwide

The DOA is recommending that an emergency agreement be entered into with BearCom Wireless Worldwide because they provided the lowest price and most accurate proposal. The emergency contract amount will not exceed \$160,000. Attached are both proposals for your review.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Reviewed by Angela Manning, Managing Deputy Commissioner 



BEAR

Wireless Worldwide



June 19, 2009

Denise Hudson
Project Administrator
Dept of Aviation
Contract Administration
P- 773.686.3590

Subject: Two-way Radio Equipment

To the City of Chicago Department of Aviation:

BearCom presents the following proposal for emergency request of two-way radio equipment for the City of Chicago Department of Aviation.

Our proposal is submitted in response to an emergency request initiated by the City of Chicago Department of Aviation for Ground/Tower two-way radios.

With the discontinuance in production of ICOM's IC-A200 series, BearCom is presenting pricing for the replacement IC-A210 series. As an alternative to the IC-A210, BearCom is also presenting pricing on the IC-A110. BearCom's alternate recommendations are supported on the attached cover letter provided by ICOM America.

BearCom welcomes the opportunity to serve the City of Chicago Department of Aviation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "NJM" followed by a stylized flourish.

Nader Mortazavi
Regional Director
BearCom

Denise Hudson
 Project Administrator
 City of Chicago
 Department of Aviation
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ICOM IC-A210 TWO-WAY RADIO EQUIPMENT PROPOSAL

ITEM	QTY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED
1	1	IC-A210M ICOM VHF Air Band Transceiver Includes MB-53 Vehicle Mounting Kit * For Mounting the IC-A210 to a Vehicle Also Includes * SP-5 External Speaker * HM-176 Palm Microphone	1,371.93	1,371.93
2	1	IC-A210B ICOM VHF Air Band Transceiver Includes PS-80 Power Supply * For Ground Based Communications Also Includes * Built-In Speaker * HM-176 Palm Microphone	1,800.79	1,800.79
3	1	IC-A210 ICOM VHF Air Band Transceiver	1,275.04	1,275.04
4	1	K220A Magnetic Mount Air Band Antenna	46.02	46.02
5	1	K220C Mobile Air Band Antenna w/Rooftop Hole Mount	29.74	29.74
6	1	SP-5 External Speaker	43.46	43.46
7	1	Replacement Parts & Materials * Discount From ICOM Published Price Pages - June 1, 2009	18% Off	

Proposed By: Jonathan Olenick
 Date: June 19, 2009
 Terms: Net 30 Days of Invoiced Equipment



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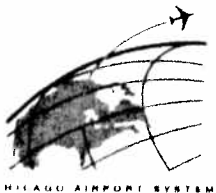
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DATE: JUNE 16,2009

TO: BEARCOMM WIRELESS
Attn: Johnathan Olenick

FROM: City Of Chicago, Department of Aviation

PLEASE PROVIDE AN 'EMERGENCY' QUOTE FOR THE PURCHASE OF APPROXIMATELY 50 TOWER/GROUND TWO-WAY RADIOS AND RELATED COMPONENTS LISTED BELOW BY 4:00 P.M., FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2009. THIS EQUIPMENT WILL BE PURCHASED AS PART OF AN EMERGENCY CONTRACT.

THE QUOTES SHOULD BE RETURNED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE SIGNED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COMPANY TO THE ATTENTION AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON LISTED BELOW.

**Denise Hudson, Project Administrator
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MODELS

Vehicle Mounted Radio

- IC A200M Truck Mount Avionics Transceivers
- 720 channel VHF radio transceiver for vehicular aeronautical operations at Chicago Airport System
- Mobile dash mounted communications transceiver is secured into the mounted housing by means of an internal lever actuated by captive Allen screw.
- Internal audio amplifier. The radio is to output audio to an internal speaker with the option of using a headset 52 or 58



- Transceiver transmit and receive are on the same AM frequency and must operate on the 118.000 to 136.975 MHZ frequency band with 25 KHZ spacing between selectable frequencies
- Frequency stability tolerance of 0.003%.
- Front panel display must contain all of the controls and display required to operate the unit. For night operation, back lighting must be provided.
- Complete kit for vehicle roof mounted installation of antenna with system compatibility. Antenna must be configured to be mounted to the vehicle roof permanently. K220C Air band mobile Antennas with rooftop mount
- Must be compatible for installation in various types of vehicles for dash mounting as noted above.

Base Unit Radio

The base unit radio must be the same as the vehicle mounted radio except that the unit will be a base unit for base station installation and include a magnetic mount antenna. The base unit will be installed by the Department of Aviation

Replacement Parts and Materials

- The Contractor must furnish and deliver all necessary replacement parts for the equipment subject to the following limitations:
- When directed by the Commissioner through purchase order releases, the Contractor must furnish repair and replacement parts, major components and materials required for those systems in need of repair and covered. The installation of these components and parts will be done by the Department of Aviation
- Contractor must be either an ICOM dealer/distributor, manufacturer or be capable of providing the full manufacturer's warranty for all products. Contractor must supply written verification of the above from the manufacturer.

Exceptions

Any deviation from these specifications must be identified in the quote.

Quantities

The approximate quantity at this time is approximately 50. The City may increase or decrease quantities ordered. Nothing herein will be construed as an intent on the part of the City to procure Tower/Ground Two-Way radios and related components other than those determined by the Department of Aviation to be necessary to meet its needs.

The City will only be obligated to order and pay for such quantities as are from time to time ordered, delivered and accepted on the purchase order releases issued by the Department of Aviation.

Delivery

Deliveries of Tower/Ground Two-way Radios and related Components must be F.O.B., City of Chicago, Department of Aviation, any point within the City, at no charge to the City, regardless of the purchase order release amount.

Deliveries must be made between the hours of 8:00am and 2:00 pm., Monday through Friday, excluding any City holidays