



Memorandum

Date: 5/19/2026
Meeting of: City Council

File No. AM No. 26-076
Type: Consent Item

TO: Members of the City Council
FROM: Mayor Angela Birney
DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR CONTACT(S):

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DEPARTMENT STAFF:

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TITLE:

Approval of 2026 Aerial Photography, Lidar, and Supplementals, Through the eGovCity Alliance, in the Amount of \$94,764

OVERVIEW STATEMENT:

We propose to participate in a regional aerial imagery and LiDAR acquisition through the eGovCity Alliance. Participating collaboratively allows us to share costs while ensuring consistent, high-quality data across jurisdictions.

Additional Background Information/Description of Proposal Attached

REQUESTED ACTION:

Receive Information Provide Direction Approve

REQUEST RATIONALE:

- **Relevant Plans/Policies:**
N/A
- **Required:**
Council approval is required for contracts exceeding \$50,000.
- **Council Request:**
N/A
- **Other Key Facts:**
N/A

OUTCOMES:

This effort will provide updated high-resolution imagery and elevation data to support the development of contours, impervious surface, tree canopy analysis, and building height information. These datasets are foundational to a wide range of City functions, including planning, infrastructure management, and environmental analysis.

COMMUNITY/STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH AND INVOLVEMENT:

- **Timeline (previous or planned):**
Work will be complete in the Summer of 2026.
- **Outreach Methods and Results:**
N/A
- **Feedback Summary:**
N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

Total Cost:
\$94,764

Approved in current biennial budget: **Yes** **No** **N/A**

Budget Offer Number:
Environmental Sustainability

Budget Priority:
Healthy and Sustainable, BTIP

Other budget impacts or additional costs: **Yes** **No** **N/A**
If yes, explain:
N/A

Funding source(s):
Stormwater Utility Funds
BTIP - Environmental Sustainability Data and Tools

Budget/Funding Constraints:
The funds are earmarked for Environmental Sustainability work

Additional budget details attached

COUNCIL REVIEW:

Previous Contact(s)

| Date | Meeting | Requested Action |
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| 5/12/2026 | Committee of the Whole - Finance, Administration, and Communications | Provide Direction |

Proposed Upcoming Contact(s)

| Date | Meeting | Requested Action |
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| N/A | None proposed at this time | N/A |

Time Constraints:

The aerals and lidar are being scheduled with the larger consortium for the summer of 2026.

ANTICIPATED RESULT IF NOT APPROVED:

The City will continue to work with outdated tree canopy and impervious surface imagery.

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment A: GeoTerra Proposal