

BID AWARD RECOMMENDATION

To: Council Chair Date: August 13, 2026
Through: Dave Somers, County Executive RFP No: RFP-25-0587JM-C
From: Purchasing Division Owner/User Department: Department of Information Technology
General Legislative Session: Weds, August 19, 2026 Funding: General Fund
Product/Service: Software, Quest Active Roles

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

A competitive Request for Proposals – Software (RFP-C) was issued for software license renewals related to centralized identity and access management solutions. The Snohomish County Department of Information Technology currently employs Quest Active Roles, which was previously competed under ITB 22-044JM, in accordance with SCC 3.04.160. The initially-proposed cost increase for 2025 would have represented a 30% increase over the initial bid award, necessitating a new competition.

This RFP-C established a new master agreement for Quest Active Roles. The initial award term will be for five (5) years, ending October 29, 2030, with the option to extend for additional five-year terms for the life of the product's use by the County. Total expenditure for the initial five-year term is anticipated to be approximately \$350,000.00. The aggregate spend to date is over \$50,000, thus requiring Council approval.

In accordance with RFP-25-0587JM-C, proposals were ranked using the following evaluation criteria:

- Price/cost
- Adherence to RFP requirements

PROPOSERS:

1. TommyTQL
2. Axelliant
3. vPrime Tech
4. vCloud Tech
5. Magoon LLC

TommyTQL is the highest ranked proposer and is recommended for award and master agreement.

AWARD AUTHORITY:

This purchasing award recommendation is before the County Council for approval to award in accordance with Snohomish County Code section 3.04.120, "Formal sealed bidding," and section 3.04.140(11), "Award, execution, by whom," which establish the County Council as the award authority for approval of contracts for services greater than \$50,000. The County Council approves this purchasing award recommendation and authorizes the County Executive or designee to execute Agreements and subsequent amendments for the products described above.

AWARD RECOMMENDATION:

The Information Technology Department Director endorses this award recommendation.
The Purchasing Manager, or designee, has electronically recommended this bid award on ECAF 2026-2117.
The County Executive, or designee, has electronically recommended this bid award on ECAF 2026-2117.
The County Council has authorized the Executive's Office to approve this bid award under Motion 26-2117.

APPROVED:

Council Chair

Date