

FINAL RANKINGS: MERCHANT CREDIT CARD SERVICES

1/30/2009

INTERVIEWED VENDORS

EVALUATORS	Hamer Enterprises	Official Payments	Certified Payments	Gov-Pay
Linda Gunter	3	4	2	1
Animal Shelter				
Delma Doggett	1	2	3	4
JP2				
Robert Chody	2	3	1	4
Constables, Pct 1				
Celia Villarreal	3	2	1	4
Treasurer				
Bobby Gutierrez	1.5	4	1.5	3
Constable, Pct 3	(tie, 1st place)		(tie, 1st place)	
Nancy Rister	4	2	1	3
County Clerk				
Joe Pondrom	3	2	1	4
Tax Office				
Jessica Schmidt	*	2	1	*
JP4				
Judge Dain Johnson	2	3	1	4
JP1				
Total Pts:	19.5	24	12.5	27
# of Evaluators:	8	9	9	8
Avg. Place:	2.44	2.67	1.38	3.38
Place:	2nd	3rd	1st	4th

Each evaluator was asked to rank the final 4 interviewing firms in order: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place. 1st place is worth 1 point, 2nd place is 2 points, 3rd place is 3 points, and 4th place is 4 points. For ties, such as a tie for 1st place, both firms received the average of 1st and 2nd places, which equals 1.5 points. Adding up the total places for each firm equals the firm's total points. The total points for each firm are divided by the number of ranking evaluators which creates an average place. The lower the average place, the better the final place.

* JP4 determined that they could not provide rankings for Hamer or Gov-Pay. To not adversely affect the scoring or penalize any firm, all average places were determined by the number of evaluators that ranked each particular firm. Gov-Pay and Hamer's total points were divided by 8 evaluators, while the other 2 firms' total points were each divided by 9 evaluators that provided rankings.