

# City of San Antonio



## AGENDA

### City Council A Session

Municipal Plaza Building  
114 W. Commerce Street  
San Antonio, Texas 78205

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**Thursday, March 27, 2025**

**9:00 AM**

**Municipal Plaza Building**

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The City Council will hold its regular meeting in the Norma S. Rodriguez Council Chamber in the Municipal Plaza Building beginning at the above referenced date and time for the following items. Once convened, the City Council will take up the following items in any order during the meeting but no sooner than the designated times.

#### **9:00AM: Call to Order**

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Government Code.

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8. Ordinance approving an amendment to the Dataminr, Inc., contract for First Alert licenses for the San Antonio Police Department, (a) extending the term of the contract for a six-month period ending September 30, 2025, for \$27,500; and (b) adding two, one-year renewal options for \$127,050, for a total estimated amount of \$154,550 for this amendment. Funding is from the State Homeland Security Program Grant. [Ben Gorzell Jr., Chief Financial Officer; Troy Elliott, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Finance]

### **THE CITY COUNCIL MAY RECESS FOR LUNCH AND RECONVENE TO CONSIDER ANY UNFINISHED COUNCIL BUSINESS**

6:00 P.M. – If the Council has not yet adjourned, the presiding officer shall entertain a motion to continue the council meeting, postpone the remaining items to the next council meeting date, or recess and reconvene the meeting at a specified time on the following day.

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# City of San Antonio

## Agenda Memorandum

### File Number:

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**Agenda Item Number:** 8

**Agenda Date:** March 27, 2025

**In Control:** City Council A Session

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**DEPARTMENT:** Finance Department

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:** Troy Elliott

**COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED:** Citywide

**SUBJECT:**

Amendment 2 for SAPD First Alert Licenses

**SUMMARY:**

This ordinance approves Amendment No. 2 with Dataminr, Inc. to extend the contract term by six-months through September 30, 2025, for an estimated cost of \$27,500 and includes two, one year renewal options under the same terms and conditions, inclusive of 5 licenses, for a cost of \$127,050, for a total estimated contract amount of \$154,550. Funding is available from the State Homeland Security Program Grant. Funding for subsequent years is contingent upon Council approval of the annual budget.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

On April 7, 2022, City Council approved Ordinance 2022-04-07-0228 for a three-year contract with Dataminr, Inc. for First Alert Licenses for SAPD. The contract included the purchase of five licenses for subscription services to Dataminr's real-time alert platform which will expire March 31, 2025. This contract amendment will renew the existing contract for a six-month period through September 30, 2025, and will provide two, one-year renewal options under the same terms and conditions except price.

This purchase was made utilizing a sole source exemption to allow SAPD to continue utilizing First Alert licenses with Dataminr, Inc. to provide a unique, customizable incident detection and alerting functionality across all publicly posted Tweets, allowing first responders to know critical information quickly and respond accordingly. Dataminr, Inc. is licensed to source from the top social media platforms to report their posts and activities. Dataminr, Inc. is the only certified Official X, formally known as Twitter, Data Partner providing a solution specifically for event detection designed for the Public Sector. Dataminr Inc.'s incident detection and alerting system is the only certified official X Data Partner with proprietary real-time and direct public X application programming interface (API) access.

This contract amendment will provide for the continuity of service of the current First Alert Licenses for SAPD through September 30, 2025; two additional, one-year renewals at the City's option will also be authorized by this ordinance.

#### **ISSUE:**

This Amendment No. 2 will extend the term of the existing agreement for a six-month period, with the option to renew for two additional, one-year periods, with Dataminr, Inc. for the continued use of five individual licenses for First Alert product for SAPD.

The Small Business Economic Development Advocacy (SBEDA) Ordinance does not apply to contract amendments.

This contract amendment is an exception to the Local Preference Program.

The Veteran-Owned Business Program does not apply to this amendment, so no preference was applied to this contract.

#### **ALTERNATIVES:**

Should this contract amendment not be approved, the SAPD would not have X, formally known as Twitter, data alerting functionalities and incident detention capabilities which allows first responders to know critical information quickly and respond accordingly.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

This ordinance approves Amendment No. 2 with Dataminr, Inc. to extend the contract term for a six-month period through September 30, 2025, for five First Alert licenses for the San Antonio Police Department (SAPD) for an estimated cost of \$27,500. Amendment No. 2 also provides for two, one year renewal options under the same terms and conditions for \$127,050, for a total estimated amount of \$154,550. Funding is available from the State Homeland Security Program Grant. Funding for subsequent years is contingent upon Council approval of the annual budget.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of contract Amendment No. 2.

This contract was procured by means of a sole source exemption and a Contracts Disclosure Form is not required.



CONTRACT NAME:	SAPD, First Alert Licenses
CONTRACT NUMBER:	RFO No. 6100014976; City Contract No. 4400006706
VENDOR NAME:	Dataminr, Inc.
VENDOR ADDRESS:	135 Madison Ave., 9 <sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10016
ATTN:	Gary Hacker
AMENDMENT NUMBER:	2
EFFECTIVE DATE OF AMENDMENT:	Upon approval by the San Antonio City Council

*Whereas*, pursuant to Ordinance No. 2022-04-07-0228, the City of San Antonio (“City”) and Dataminr, Inc. (“Dataminr”) entered into a contract to provide the San Antonio Police Department with First Alert licenses for subscription services to Dataminr’s real-time alerting platform, which began January 1, 2022, and, as renewed and extended expires on March 31, 2025 (the “Contract”); and

*Whereas*, parties wish to amend the Contract to extend the term for a six-month period ending September 30, 2025, and to add two additional, one-year renewal options; and

*Whereas*, this amendment is authorized pursuant to the section entitled “Amendments” in 006, General Terms & Conditions of the above referenced contract.

