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County Council Of Howard County, Maryland

2014 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. 10

Bill No. 49 -2014

Introduced by: The Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

AN ACT pursuant to Section 612 of the Howard County Charter, approving a multi-year Agreement between Howard County, Maryland and Pictometry International Corp. for certain pictometry services used by the County.

Introduced and read first time _____, 2014. Ordered posted and hearing scheduled.

By order _____
Sheila M. Tolliver, Administrator

Having been posted and notice of time & place of hearing & title of Bill having been published according to Charter, the Bill was read for a second time at a public hearing on _____, 2014.

By order _____
Sheila M. Tolliver, Administrator

This Bill was read the third time on _____, 2014 and Passed ___, Passed with amendments ___, Failed _____.

By order _____
Sheila M. Tolliver, Administrator

Sealed with the County Seal and presented to the County Executive for approval this ____ day of _____, 2014 at ____ a.m./p.m.

By order _____
Sheila M. Tolliver, Administrator

Approved by the County Executive _____, 2014

Ken Ulman, County Executive

NOTE: [[text in brackets]] indicates deletions from existing law; TEXT IN ALL CAPITALS indicates additions to existing law; Strike-out indicates material deleted by amendment; Underlining indicates material added by amendment

1 **WHEREAS**, pictometry is an aerial image capture process that produces imagery
2 (oblique digital orthophotography) showing the fronts and sides of buildings and locations on the
3 ground; and
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5 **WHEREAS**, images are captured by low-flying airplanes and can then be stitched
6 together to create composite aerial maps that seamlessly span many miles of terrain; and
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8 **WHEREAS**, the County uses pictometry imagery in its existing GIS (Geospacial
9 Information Systems) software application for many purposes including, without limitation,
10 applications for a variety of County services, permits, zoning, emergency response/9-1-1, police
11 investigations, and land use planning and development; and
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13 **WHEREAS**, the County’s current contract for pictometry services expires in 2014; and
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15 **WHEREAS**, the United States General Services Administration entered into Contract
16 GS-35F-0801N with Pictometry International Corp, a New York corporation, for the
17 procurement of pictometry services (the “GSA Contract”, attached as Exhibit A); and
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19 **WHEREAS**, the County wishes to piggyback on the GSA Contract and enter into an
20 Agreement (the “Agreement”) with Pictometry International Corp. (“Pictometry”), and a copy of
21 the Agreement is attached as Exhibit B; and
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23 **WHEREAS**, the term of the Agreement is six years and will cost approximately
24 \$444,900 over the entire six years; and
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26 **WHEREAS**, the Agreement requires the payment by the County of funds from an
27 appropriation in a later fiscal year and therefore requires County Council approval as a multi-year
28 agreement pursuant to Section 612 of the Howard County Charter.
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1 **NOW, THEREFORE,**

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3 ***Section 1. Be It Enacted*** by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland that in
4 *accordance with Section 612 of the Howard County Charter, it approves the terms of the*
5 *Agreement between Howard County and Pictometry International Corp., which shall be in*
6 *substantially the same form as Exhibit B attached to this Act.*

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8 ***Section 2. And Be It Further Enacted*** by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland that
9 *the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Agreement for such term in*
10 *the name of and on behalf of the County.*

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12 ***Section 3. And Be It Further Enacted*** by the County Council of Howard County, Maryland that
13 *this Act shall be effective immediately upon its enactment.*