

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2007-627**

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

August 28, 2007

### **SUSPENSION OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR UNARMED GUARD SERVICES**

#### **BACKGROUND**

- A. The City of Sacramento has ongoing requirements for (unarmed) Security Guard Services Citywide. To ensure the safety of citizens and employees, it is imperative that the City does not allow a lapse of security to its offices and facilities. The current contract expires August 31, 2007. For the past five years, Securitas has performed at the expected level of service required by the City for (unarmed) security guard services providing protection to the City offices, facilities, Fairytale Town, and the Sacramento Public Library Authority. The new contract ensures the continuity of these services and provides staff sufficient time to finalize the requirements for developing new bid specifications. For the foregoing reasons, it is in the City's best interest to suspend competitive bidding to allow a one year contract to be awarded to Securitas Security Services, USA, Inc.
- B. The current contract, (CA 2002-135) with Securitas Security Services, USA, Inc., (formerly Burns International Security Services) was the result of a formal competitive process, Request for Proposal 1870. That contract was awarded prior to the adoption of the City's new Living Wage Ordinance (LWO) chapter 3.58. The new contract will meet the City's living wage standards by increasing the current wage rate from \$10.60 to \$11.17 per hour. This will affect approximately 100 of the contractors' employees and will result in an additional 5.4% increase on the current contract rates. Overall this will result in an estimated \$14,000 per month increase for (unarmed) security services.

#### **BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

- Section 1. In the best interest of the City, competitive bidding is suspended for (unarmed) security guard services.
- Section 2. The contract for security guard services is awarded to Securitas Security Services, USA, Inc., under the same terms and conditions of City Agreement No. CA 2002-135. Price rates will be increased to comply with the City's Living Wage Ordinance for this potential one year contract in an amount not -to -exceed \$2.75 million.

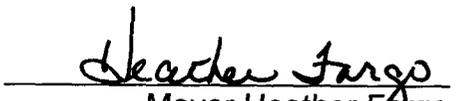
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on August 28, 2007 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers, Cohn, Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Pannell, Sheedy, Tretheway, Waters and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.

  
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Mayor Heather Fargo

Attest:

  
for Dawn Bullwinkel  
Shirley Concolino, City Clerk