



## Village of Wellington

## Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: 18-2316 Name: AUTHORIZATION TO CONTINUE UTILIZING A

CITY OF BAYTOWN, TEXAS CONTRACT, AS A

BASIS FOR PRICING, FOR UTILITY BILL PRINTING AND MAILING SERVICES

**Type:** Purchasing/Contract

In control: Village Council

On agenda: 1/22/2019 Final action:

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**Code sections:** 

Attachments: 1. 1. Baytown Renewal Letter

Date Ver. Action By Action Result

## ITEM: AUTHORIZATION TO CONTINUE UTILIZING A CITY OF BAYTOWN, TEXAS CONTRACT, AS A BASIS FOR PRICING, FOR UTILITY BILL PRINTING AND MAILING SERVICES

**REQUEST:** Authorization to continue utilizing a City of Baytown, Texas contract with Dataprose, LLC, as a basis for pricing, to provide utility bill printing and mailing services to the Village in the amount of approximately \$120,000.00 annually.

**EXPLANATION:** The Village utilizes Dataprose, LLC, to provide utility bill printing and mailing services. On January 23, 2018, Council approved authorization to continue utilizing the City of Baytown, Texas contract #026-12 with Dataprose, LLC, effective through January 31, 2019, to provide such services. The City of Baytown recently renewed the contract through January 31, 2020.

The Baytown contract provides utility bill statements at \$0.088 each (includes cost to provide forms, data process, laser print, fold, sort, tray, tag, mail and drop at USPS). The total annual cost of approximately \$120,000 includes both bill printing and postage (printing approximately \$20,000 and postage approximately \$100,000).

In order to ensure the Baytown contract provides the best pricing, staff reached out to other governmental entities and found the following:

Entity	Base Price Per Statement (Postage not included)	Vendor
City of Baytown, TX	\$0.088	Dataprose, LLC
City of Boca Raton	\$0.106	Dataprose, LLC
City of West Palm Beach	Services Performed In-House	
Palm Beach County	Services Performed In-House	

Dataprose, LLC, is a leading provider of billing statement services, including statement design, print and mail services for municipalities nationwide.

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Staff is seeking authorization to continue utilizing the City of Baytown contract as a basis for pricing for utility bill printing and mailing services, including postage through January 31, 2020.

**BUDGET AMENDMENT REQUIRED: NO** 

PUBLIC HEARING: NO QUASI-JUDICIAL:

FIRST READING: SECOND READING:

**LEGAL SUFFICIENCY: YES** 

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Funds are allocated in the FY 2019 utility customer service budget.

**WELLINGTON FUNDAMENTAL:** Responsive Government

**RECOMMENDATION:** Authorization to continue utilizing a City of Baytown, Texas contract with Dataprose, LLC, as a basis for pricing, to provide utility bill printing and mailing services to the Village in the amount of approximately \$120,000.00 annually.