

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-R-110

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE PURCHASE ORDERS TO DELL FINANCIAL SERVICES, LLC, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$104,465.00), FOR THE LEASE-PURCHASE OF COMPUTER HARDWARE AND ACCESSORIES, UTILIZING THE COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROVISION PURSUANT TO SEC. 7-169 OF THE CITY CODE, ON A CONTRACT AWARDED THROUGH THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICIALS (“NASPO”); PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the National Association of State Procurement Officials (“NASPO”) is a cooperative comprised of Chief Procurement Officials from all fifty (50) states that facilitates the administration of the NASPO cooperative contracting for the benefit of state departments, institutions, agencies, political subdivisions as well as other eligible entities including cities, counties, special districts, community colleges, universities and non-profit organizations; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 31, 2014, NASPO, a nationally known purchasing cooperative, opened competitive Solicitation *No. MNWNC-108 - Computer Equipment (desktops, laptops, tablets, servers, and storage, and ruggedized devices, including related peripherals & services)* with the State of Minnesota serving as the lead agency; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of this competitive solicitation, Dell Financial Services, LLC (“Vendor”) was selected as part of a pool of vendors to provide computer equipment, peripherals and services, for an initial term commencing April 1, 2015 through March 31, 2017, based on Master Agreement *No. MNWNC-108*, and subsequently extended through July 31, 2022, at the same prices, terms, and conditions; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed lease-purchase of the Dell computers and accessories is part of the IT Department’s initiative for a phased replacement of computer equipment throughout the City administration and to better leverage the currently budgeted equipment fund through the use of this lease-purchase financing program; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 7-169 of the City Code authorizes the City to participate in cooperative purchasing agreements for the procurement of supplies or services with one (1) or more public entities; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 7-169 of the City Code, the City administration respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council authorize the City Manager to issue purchase orders to Vendor for the provision of computer hardware and accessories in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Four Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$104,465.00), based on a competitive price to the City; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council find the purchase of computer equipment at a substantial savings, in accordance with the cooperative Solicitation, is in the best interest of the City.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1. Authority of City Manager.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the City Manager to issue purchase orders to Dell Financial Services, LLC in the aggregate amount not to exceed One Hundred Four Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$104,465.00), utilizing the cooperative purchasing provision pursuant to Sec. 7-169 of the City Code, on a contract awarded through the NASPO national cooperative and based on Master Agreement *No. MNWNC-108*.

**Section 2. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall be effective upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by a 3-0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 12th day of July, 2022.

  
PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



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JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Galvin

Seconded by: Timothe

**Vote:**

Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime	<u> X </u> (Yes) _____ (No)
Vice Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.	_____ (Yes) _____ (No) Absent
Councilman Scott Galvin	<u> X </u> (Yes) _____ (No)
Councilwoman Kassandra Timothe, MPA	<u> X </u> (Yes) _____ (No)
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin	_____ (Yes) _____ (No) Absent