

Introduced: Mr. Putens
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RESOLUTION NUMBER 972

A RESOLUTION TO NEGOTIATE THE PURCHASE OF CITATION COLLECTION SERVICES FROM DATA TICKET, INC., OF NEWPORT BEACH, CALIFORNIA

WHEREAS, the City desires to hire a vendor to collect outstanding parking citations and manage the database for current and future citations; and

WHEREAS, there is approximately \$800,000 owed to the City in delinquent parking tickets; and

WHEREAS, the collection of delinquent parking tickets is a specialized business requiring an understanding of the motor vehicle laws in all 50 states; and

WHEREAS, Data Ticket of Newport Beach, California, is an expert in this business and has successfully performed this type of work for the City in the past; and

WHEREAS, staff has negotiated a proposal to perform this work in which Data Ticket retains forty (40) percent of certain uncollected citations; is paid \$0.64 for each delinquency notice sent; and, for tickets issued after July 2003, is paid a \$3.00 fee per citation for database management; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that the City Manager be authorized to enter into an agreement with Data Ticket as outlined in its proposal.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at its regular meeting of June 7, 2004.

Judith F. Davis, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathleen Gallagher, City Clerk