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## PUBLIC NOTICE COOPERATIVE PROCUREMENT

Notice is hereby given that the City of Albany intends to establish a contract with Dell Marketing L.P. in Plano, Texas to purchase hardware and employee workstations. The intent is to use an interstate cooperative contract established for technology solutions, products and services solicited by the National Cooperative Purchasing Alliance (NCPA), a wholly owned subsidiary of OMNIA Partners, of Franklin, Tennessee, in accordance with ORS 279A.220. Entering into a contract with Dell Marketing L.P. is in the best interest of the City and will maintain consistent workstation procurement specifications, installation, and repair procedures, and provide time savings throughout City departments. The purchase for the employee workstations and technology products is approximately \$250,000 annually.

The City is a member of OMNIA and will benefit from the cost savings provided by the cooperative contract NCPA awarded to Dell Marketing L.P., #01-153, on December 1, 2022, resulting from Solicitation #45-22 using a competitive Request for Proposals. Dell Marketing L.P. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dell Inc and provides information technology managed infrastructure services. The purpose of this notice is to provide information to the public and to give interested persons an opportunity to submit written comment.

Any vendor may submit comments specific to this notice within seven days of the date of this public notice and the City shall respond with a written determination. Protests shall be handled pursuant to ORS 279A.225(2) and 279B.415 to 279B.420.

Written protests must be delivered to Diane Murzynski, Contracts & Procurement Officer, in the Finance Department of the City of Albany no later than 5:00 p.m., February 2, 2024. Written protests received after the closing date and time are late and will not be considered. Protests must be submitted by email to <a href="mailto:procurement@albanyoregon.gov">procurement@albanyoregon.gov</a>.

This notice is given in accordance with provisions of the Oregon Revised Statutes, 279A.200 to 279A.225, and Oregon Administrative Rules, 137-046-0400 to 137-046-0470.

DATED THIS 26TH DAY OF JANUARY 2024.

Diane M. Murzynski, NIGP-CPP, CPPO, CPPB

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