

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Councilors
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	Customization Services for the Court Management System
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	Finance Department

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It is requested that Council authorize the agreement for customization services for the Court Management System from Tyler Technologies (Dallas, TX) in the amount of \$98,115.00.

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Per Resolution #344-18, Council approved the purchase of the Odyssey Court Management System from Tyler Technologies. Additionally, per Resolution #237-21, Council authorized proceeding with this enhancement at a cost of \$39,790.00; however, the approach considered was investigated and rejected as a viable option necessitating an increase from previously approved amount to \$98,115.00. Consequently, the vendor is considered the Only Known Source for the customization, per the Procurement Ordinance Article 3-114.

Funds are budgeted in FY23 Budget: Special Projects – Capital Projects Fund – Capital Projects – General Fund Supported Capital Projects – Software Lease – Court Management System Upgrade OLOST; 0508 - 660 - 1000 - CPGF - 6541 - 22945 – 20200.

**A RESOLUTION**

**NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT FOR CUSTOMIZATION SERVICES FOR THE COURT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FROM TYLER TECHNOLOGIES (DALLAS, TX) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$98,115.00.**

**WHEREAS**, Tyler Technologies will develop custom enhancements to the Muscogee County Odyssey Court Management System aiming to reduce the number of manual steps required to move cases between the Courts. In Columbus Recorder and Municipal Courts, a significant number of cases are "Bound-Over" to either Muscogee State or Muscogee Superior Courts. The custom enhancements will allow cases to more effectively move between the courts; and,

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**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

That the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute the agreement for customization services for the Court Management System from Tyler Technologies (Dallas, TX) in the amount of \$98,115.00. Funds are budgeted in FY23 Budget: Special Projects – Capital Projects Fund – Capital Projects – General Fund Supported Capital Projects – Software Lease – Court Management System Upgrade OLOST 0508 - 660 - 1000 - CPGF - 6541 - 22945 – 20200.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of members of said Council.

- Councilor Allen voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Barnes voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Cogle voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Crabb voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Davis voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Garrett voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor House voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Huff voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Thomas voting \_\_\_\_\_.
- Councilor Tucker voting \_\_\_\_\_.

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Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

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B.H. “Skip” Henderson III, Mayor