

## City of Pittsburgh

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## **Text File**

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**Committee:** Committee on Innovation, Performance and Asset Management

Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Innovation & Performance to enter into a one (1) year agreement with ZenCity, with the option to renew for another year. ZenCity is a SaaS, which analyzes data from social media, city hotlines and other relevant sources, and provides local government stakeholders with detailed, real time insights about citizen's sentiment during COVID-19. The Mayor's Office requested this tool as part of it ongoing COVID-19 response. The cost will not exceed Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) in the first year.

## Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Pittsburgh as follows:

**Section 1.** Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Innovation & Performance, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to enter into a one (1) year agreement with ZenCity. The post COVID-19 "new normal" has brought residents' online discourse to an all-time high in the United States, as more people are using the internet to voice their thoughts, questions and concerns. ZenCity provides real-time data on a wide-scale, so that Mayor's Office can obtain a quick feedback loop as they shape their policies, actions and resident-facing messaging strategy. The cost will not exceed Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) in the first year.

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**Section 2.** Said Agreement or Agreements shall be in a form approved by the City Solicitor.