CITY OF ORLANDO

MEMORANDUM

To: David Billingsley, Chief Procurement Officer

From: Rosa Akhtarkhavari, Chief Information Officer

Date: March 23, 2016

Subject: Carahsoft – Internet Security Service

The Technology Management Department (TM) is requesting approval to renew Akamai's Internet Security Service from Carahsoft. The Akamai service provides an added security layer to the City of Orlando's Internet presence. Because of the nature of threats on the Internet, this level of service is paramount to protecting the City's data, interests and reputation.

On November 17, 2014, City Council approved the purchase of Akamai from Carahsoft utilizing GSA Schedule GS-35F-0119Y. The City Council item specifically stated the service would be for a period of one year instead of allowing annual renewals. Therefore, in order to continue to utilize Akamai, this year's renewal requires City Council approval. Since Akamai is an essential cloud security services, it is recommended the new City Council approval allow annual renewals. The annual cost of the service is approximately $168,711.

Please contact Rosa Akhtarkhavari with any questions or concerns at 407-246-2124.