

# The State of Texas

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John B. Scott  
Secretary of State

April 22, 2022

Emma Lewis  
American Oversight

***Sent via Electronic Mail in care of Marwah Adhoob to: [records@americanoversight.org](mailto:records@americanoversight.org)***

Re: Request for records, TX-SOS-22-0336, received: April 6, 2022 (SOS PIR No. 22-0408)

Dear Ms. Lewis:

This letter responds to your request for information under the Public Information Act, Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code (the "PIA"), which was received by the Office of the Texas Secretary of State (the "Office") via email on April 6, 2022 (the "Request").<sup>1</sup> In the Request, you indicate that you are seeking the following information dating back to January 24, 2022:

- 1. All records reflecting the substance of Secretary of State John Scott's "Texas Election Integrity working session" meeting with Nexus Cognitive representatives Anu Jain, Paul Falkenberg, and Scott Marvel that took place on or around February 9, 2022, including, but not limited to: complete calendar invitations; meeting agendas; talking points; formal or informal meeting notes, readouts, transcripts, or other records of the meeting's content; and records shared during or in connection with the meeting.*
- 2. All email communications (including emails, complete email chains, calendar invitations, and attachments thereto) between (a) Secretary of State John Scott, or anyone communicating on his behalf (such as Executive Assistant and Scheduler Kim Bergmann), and (b) anyone communicating on behalf of Nexus Cognitive (including, but not limited to, Anu Jain, Paul Falkenberg, Scott Marvel, and anyone communicating from an email address ending in @nexuscognitive.com).*
- 3. All email communications (including emails, complete email chains, calendar invitations, and attachments thereto) and text messages sent or received by Secretary of State John Scott, or anyone communicating on his behalf (such as Executive Assistant and Scheduler Kim Bergmann), containing the terms "nexus" or "cognitive."*

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<sup>1</sup> The Office was closed on April 15, 2022 in observance of Good Friday and operated on a skeleton-crew basis on April 21, 2022 in observance of San Jacinto Day. Therefore, the 10th business day from the date that the Office received the Request is today, April 22, 2022.

We are processing your Request in accordance with the terms of the PIA.<sup>2</sup> To that end, please find the enclosed responsive documents. We require more time to review our records and produce any additional responsive information. We will provide you any additional responsive documents—to the extent such information is not excepted from disclosure under state or federal law—by 5:00 p.m. on April 29, 2022. *See* Tex. Gov't Code § 552.221(d).

The Office asserts that certain information responsive to the Request is protected from disclosure under Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code. The Office is requesting a decision from the Texas Attorney General as to whether it may withhold this information.

#### **NOTICE PURSUANT TO SEC. 552.301**

As indicated above, this letter provides you with notice that the Secretary of State has requested a decision from the Texas Attorney General regarding whether certain information relating to your request may be withheld under Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code. Enclosed is a copy of the request for decision from the Texas Attorney General.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact our office at (512) 463-5770.

Sincerely,



Adam Bitter  
General Counsel  
Office of the Texas Secretary of State  
generalcounsel@sos.texas.gov  
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Enclosures

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<sup>2</sup> The PIA applies only to information in existence as of the date that the governmental entity receives the request and thus does not require the entity to create new information in response to a request or comply with a continuing request to supply information on a periodic basis as such information is prepared in the future. *See* Tex. Gov't Code §§ 552.002, .021, .227, .351; *A&T Consultants, Inc. v. Sharp*, 904 S.W.2d 668, 676 (Tex. 1995); *Fish v. Dallas Indep. Sch. Dist.*, 31 S.W.3d 678, 681 (Tex. App.—Eastland 2000, pet. denied); Tex. Att'y Gen. Op. JM-48 at 2 (1983); Open Records Decision Nos. 476 at 1 (1987), 465 at 1 (1987), 452 at 2–3 (1986), 342 at 3 (1982).

