

Resolution authorizing a three-year service agreement with Recorded Books, Inc. of Prince Fredrick, Maryland for a total amount not to exceed \$101,400.00 for the purchase of Digital Content Services for the Public Libraries, effective upon issuance of a notice to proceed, with Fiscal Year 2020 funding in the amount of \$33,800.00 available through the General Fund.

WHEREAS, Recorded Books, Inc., will provide digital content services for the Library Department;

WHEREAS, State law provides that such procurements, as outlined above, are subject to statutory procurement requirements, including competitive bids, unless an exception applies;

WHEREAS, there are two statutory exceptions for this procurement in Local Government Code, Section 252.022 (a) (7) (A) and (a)(7)(E), as this item is available from only once source because of patents, copyrights, secret processes, or natural monopolies and this item involves the purchase of books, papers, or other library materials for a public library that are available only from persons holding exclusive distribution rights to the materials.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Corpus Christi, Texas:

Section 1. The City Council specifically finds that the foregoing statements included in the preamble of this resolution are true and correct and adopts such findings for all intents and purposes related to the authorization of this procurement.

Section 2. The City Manager, or designee, is authorized to execute all documents necessary to secure a service agreement for digital content services for public libraries which consists of the purchase of digital, audio, ESL component and licensing services for a total amount not to exceed \$101,400.00, and funded through the General Fund.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the _____ day of _____, 2020:

Joe McComb _____

Roland Barrera _____

Rudy Garza _____

Paulette M. Guajardo _____

Gil Hernandez _____

Michael Hunter _____

Ben Molina _____

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Greg Smith _____

ATTEST:

CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

Rebecca Huerta
City Secretary

Joe McComb
Mayor