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AN ORDINANCE BY FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO WAIVE THE SUBSTANTIAL SIMILARITY REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE X ("THE PROCUREMENT AND REAL ESTATE CODE") OF THE ATLANTA CITY CODE AND AUTHORIZE A COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENT UTILIZING GEORGIA TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY CONTRACT NUMBER 980-280014 WITH GARTNER, INC. FOR RESEARCH AND CONSULTANT SERVICES FOR ONE (1) YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 2010 AND ENDING ON MARCH 31, 2011 ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED SEVENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$78,000.00) ALL CONTRACTED WORK SHALL BE CHARGED TO AND PAID FROM FUND, DEPARTMENT ORGANIZATION AND ACCOUNT NUMBER 1001 (GENERAL FUND) 050102 (IT ADMINISTRATION) 5212001 (CONSULTING/PROFESSIONAL SERVICES) 1535000 (DATA ACCESSING/ MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM) AND *OR OTHER PURPOSES.

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Date Referred 03/15/10
 Referred To: Finance Exec.
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ADOPTED BY
APR 19 2010

COUNCIL

SUBSTITUTE

First Reading
 Committee Finance/Executive
 Date 3/10/10
 Chair John
 Referred To Finance/Executive

Committee Finance/Executive
 Date 3/11/10
 Chair John
 Action Fav/Adv, Hold (see rev. side)
 Other

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Committee
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 Chair
 Action
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FINAL COUNCIL ACTION
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 Readings
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 APR 19 2010
 ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT
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 APR 19 2010
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 MUNICIPAL CLERK

MAYOR'S ACTION

APPROVED
 APR 17 2010
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 MAYOR



**AN ORDINANCE
BY: FINANCE/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

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**AS SUBSTITUTED
BY: FULL COUNCIL**

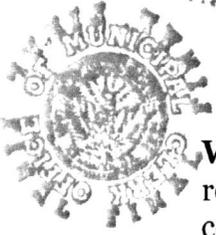
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WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta (“City”) desires to engage a qualified firm to assist the CIO in making technology decisions that minimize risks and maximize the return on the City’s IT investments; and

WHEREAS, Gartner’s research and consultant services enable the CIO to make decisions based on the best possible information and planning assumptions, develop negotiation strategies based on proven successful negotiating techniques, obtain assistance in preparing specifications for RFP solicitations, in addition to other services designed to assist in the long-term assessment, planning, and implementation of organizational technology goals and objectives; and

WHEREAS, the Georgia Technology Authority (“GTA”) entered into an agreement with Gartner, Inc. as a sole source for technology research and advisory services, however, GTA’s sole source designation may not substantially meet the sole source requirements in Atlanta City Code, Article X; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Information Officer has identified GTA Contract Number 980-28014 with Gartner Inc. as a source for a cooperative purchase of Research and Advisory services with attractive pricing; and



WHEREAS, the Chief Information Officer and the Chief Procurement Officer recommend utilizing GTA Contract Number 980-28014 with Gartner Inc. to cooperatively purchase Research and Advisory services for one (1) year beginning May 1, 2010 and ending April 30, 2011.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, HEREBY ORDAINS as follows:

SECTION 1: That the Mayor or his designee is authorized to enter into a cooperative purchasing agreement utilizing GTA Contract # 980-28014 with Gartner Inc., for Research and Advisory services for one (1) year beginning May 1, 2010 and ending April 30, 2011, in an amount not to exceed Seventy-Eight Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$78,000.00).

SECTION 2: That all contracted work will be charged to and paid from Fund, Department Organization and Account number 1001 (General Fund) 050102 (IT Administration) 5212001 (Consulting/Professional Services) 1535000 (Data Processing/Management Information System).

SECTION 3: That the Chief Procurement Officer is directed to assist the City Attorney in the preparation of the appropriate Agreement for execution by the Mayor or his designee.

SECTION 4: That the Agreement will not become binding upon the City and the City will incur no liability under it until it has been executed by the Mayor or his designee, attested to by the Municipal Clerk, approved by the City Attorney as to form and delivered to the contracted parties.

SECTION 5: That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, including but not limited to the requirement in Section 2-1606 that contracts from which the City cooperatively purchases goods or services substantially meet the requirements of Article X of the Atlanta City Code, are waived for this instance only.

A true copy,

ADOPTED by the Atlanta City Council
APPROVED by Mayor Kasim Reed

APR 19, 2010
APR 27, 2010


Municipal Clerk

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4/19/10
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Atlanta City Council

REGULAR SESSION

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WAIVE SUB.SIMILARITY REQ.OF ARTICLE X
AUTH.AGREE.W/GEORGIA TECHN.AUTH.
ADOPT ON SUB

YEAS: 12
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Bond
NV Hall	Y Wan	Y Martin	NV Watson
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Bottoms	Y Willis
B Winslow	Y Adrean	Y Sheperd	NV Mitchell

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