

Contract with CDW Government LLC for Lenovo Laptop Supply Services

Rider Experience & Operations Committee

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Why we are here

- Seeking authorization today to execute a contract with CDW-Government LLC to provide Lenovo computer hardware and recycling services in an amount not to exceed \$10,000,00 plus taxes.

Overview

Proposed Action – New contract for Lenovo computers

- Cooperative “piggyback” contract: OMNIA Partners Public Sector Contract with CDW-Government
- Through April 2026 plus two one-year options, aligned to the piggyback term
- Contract total = \$10M plus taxes, inclusive of option years
- This action anticipates using funding already budgeted and reasonably assumed future budget

Lenovo Benefits

Transition to Lenovo computers will reduce costs

- Lower cost per user for a Lenovo laptop or desktop computer vs. Dell as the prior agency standard.
- The Lenovo contract has an improved discount per computer, improved hardware specifications, and improved support services
- Includes computers for new employees and contractors, as well as replacing aged equipment
- Includes recycling services for end-of-life computers

Procurement Information

Piggyback Contract

- This Purchase Order contract will be issued pursuant to OMNIA Partners cooperative purchasing Contract
- Allows Sound Transit to take advantage of the discounts afforded by this multi-agency procurement mechanism

Thank you.



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