

Staff Report for Council Meeting

Date of Meeting: November 25, 2020 Report Number: SRCFS.20.035

Department: Corporate and Financial Services

Division: Information Technology

Subject: SRCFS.20.035 - Renewal of Proprietary Software

Product

Purpose:

The Information Technology Division is seeking approval to renew an existing annual software maintenance agreement based on proprietary software already in use at the City of Richmond Hill (the City).

Recommendation(s):

- a) That the sole source renewal of proprietary software title be authorized, including the purchase of annual software license true-ups.
- b) That the Chief Information Officer be authorized to execute any and all necessary documentation to effect, the contract including any exercised optional term(s).

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Report Approval:

Submitted by: Sherry Adams, Commissioner of Corporate and Financial Services

Approved by: Mary-Anne Dempster, City Manager

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Background:

The City utilizes the proprietary application where only the vendor sells the maintenance services. This particular application is still within its expected lifecycle and as such, must be maintained.

Prior to the approval of the new procurement (113-16) and financial control (114-16) By-Laws, existing annual software renewals were processed through the By-Law exemption (58-10), Schedule "A" – Item 5(n).

Financial/Staffing/Other Implications:

The total value of the approval is \$ 226,374.02, including annual true-up purchases. The table below represents the software title and the planned renewal term based on the expected age and lifecycle, and is currently on the roadmap to be replaced with the City's RHhub implementation.

Software Name	Software Vendor	Contract Renewal Term
Cayenta (Financial System)	N. HARRIS COMPUTER CORPORATION	1 Year

Relationship to the Strategic Plan:

The maintenance and support as identified in this report demonstrates an ongoing commitment to responsible municipal management and the wise use of municipal resources.

Conclusion:

The Information Technology Division recommends renewing existing annual proprietary software maintenance agreement listed above, including annual true-up licenses.

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Report Approval Details

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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

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