



## CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

**FROM:** The Office of the City Manager    **DATE:** January 12, 2026

**SUBJECT:** Consider authorizing the purchase of annual hardware and software maintenance utilizing the Department of Information Resources (DIR) Cooperative Agreement with Red River Technology, LLC, for a cumulative amount not to exceed \$550,000 through November 25, 2029.

**PRESENTER:** Amy Stephens, Director of Information Technology

### **SUMMARY:**

Staff requests City Council to approve the renewal of annual maintenance for the City's hardware and software platforms, including the Pure data storage platform using DIR contract DIR-CPO-5400 in an amount not to exceed \$550,000 through the contract term of November 25, 2029.

### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION:**

Red River Technology, LLC is an authorized reseller for Pure Storage, Inc., which supports storage hardware, software, and related maintenance that is utilized by the City on an annual basis. This includes security patches and vendor support necessary to ensure system reliability, performance, and data availability.

Red River Technology, LLC participates in the Texas Department of Information Resources (DIR) Cooperative Purchasing Program. By utilizing DIR-CPO-5400, the City satisfies all state competitive procurement requirements. The proposed contract term extends through November 25, 2029, after all automatic renewals, with a total contract amount not to exceed \$550,000.

Funding for this purchase is included in the City's adopted Fiscal Year 2026 operating budget. As long as funds are appropriated in the City's annual budget each year, North Richland Hills would be able to take advantage of the available pricing, plus the standard percentage increases. Provided that the terms and conditions of the contracts do not change, the remaining renewals will not require additional City Council approval.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Authorize the purchase of annual hardware and software maintenance utilizing the Department of Information Resources (DIR) Cooperative Agreement with Red River



Technology, LLC, for a cumulative amount not to exceed \$550,000 through November 25, 2029.