



PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
County Of Hidalgo
MEMORANDUM

“SOLE SOURCE DECLARATION”

To: Hidalgo County Commissioners Court

From: Martha L. Salazar
Hidalgo County Purchasing Agent *mls*

Date: August 18, 2015

Re: “Sole Source Declaration” – Mobile Relays

Hidalgo County utilizes Mobile Radios for communication and operational purposes. The end users require strong signal coverage in order to access all county areas. Thorough research confirms that there are [only] two [2] mobile radio communication and equipment providers in Hidalgo County. However, only one has complete county coverage. Only one has the ability to upgrade the current radios from analog to digital. Only one has a repeater installed at one of their antenna sites [HCDD#1].

Furthermore, the Purchasing Department has attached the research findings as part of the agenda item as supporting documentation.

Therefore, Hidalgo County declares Mobile Relay Partners, LTD as the Sole Source for the purchase of mobile radio equipment/accessories and communication with related services on an as needed basis for applicable end users.

The authority to purchase these products/services from Mobile Relay Partners, LTD by Hidalgo County Elected Offices, Programs or Agencies (through all funding sources) will remain in effect unless otherwise revoked by HCCC.