



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE**  
**City Commission Agenda Memo**  
**REGULAR MEETING**

**#13-0791**

**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the  
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** Lee Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** June 18, 2013

**TITLE:** Motion to approve proprietary purchase of annual support for operating  
system software for the financial accounting and budget preparation  
software systems - \$84,317

**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve the proprietary purchase of operating systems software for the Financial Accounting Management Information System (FAMIS) and Budget Preparation (BPREP) software in the annual amount of \$84,317 from International Business Machines Corporation (IBM).

**Background**

The City's financial accounting and budget preparation software, FAMIS/BPREP, operates using the proprietary "IBM" operating system. An operating system (commonly abbreviated OS and O/S) is the infrastructure software component of a computer system; it is responsible for the management and coordination of activities and sharing of the resources of the computer. Bundled with the OS are ancillary tools that work together with the FAMIS/BPREP software. The bundled components include: network applications, compilers, file sorting utilities and library/file management tools.

The annual license fee renews on July 1, 2013. Since payments to IBM are made on a quarterly basis, only the first quarter will be paid from the current fiscal year.

**Resource Impact**

There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$21,079.25. Future expenditures are contingent upon approval and appropriation of the annual budget for FY 2014.

**FUNDS AVAILABILTY LOCATION:**

FY	FUND	SUB FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	SUB OBJ #	SUBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2013	581	01	Central Services	ITS040101	Application Services	3401	Computer Maintenance	\$21,079.25
2014	581	01	Central Services	ITS040101	Application Services	3401	Computer Maintenance	\$63,237.75

<b>TOTAL</b>	\$84,317.00
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