

**DETERMINATION AND FINDINGS
FOR A
SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT**

AGENCY: Metropolitan Police Department

CONTRACT NO: TBD

CAPTION: MS AWARE SYSTEM Enhancements and Software Development

CONTRACTOR: Microsoft Corporation

FINDINGS

1. AUTHORIZATION:

D.C. Official Code §2-354.04, 27 DCMR 1304, 1700, 1701, and 2005.2(b)

2. MINIMUM NEED:

The Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) is seeking to enhance and develop its Aware Threat and Investigation Console solutions. Microsoft shall assist MPD with enhancing its Microsoft AWARE solution to include additional functionality, architectural guidance and development. Microsoft AWARE enhancements include:

- 1) Officer Tracking
- 2) Log Backup Management Scripts
- 3) Documentation for Log Backup Management Scripts
- 4) Proactive Monitoring Tool
- 5) Documentation for how to resolve data source issues

3. ESTIMATED REASONABLE COST:

The estimated fair and reasonable cost for the contract is \$99,000.00

4. FACTS WHICH JUSTIFY SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT:

A. In FY2015, Microsoft developed and deployed the Aware Threat Console and Investigation Console solutions for MPD. The AWARE solution is a technology solution that allows MPD to be more proactive and efficient in daily operations in order to reduce crime and better serve the community. It also helps to improve officer safety and reduce officer injuries. This system capitalizes on new, powerful

policing software that allows police officers and other personnel to more quickly access relevant information.

- B. A market survey was not conducted because, Microsoft Premier Support services are an integrated offering, and are performed/provided only by Microsoft Corporation. Thus, Microsoft is the sole marketplace provider of Premier Support Services.

5. CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACT SPECIALIST:

I hereby certify that the above findings are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date

Alisha Wright
Contract Specialist

DETERMINATION

Based on the above findings and in accordance with the cited authority, I hereby determine that it is not feasible or practical to invoke the competitive solicitation process under Section 303, 402 or 403 of the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Reform Act of 2010 (D.C. Law 18-371; D.C. Official Code § 2-354.02 or 2-354.03). Accordingly, I determine that the District is justified in using the Sole Source method of procurement.

Date

Jeffrey A. Tisdale
Contracting Officer