



## City Council Regular Agenda Item 12.

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### **Subject:**

Consideration of approval of a Contract between Thomson Reuter (WestLaw, legal research service) and the City of Mesquite .

- Public Comment
- Discussion and Possible Action

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### **Petitioner:**

Bob Sweetin, City Attorney

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### **Staff Recommendation:**

Accept the Contract

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### **Fiscal Impact:**

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\$550.00 per month for first 12 months  
2% increase for the following 12 months  
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### **Budgeted Item:**

Yes

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### **Background:**

The City Attorney's office utilizes Westlaw to research legal issues and stay abreast of caselaw developments from the State Supreme Court,



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Ninth Circuit, and U.S. Supreme Court. Thomson Reuter provides accurate and comprehensive online legal research.

The prior contract incorporated a 5% increase for each year. The new contract was negotiated to a 2% increase with more information available for the attorney's office. This was incorporated in the current budget.

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**Attachments:**

Order Form from Thomson Reuter (Westlaw)