

ORDINANCE NO. 88 19

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING
NEGOTIATIONS AND EXECUTION
OF A PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING
SERVICES AGREEMENT TO ASSIST
CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY IN
EXAMINING ITS PROCUREMENT
FUNCTION AND RE-ORGANIZING
ITS PROCEDURES, PRACTICES
AND STAFFING ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, The operation of the Chicago Transit Authority's procurement function has a direct bearing upon the Authority's daily operation, maintenance of its facilities and cost of providing reliable public transit to the citizens of Chicago, and

WHEREAS, The performance of the Chicago Transit Authority's procurement function directly impacts the Authority's operating cost and expenditures under grant funding provided by the Urban Mass Transportation Administration, the Illinois Department of Transportation, the Regional Transportation Authority and the City of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, The operation of the Chicago Transit Authority's procurement function also effects the ability of the Authority to obtain grant funding from the aforementioned agencies; and

WHEREAS, The Executive Management of the Chicago Transit Authority recognizes the necessity to periodically examine the procurement practices and the efficiency of those practices in comparison to those employed by similar public transportation agencies; and

WHEREAS, The professional consulting firm of ATE Management and Service Company, Inc., has proposed to provide management consulting to the Chicago Transit Authority to assist the Authority in examining its procurement function and re-organizing its procedures, practices and staffing assignments; now, therefore:

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

SECTION 1. The Chicago Transit Authority hereby acknowledges the expertise of ATE Management and Service Company, Inc., in the field of procurement and materials management and recognizes the necessity to review and reorganize its procurement operation in a timely manner.

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SECTION 2. That the Chairman of the Board, or his designate, is authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement with ATE Management and Service Company, Inc., on a non-competitive basis, for management consulting services to assist the Chicago Transit Authority in examining its procurement function and re organizing its procedures, practices and staffing assignments.

SECTION 3. That the total dollar value of the contract resulting from the negotiations with ATE Management and Service Company, Inc., shall not exceed the amount of \$227,200. payable to the consultant.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:


Chairman

PASSED:


Secretary

February 3, 1988

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