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## **RESOLUTION NO. 2019-46**

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL WAIVING FORMAL BID REQUIREMENTS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO 36-MONTHS AGREEMENTS WITH TPX COMMUNICATIONS FOR THE PROVISION OF FIXED WIRELESS HIGH SPEED (30MBPS UPLOAD AND 30MBPS DOWNLOAD) INTERNET SERVICE AT 900 BUCHANAN STREET AND FIBER OPTICS HIGH SPEED (100MBPS UPLOAD AND 20MBPS DOWNLOAD) INTERNET ACCESS AT 1325 PORTLAND AVENUE FOR A TOTAL COST OF \$48,239.28

WHEREAS, the current broadband set up at City facilities located at 900 Buchanan Street and 1325 Portland Avenue is no longer adequate for the volume of operation experienced at both locations; and

WHEREAS, current broadband setup at both locations does not have adequate speed and capacity for internet browsing connectivity, Wide Area Network Connectivity to the datacenter at City Hall for data access, and Wi-Fi; and

WHEREAS, staff considered several factors in its recommendation of TPx Communications for the upgrade; and

WHEREAS, staff negotiated with three vendors and compared costs with what is offered on the listed master contract pricing used by a public agency purchasing pool; and

WHEREAS, the City's purchasing policy requires that the Council award purchases of goods or services if the cost is in excess of \$25,000 (Resolution No. 2012-74 Section VIII (5)), and Council action is required to authorize a waiver of formal bids.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Albany City Council hereby;

1. Authorizes the waving of formal bids,

2. Authorizes the City Manager to enter into 36-months agreements with TPx Communications for the provision of Fixed Wireless High Speed (30mbps Upload and 30mbps Download) Internet Service at 900 Buchanan Street and Fiber Optics High Speed (100mbps Upload and 20mbps Download) Internet Access at 1325 Portland Avenue for a total cost of \$48,239.28 to the Recreation and Community Services Department operating budgets for FY2020, FY2021, and FY2022.

ROCHELLE NASON, MAYOR



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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,

The 17th day of June, 2019, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Barnes, Maass, McQuaid, Pilch and Mayor Nason

NOES: None

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this

18th day of June, 2019.

Elleen Harrington
Eileen Harrington

DEPUTY CITY CLERK