

MAYOR & COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

MEETING DATE:

August 4, 2008

CALL TO PODIUM:

Chief John A. King

RESPONSIBLE STAFF:

John A. King
Chief of Police

AGENDA ITEM:

(please check one)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Presentation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Proclamation/Certificate
<input type="checkbox"/>	Appointment
<input type="checkbox"/>	Public Hearing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Historic District
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Consent Item
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ordinance
<input type="checkbox"/>	Resolution
<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy Discussion
<input type="checkbox"/>	Work Session Discussion Item
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

PUBLIC HEARING HISTORY:

(Please complete this section if agenda item is a public hearing)

Introduced	
Advertised	
Hearing Date	
Record Held Open	
Policy Discussion	

TITLE:

Resolution of the Mayor and City Council Authorizing the Acting City Manager to Continue Participation in a Contract for Photo-Speed Services with ACS State & Local Solutions, Inc. (\$985,000)

SUPPORTING BACKGROUND:

Legislation was passed by the General Assembly in January 2006 enabling Montgomery County and certain municipalities within Montgomery County to begin enforcing speed limits by photo-speed technology effective February 2006.

In 2007, after a competitive bidding process, Montgomery County awarded contract # 7474000045-AA to ACS State & Local Solutions, Inc. for photo-speed services. A stipulation of the contract is that the vendor must offer the same terms it has negotiated with the County to participating municipalities.

There is adequate funding in the Operating Budget for FY 2009.

Staff recommends that the City continue to piggyback on Montgomery County Contract #7474000045-AA, adding the necessary amendments to meet the City's needs.

DESIRED OUTCOME:

Vote on Resolution

Resolution Request Form

REQUEST FORM FOR RESOLUTIONS PERTAINING
TO EXPENDITURES FROM THE CITY BUDGET
(CONTRACTS/PURCHASES, TRANSFER FUNDS)

(Please attach the Mayor and Council Agenda Cover Sheet to this Form. For contracts/purchases, the Cover Sheet MUST include a list of all bidders and bid amounts.)

Requested by: Chief John A. King Date of City Council Meeting: August 4, 2008

AUTHORIZING

Purchase Award Contract Transfer Funds Negotiate/
Execute a Contract

BID INFORMATION:

Advertisement Date N/A

Newspaper(s) N/A

Bids Opened/Tabulated (date) Piggyback on Montgomery County Contract 7474000045-AA

DESCRIPTION OF ITEM(S):

(Be specific; include quantity, item name, model number, etc.)

Photo-Speed Services

CONTRACTED/PURCHASE FROM:

Company Name: ACS State and Local Solutions

Street Address 1800 M Street N.W.

P. O. Box Number

City/State/Zip Washington, DC 20036

CONTRACT/PURCHASE AMOUNT:

\$16.25 per paid citation or \$3000.00 per month for each mobile unit deployed whichever is greater in a total amount not to exceed \$985,000.00

Check One: In the Amount of Not to Exceed

FUNDS TO BE EXPENDED FROM: Operating Budget Capital Improvements Budget

Account Number: 1911-536000

(For Finance Department use only; not to be included in the Resolution)

VERIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS Available Not available

Finance Dept.

Date

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE
CITY MANAGER TO CONTINUE PARTICIPATION IN A CONTRACT FOR
PHOTO-SPEED SERVICES WITH ACS STATE & LOCAL SOLUTIONS, INC.

WHEREAS, Section 57 of the City charter provides that the City Council may permit negotiations of contracts without sealed bids for products and services, where in the opinion of the Council, the interest of the City would be best served by negotiated contracts; and

WHEREAS, legislation was passed by the General Assembly enabling Montgomery County and certain municipalities within Montgomery County to begin enforcing speed limits utilizing photo-speed technology; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have a stated Strategic Direction to implement traffic, transportation, planning, and management strategies to improve the safety, structure and function of streets, transit, bikeways and side walks within the City; and

WHEREAS, photo-speed technology has been proven to control speed in enforced zones as well as reduce accidents, injuries and fatalities and would be of benefit to the City; and

WHEREAS, Montgomery County has entered into a contract with ACS State & Local Solutions, Inc. for photo-speed services, known as Montgomery County Contract # 7474000045-AA:

WHEREAS, the City wishes to continue participation in Montgomery County Contract # 7474000045-AA:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of Gaithersburg, that the City Manager be and he hereby is authorized to continue the City's participation with the contract for photo-speed services with ACS State & Local Solutions, Inc., 1800 M Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20036, through fiscal year 2009, in an amount not to exceed Nine Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$985,000); said funds to be expended from the Operating Budget.

ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council this 4th day of August 2008.

SIDNEY A. KATZ, MAYOR and
President of the Council

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing
Resolution was adopted by the City Council
in public meeting assembled on this 4th day
of August, 2008.

James D. Arnoult Acting City Manager