

ORDINANCE 2020-09-03-0607

**APPROVING A NETWORK SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH CPS ENERGY FOR THE INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK THAT WILL TRANSPORT RADIO VOICE CALLS BETWEEN RADIO TOWER SITES IN SUPPORT OF THE ALAMO AREA REGIONAL RADIO SYSTEM.**

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**WHEREAS**, February 15, 2018, City Council approved a contract with Dailey & Wells for the construction, system delivery, and system operation of a new P25 compliant public safety radio system, referred to as the Alamo Area Regional Radio System (“AARRS”); and

**WHEREAS**, on the same date, City Council also authorized the execution of an Interlocal Agreement (ILA) between the City, Bexar County, and CPS Energy for County and CPS to make financial contributions to obtain minority ownership interests in the AARRS; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed Network Services Agreement (“NSA”) outlines the requirements and payment terms under which CPS Energy will install, maintain, and operate a dedicated communications network that will be used to transport radio voice calls between radio tower sites, radio dispatch centers and other radio control points in support of the AARRS; and

**WHEREAS**, under the NSA, CPS Energy will provide redundant communication circuits to interconnect eighteen (18) of twenty eight (28) radio tower sites, two (2) radio network control sites, and eight (8) radio dispatch locations to include the City’s 911 PSAP facility and the Bexar Metro 911 Regional Operations Center (the remaining ten (10) radio tower sites will utilize microwave wireless links and fall outside the scope of the NSA); and

**WHEREAS**, the City will be responsible for actual construction costs for the seven fiber projects needed for the AARRS; the City will own all fiber installed and will seek reimbursement from AARRS co-owners under terms of the ILA for any fiber pairs used to support the AARRS; and

**WHEREAS**, the annual recurring fees of \$350,760.00 for circuits installed by CPS Energy will be billed to the City on a quarterly basis; the City will in turn, seek reimbursement from the AARRS co-owners under terms of the ILA; the total cost for the 15-year term of the NSA is not to exceed \$5,814,511.25; **NOW THEREFORE:**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:**

**SECTION 1.** The Network Services Agreement between the City of San Antonio and CPS Energy for the installation, maintenance, and operation of a communications network that will transport radio voice calls in support of the Alamo Area Regional Radio System is approved. A copy of the Network Services Agreement is attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance as **Exhibit A**.

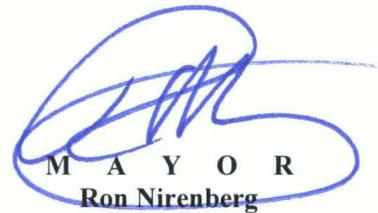
**SECTION 2.** The City Manager or designee is hereby authorized for a period of ninety (90) days to execute any and all documents necessary to fulfill the purpose and intent of this Ordinance.

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**SECTION 3.** Funding for the annual recurring fees of \$350,760.00 for the circuits up through December 2021 is available in the FY 2020 – FY 2025 Capital Improvement Program. Annual recurring costs occurring January 2022 and beyond will be an operating expense funded from the Information Technology Services Department Operating Budget and is subject to City Council appropriation through the annual budget process.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon the passage by eight (8) votes of the City Council and if passed upon fewer than eight (8) votes after the tenth (10<sup>th</sup>) day after passage thereof.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 2020.

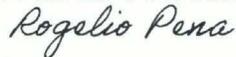


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**Ron Nirenberg**

**ATTEST:**

  
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Tina J. Flores, City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

For   
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Andrew Segovia, City Attorney



# City of San Antonio

City Council  
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NAME	MOTION	SECOND	ABSTAIN	AYE	NAY	ABSENT
Roberto Treviño Council District 1				√		
Jada Andrews-Sullivan Council District 2				√		
Rebecca Viagran Council District 3				√		
Adriana Rocha Garcia Council District 4				√		
Shirley Gonzales Council District 5				√		
Melissa Cabello Havrda Council District 6				√		
Ana Sandoval Council District 7				√		
Manny Pelaez Council District 8		√		√		
John Courage Council District 9	√			√		
Clayton Perry Council District 10				√		
Ron Nirenberg Mayor				√		

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