

## Legislation Text

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### Pre-Blast Inspection and Seismic Monitoring Services

#### **Action:**

- A. Approve unit price contracts with the following companies for pre-blast inspection and seismic monitoring services for an initial term of two years:**
- **Sauls Seismic LLC,**
  - **VCE, Inc., and**
- B. Authorize the City Manager to renew the contracts for up to three, one-year terms with possible price adjustments and to amend the contracts consistent with the purpose for which the contracts were approved.**

#### **Staff Resource(s):**

Angela Charles, Charlotte Water  
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#### **Explanation**

- Charlotte Water uses pre-blasting surveys of nearby structures to document conditions before and after any blasting activities, along with blast monitoring to ensure activities meet construction plans and specifications requirements.
- On August 2, 2023, the city issued a Request for Proposals (RFP); four responses were received.
- The companies selected best meet the city's needs in terms of qualifications, experience, cost, and responsiveness to RFP requirements.
- Price adjustments may be considered based on legitimate and justified increases in the cost of doing business.
- Annual aggregate expenditures are estimated to be \$400,000.

#### **Charlotte Business INclusion**

Contract goals were not established on these Contracts as there were no viable subcontracting opportunities.

#### **Fiscal Note**

Funding: Charlotte Water Capital Investment Plan