

Legislation Text

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Department: Purchasing Department Head/Elected Official: DeWight Dopslauf

**Regular or Supplemental RCA:** Regular RCA **Type of Request:** Contract - Renewal

**Project ID** (if applicable): 190214 **Vendor/Entity Legal Name** (if applicable): Baker & Taylor, LLC (Primary); Brodart Co (Secondary)

MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable): N/A MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable): N/A Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal: N/A - project was awarded prior to launch of County's M/WBE Program

# **Request Summary (Agenda Caption):**

Request for approval of a renewal option with Baker & Taylor, LLC (Primary) and Brodart Co (Secondary) to provide library books, materials and associated services for the County Public Library for the period of October 29, 2022 - October 28, 2023, at a cost of \$1,684,000 (190214).

### **Background and Discussion:**

This is a renewal for term contract Job. No. 190214-A, Provide Library Books, Materials, and Associated Services for Harris County. The original term contract award was approved in Commissioners' Court. The Harris County Public Library (HCPL) utilizes this term contract for purchasing books, audiobooks, other library materials, and associated services.

### Expected Impact:

The approval of this renewal allows HCPL personnel to continue buying library materials at best possible prices for the County.

### Alternative Options:

Other vendors exist but they were evaluated through the RFP process and this option is the cheapest for the County. The library must buy current books and materials to meet County needs.

### Alignment with Goal(s):

- \_ Justice and Safety
- X Economic Opportunity
- \_ Housing
- \_ Public Health

- \_ Transportation
- \_ Flooding
- \_ Environment
- \_Governance and Customer Service

# Prior Court Action (if any):

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
10/29/19		Award
9/29/20		1st Renewa1
10/26/21	234	2nd Renewal

# Location: N/A

Address (if applicable): N/A Precinct(s): Countywide

Service Name					
	SFY 22	FY 23	Next 3 FYs		
Incremental Expenditures (do NOT w	rite values in tho	usands or millions)			
Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$		
Non-Labor Expenditures	\$	\$	\$		
Total Incremental Expenditures	\$	\$	\$		
Funding Sources (do NOT write value	s in thousands o	millions)	-		
Existing Budget					
1000 - General Fund	1,684,400	1,684,400	5,053,200		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Total Current Budget	\$	\$	\$		
Additional Budget Requested					
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$		
Total Additional Budget Requested	\$	\$	\$		
Total Funding Sources	1,684,400	1,684,400	5,053,200		
Personnel (Fill out section only if reques	ting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-		
Additional Positions Requested	-	-	-		
Total Personnel	-	-	-		

Anticipated Court Date: September 13, 2022

Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date): Ongoing

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

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Attachments (if applicable): Letter