



Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: 21-5420 **Version:** 1 **Name:**
Type: Financial Authorization **Status:** Passed
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Title: Request for approval of a sole source exemption from the competitive bid requirements to Findaway World, LLC in the amount of \$94,000 for texts with pre-loaded content published for Wonderbook the read-along by Playaway for the County Public Library for the period of October 12, 2021 - February 28, 2023.

Sponsors:

Indexes:

Code sections:

Attachments: 1. 21-5420 sole source exemption Findaway World, LLC.pdf

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
10/12/2021	1	Commissioners Court		

Department: Purchasing

Department Head/Elected Official:

Regular or Supplemental RCA: Regular RCA

Type of Request: Financial Authorization

Project ID (if applicable):

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable):

MWDBE Participation (if applicable): N/A

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval of a sole source exemption from the competitive bid requirements to Findaway World, LLC in the amount of \$94,000 for texts with pre-loaded content published for Wonderbook the read-along by Playaway for the County Public Library for the period of October 12, 2021 - February 28, 2023.

Background and Discussion:

This is a sole source request that would allow purchasing of “Wonderbooks” which are books with a built in reader.

Expected Impact:

The approval of this purchase request will allow the public to access these valuable early literacy tools.

Alternative Options: None

Alignment with Goal(s):

- ☐ Justice and Safety
☒ Economic Opportunity
☐ Housing
☐ Public Health
☐ Transportation
☐ Flooding
☐ Environment
☐ Governance and Customer Service

Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
4/27/21		\$200,000 from rollover allocated for spending on early literacy materials.

Location:

Address (if applicable):

Precinct(s): Countywide

Fiscal and Personnel Summary				
Service Name	Library Collections	FY 21-22	Estimates	
			FY 22	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures				
Labor Expenditures		-	-	-
Non-Labor Expenditures		94,000	-	-
Total Incremental Expenditures		94,000	-	-
Funding Sources (General Fund, PIC Fund, Debt or CP, Grants, or Other - Please Specify)				
Existing Budget	-	200,000	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	200,000	-	-
Total Current Budget		-	-	-
Additional Budget Requested	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Total Additional Budget Requested		-	-	-
Total Funding Sources		200,000	-	-

Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)			
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-
Additional Positions Requested	-	-	-
Total Personnel	-	-	-

Anticipated Implementation Date: 10/12/21.

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note: Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

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Attachments (if applicable):