



CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

FROM: The Office of the City Manager **DATE:** August 12, 2024
SUBJECT: Authorize the purchase of one outdoor warning siren from Federal Signal in the amount of \$37,235.40 through TIPS contract 220105.
PRESENTER: Stan Tinney, Fire Chief

SUMMARY:

North Richland Hills Office of Emergency Management (NRHOEM) is requesting to replace one outdoor warning siren with new siren equipment and a steel siren pole.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

The City of North Richland Hills has 10 outdoor warning sirens. These sirens were originally installed in 1998. Over the past several years we have repaired and replaced some of these sirens. NRHOEM would like to replace one of the 10 outdoor warning sirens with new siren equipment and replace the current wooden pole with a new, steel pole.

If authorized, the siren replacement will take place in the 7400 block of Deville Drive. The total amount is \$37,235.40. This will exceed \$50,000 total spending with this vendor this fiscal year. Funding for this item was included as part of the FY24 Adopted Operating Budget.

The Local Government Code states that purchases made through a cooperative purchasing agreement satisfy any state law that would require the city to solicit competitive bids. Federal Signal is an approved vendor through the TIPS contract 220105.

RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize the purchase of one outdoor warning siren from Federal Signal in the amount of \$37,235.40 through TIPS contract 220105.