## 1. AMENDMENTS

1.1 Section 05 – SUPPLEMENTAL TERMS & CONDITIONS, Original Contract Term and Renewals, are hereby revised to extend the term for a six-month period ending September 30, 2025, and to add two additional, one-year renewal options, and read as follows:

### Contract Term.

This contract began on January 1, 2022, and shall terminate on **September 30, 2025**.

### Renewals.

At City’s option, this Contract may be renewed under the same terms and conditions for two (2) additional one (1) year period(s). Renewals shall be in writing and signed by Director, without further

action by the San Antonio City Council, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefor.

1.2 Attachment A – Price Schedule is revised to add:

<b>TERM:</b>	<b>LICENSE TYPE:</b>	<b>Fee Per License</b>	<b>Total Fees</b>
April 1, 2025 through September 30, 2025	5 Individual Use Licenses solely for use by Authorized Users	\$11,000	\$27,500
Option Year from October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2026	5 Individual Use Licenses solely for use by Authorized Users	\$12,100	\$60,500
Option Year from October 1, 2026, through September 30, 2027	5 Individual Use Licenses solely for use by Authorized Users	\$13,310	\$66,550

2. PROVISIONS REMAIN IN EFFECT

All other terms, conditions, covenants, and provisions of the above referenced contract, as previously amended, not specifically mentioned herein and revised by this document, are retained in their entirety, unchanged, and remain in full force in effect for the duration of said contract, and any renewals thereafter.

3. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This contract, as amended, embodies the complete agreement of the parties hereto with regard to the subject matter contained herein, superseding all oral or written previous and contemporary agreements between the parties relating to matters herein.

**EXECUTED** and **AGREED** to as of the dates indicated below. This Amendment may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and constitute one and the same instrument.

**CITY OF SAN ANTONIO**

**DATAMINR, INC.**

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(Signature)

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*Gary Hacker*

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(Signature)

Printed Name: Angelica Mata

Title: Assistant Finance Director

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: Gary Hacker

Title: General Counsel

Date: February 12, 2025

Approved as to Form:

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Assistant City Attorney

Please return this amendment to the Finance Department, Procurement Division, via email to [Karla.Holten@sanantonio.gov](mailto:Karla.Holten@sanantonio.gov)



**THIS IS A DRAFT AND WILL BE REPLACED BY THE FINAL,  
SIGNED ORDINANCE ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.**

**ORDINANCE**

**APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE DATAMINR, INC., CONTRACT FOR FIRST ALERT LICENSES FOR THE SAN ANTONIO POLICE DEPARTMENT, (A) EXTENDING THE TERM OF THE CONTRACT FOR A SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2025, FOR \$27,500.00; AND (B) ADDING TWO, ONE-YEAR RENEWAL OPTIONS FOR \$127,050.00, FOR A TOTAL ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF \$154,550.00 FOR THIS AMENDMENT. FUNDING IS AVAILABLE FROM THE STATE HOMELAND SECURITY PROGRAM GRANT.**

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**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ordinance No. 2022-04-07-0228, the City of San Antonio (“City”) and Datamir, Inc. (“Datamir”) entered into a contract to provide the San Antonio Police Department (SAPD) with First Alert licenses for subscription services to Datamir’s real-time alerting platform, which began January 1, 2022, and, as renewed and extended expires on March 31, 2025 (the “Contract”); and

**WHEREAS**, approval of this ordinance authorizes Amendment No. 2 to the Contract, which (a) extends the term of the contract for a six-month period ending September 30, 2025, for a cost of \$27,500.00; and (b) adds two, one-year renewal options for \$127,050.00, for a total estimated amount of \$154,550.00 for this amendment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Texas Local Government Code indicates that competitive bidding is not required under section 252.022(a)(7)(A), which provides for any items that are available only from a sole source of supply; and

**WHEREAS**, all expenditures will be in accordance with the applicable fiscal year’s budget approved by City Council; **NOW THEREFORE:**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:**

**SECTION 1.** This Amendment No. 2 to the Datamir, Inc., contract for First Alert licenses for the San Antonio Police Department (the “Amendment”) is hereby approved in all things. A copy of the Amendment is attached hereto as **Exhibit I**.

**SECTION 2.** Current funding is available from General Ledger 5203080, Internal Order Number 120000000263 and Fund 2205620037 entitled “24-25 SHSP”, for a total amount up to \$154,550.00. Payment not to exceed the budgeted amount is authorized to Datamir, Inc.

**SECTION 3.** The financial allocations in this ordinance are subject to approval by the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Deputy Chief Financial Officer may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or designee, correct allocations to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this ordinance.

**SECTION 4.** This ordinance is effective immediately upon passage by eight or more affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective on the tenth day after passage.

**PASSED and APPROVED** this \_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

**M A Y O R**  
Ron Nirenberg

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Debbie Racca-Sittre, City Clerk

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Andrew Segovia, City Attorney