

**SUBMITTAL TO THE FLOOD CONTROL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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**FROM:** General Manager-Chief Engineer

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
August 9, 2005

**SUBJECT:** Software Maintenance and Support Select Subscription  
Bentley Systems, Incorporated

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

1. Approve the sole source software maintenance and support contract between the District and Bentley Systems, Incorporated;
2. Approve a 3-year optional renewal plan;
3. Direct the Purchasing Department to issue a purchase order on behalf of the District.

**BACKGROUND:**

The District staff has been utilizing computer aided design and drafting (CADD), plotting and civil engineering software from Bentley Systems, Incorporated for over 16 years and is a primary tool for the engineers and technicians. These software products streamline the staff's daily work flow as they design channels, produce records of survey, generate topographical maps and subsequently plot these to paper maps. We have also developed some custom applications with Visual Basic that work specifically within Microstation CADD that automate some functions for the mapping and engineering groups.

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**WARREN D. WILLIAMS**  
General Manager-Chief Engineer

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. District Cost:	\$34,987	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
	Current F.Y. County Cost:	\$0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net District Cost:	\$0	For Fiscal Year:	05-06

<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS:</b>	<b>Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
48080 947320 523840 Data Processing Computer Equipment - Software	<b>Requires 4/5 Vote</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:** **APPROVE**

**County Executive Office Signature**

- Dep't Recomm.:  Consent  Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.:  Consent  Policy

*Warren D. Williams*  
Departmental Concurrence

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To continue receiving software upgrades and patches we need to renew our Select Subscription with Bentley Systems for Fiscal Year 2005-06.

Through the Select Subscription we will continue to receive technical assistance for software malfunctions or for assistance with new features either through e-mail, telephone or online. Additionally, through the Select Subscription we can make use of the license pooling feature so that the software can be installed on more engineering workstations without having to buy more licenses.

This is a sole source purchase since the software is proprietary to Bentley Systems, Incorporated and no other supplier provides software upgrades, license renewals and technical support for Microstation, InterPlot and InRoads software.

The cost of the Bentley Select Subscription is fair and reasonable as CMAS pricing has been quoted. The District recommends approval of a multi-year agreement (up to 3 years maximum) for renewal annually by mutual agreement of both parties.

**FINANCIAL:**

Funds for the software maintenance and support contract are included in the District's Data Processing budget for FY 2005-06.