

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 278

Approved August 2, 2022

RESOLVED, That the Members of the Providence City Council
hereby Authorize Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of
Contract and Supply in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1) of the Code of
Ordinances.

Avanceon
(Providence Water)

\$1,500,000.00

IN CITY COUNCIL
JUL 21 2022
READ AND PASSED


JOHN J. IGLIZZ, PRESIDENT

Tina L. Mastrosianni
ACTING CLERK

I HEREBY APPROVE.



Mayor
Date:  8/2/22



OFFICE OF THE INTERNAL AUDITOR
City of Providence

June 14, 2022

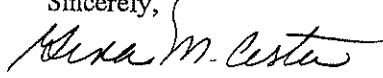
Ms. Tina Mastroianni
City Clerk's Office
City of Providence
25 Dorrance Street
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Tina:

I am writing to request that the following requested contract awards be submitted to the City Council and the Finance Committee for approval:

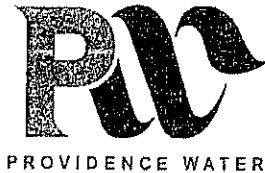
- **Providence Water Supply:**
 - Award to **Avanceon** for a total not to exceed **\$1,500,000** for Wonderware and SCADA Technical Support in accordance with the Code of Ordinance, Section 21-26 (b)(1);
 - Award to **SpryPoint Services, Inc.**, for Utility Billing System and Implementation in the amount of **\$2,899,119** in accordance with the Code of Ordinance Section 21-26 (b) (1);
- **Providence Police Department;**
 - Award to **Conduent State & Local Solutions, Inc** in the amount of **\$3,548,457** for "Parking Citation Processing and Delinquent Collection Services in accordance with the Code of Ordinance Section 21-26 (b) (1):
- **Information Technology:**
 - Approval to extend contract with **Jimmy Chiu** for Lawson System support in an amount of **\$30,000** in accordance with the Code of Ordinance Section 21-26 (b) (2).

Sincerely,



Gina M. Costa
Internal Auditor

Cc: Ricky Caruolo, General Manager, Providence Water
Hugh T. Clements, Chief of Police
Alejandro Tirado, Director of Purchasing
James J. Lombardi, III, City Treasurer



June 6, 2022

The Honorable Mayor Jorge O. Elorza
Chairman, Board of Contract and Supply
City Hall
25 Dorrance Street
Providence, RI 02903

RE: Wonderware & SCADA Technical Support (Exp. 6/30/25)

MinuteTraq ID#: 35821
Account Codes: 848-848-52885

Minority Participation: 0% MBE, 0% WBE

Dear Mayor Elorza,

DATE OF BID OPENING: April 25, 2022

RECOMMENDED BIDDER: Avanceon - 300 Eagleview Blvd., Suite 100, Exton, PA 19341

TOTAL AMOUNT RECOMMENDED: Total amount of the contract not to exceed is \$1,500,000.00. The per year amount not to exceed is \$300,000.00 including the two, 1-year options (pending budget approval).

In response to our request for proposal regarding the above entitled, our department received the following bid:

	VENDOR NAME	BASE (minimum reqs.)	TOTAL (final specifications)
1.	Avanceon	Unit Price Bid	Unit Price Bid

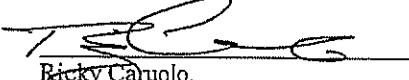
☒ On the basis of said bids, we recommend the sole bidder, as identified on LINE 1, whose bid has met the specifications.

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☒ Additional documentation to support the decision for this award is attached to this letter.

Respectfully Submitted,


Ricky Caruolo,
General Manager


Financial Approval

Department Subject Matter Expert: Richard Razza: Senior Manager

By signing, the subject matter expert certifies the following: That the recommended vendor(s) is/are the lowest, qualified bidder(s) with regards to the corresponding specifications. That all bids corresponding to this award were reviewed for completeness and that the recommended bidder's submission is inclusive of all required documents.



PROVIDENCE WATER

Tap Water Delivers

May 17, 2022

To: Purchasing

Re: WonderWare and SCADA Technical Support Contract

Providence Water solicited bids for manufacturer recommended software integrator to support the WonderWare software platform. WonderWare and its components comprise the graphical control interface of the Industrial Control System (SCADA) environment located within the 61 North Road facility and throughout the distribution network.

An RFP was drafted and released in accordance with City procedures, requesting submittals from qualified vendors to provide technical support of the WonderWare computing environment and its sub-components throughout the water distribution network.

The Hon. Jorge O. Elorza
Mayor

Ricky Caruolo
General Manager

Evaluation Criteria

The proposal was evaluated using the following criteria:

Evaluation Criteria	Percent Value
Overall Cost to Providence Water	30%
Technical and Functional requirements	30%
Qualifications of Respondent and Professional recommendations and experience	20%
Demonstrated understanding and responsiveness of the RFP	20%
Total Points	100%

Vendor Responses

Even though Avanceon was the only vendor that responded to the RFP, they met the criteria and their bid was accepted as complete.

Conformance to Technical Specifications

The proposal submitted by Avanceon met all requirements listed in the RFP.

Vendor Capability and Experience

The RFP included information requests to evaluate vendors' capacity to successfully implement and support the requested services.

Avanceon has proven experience and adequate staff to meet the requirements of the RFP and has provided adequate evidence of supporting the WonderWare software platform similar to that of Providence Water.

Award Recommendation

With a demonstrated understanding of the job requirements and the capacity to support the

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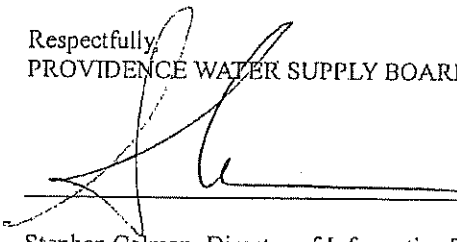
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organizational initiatives, I recommend the RFP be awarded to Avanceon in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 over five (5) years.

Respectfully,
PROVIDENCE WATER SUPPLY BOARD



Stephen Colman, Director of Information Technology