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The City has been awarded \$479,529.00 in grant funding from the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) through the Local Agency Technical Assistance (LATA) grant program to complete planning work necessary to deploy municipal broadband infrastructure. The City circulated a Request for Proposals on December 15, 2022 and timely received two proposals from qualified firms. Staff recommends Palni, Inc. as the most suitable firm to assist the City.