

ORDINANCE NO. 004-09

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING PUBLIC
BIDDING DISADVANTAGEOUS AND
AUTHORIZING PROFESSIONAL
CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE
SPRING 2004 ROSTER
IMPLEMENTATION AT THE NORTH
PARK AND 74TH STREET BUS
GARAGES

WHEREAS, The CTA relies on the Scheduling Department for timely development and implementation of efficient crew schedules that conform to contractual work rules negotiated under the collective bargaining process; and

WHEREAS, The November 2003 Interest Arbitration Award between the Authority and Amalgamated Transit Union, Local 241 provides for work rule changes that will afford CTA significant operating savings estimated at \$1.5 million for year 2004, if these work rule changes are implemented early in the year; and

WHEREAS, In order to maintain compliance specified under the Interest Arbitration Award, the Schedules Department requires the services of a professional consultant for rapid and immediate implementation of these work-rule changes, including the creation of rosters at North Park and 74th Street Bus Garages; and

WHEREAS, Transportation Management & Design, Inc., the Authority's recent contractor for Schedules Efficiencies Reviews, can provide these services; and

WHEREAS, No other contractor could provide these services in the time frame needed by the Authority; and

WHEREAS, Section 54.3-5 of the Regulations Governing Purchase and Sales Transactions provides for the award of contracts in those situations where the Transit Board determines that competitive bidding would be disadvantageous; now, therefore:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CHICAGO TRANSIT BOARD
OF THE CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. That based on the statements set forth in the preamble of this ordinance, the Transit Board hereby determines that competitive bidding for this service is disadvantageous.

SECTION 2. That the Chairman of the Chicago Transit Board, or her designee, is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Transportation Management & Design, Inc. for a period of six (6) months, in an amount not to exceed Eighty Five Thousand Dollars (\$85,000.00) under Requisition No. C04OP100019035.

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SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:

PASSED:

Chairman

January 28, 2004

Assistant Secretary

January 28, 2004