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**Sent:** Wednesday, February 9, 2022 1:20 PM  
**To:** Scott Marvel  
**Subject:** Accepted: Texas Election Integrity working session

**From:** [Scott Marvel](#)  
**To:** [John Scott](#)  
**Cc:** [Anu Jain](#); [Paul Falkenberg](#)  
**Subject:** Election Integrity Support SOW  
**Date:** Tuesday, February 15, 2022 3:40:02 PM  
**Attachments:** TX SOS Elections Integrity SOW DRAFT 20220215.docx  
TX HUB Status Approval Letter.pdf

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## **Statement of Work 1 – Election Integrity Data Automation and Discovery**

This Statement of Work Number 1 (“**SOW**”), effective as of February 21, 2022 (the “SOW Date”), is entered into by and between the State of Texas (“Client” or “SoS”), and Nexus Cognitive Government Services, a Texas limited liability company (“Consultant”).

**I. Description of Services.** Consultant shall provide the following Services under this SOW, such Services to be completed on or before March 21st, 2022.

The primary focus is performing data source and solution discovery for an election integrity analytics solution to confirm the legality and accuracy of every vote in the State of Texas.

This discovery effort will gain consensus on key data sources that will be incorporated into the solution and an inventory of what questions we are trying to answer.

Activities will focus on defining the optimal business solution components along with any technical and external dependencies. The project will also include identifying the specific feature/capability requirements to eventually support all 254 counties by establishing a scalable foundation to enable future growth. The analysis and deliverables will support the following four key objectives:

- How to evaluate election integrity in a given jurisdiction and determine how to set up a long term automated solution to do the same;
- Defining a transparent, easy to interpret tool that is secure, inspectable, and auditable.
- Considerably reduce back office and administrative burdens all constituent parties by providing increased transparency and verifiability of votes cast;
- Provide a solution implementation roadmap with achievable milestones for the 2022 election year and future election cycles.

The activities and deliverables of this engagement are intended to clearly define the solution from a business perspective while identifying dependencies and validating solution feasibility. Any integration points and core capabilities necessary to deliver the solution will be documented and assessed. The following sections outline specific activities, deliverables, and assumptions.

Activities:

1. Draft Initial Solution Summary
  - a. 2-3 Page non-technical overview of the platform
  - b. State of Texas stakeholders will be key contributors
  - c. Will constantly refactor as the discovery process progresses
2. Analyze/Document various source systems
  - a. Conduct two ½ day workshops with the SoS team
  - b. What outcomes do we expect it to provide (for example: deceased individuals who cast ballots)
  - c. Quality and accessibility of the desired data
  - d. Initial Feasibility Analysis
3. Capture technical assumptions/details to support estimates, examples include:
  - a. Development platform/tools
  - b. Hosting/Cloud Platform
  - c. Complexity Dimensions (User Types, Integration Points, Major Data Elements, Inputs, Outputs)
4. Identify core features/capabilities necessary for Version 1.0
  - a. Details both what is and what is NOT included
  - b. Will be representative, not definitive
5. A draft delivery plan including:
  - a. Level of effort and rough delivery timeline for Version 1.0 and interim releases
  - b. Document any known outstanding areas, questions, or concerns that require resolution before initiating delivery phases
  - c. Delivery phases include: technical design/analysis, agile delivery sprints, functional testing, integration testing, and POC launch
  - d. Approximate resources and costs

Deliverables:

1. Data Source identifications and definitions
2. Solution Summary – 2-3 Page non-technical overview of the platform
3. Analysis Overview – Summarizes all findings from activities
4. Estimated Delivery Plan

Assumptions:

1. To control cost and accelerate delivery, the initial analysis will focus on the following county jurisdictions: Tarrant, Collin, Dallas, and Harris.
2. Texas SoS and other stakeholders will provide frequent input into and analysis and review draft deliverables.
3. The discovery effort will NOT include detailed technical design and analysis, which are dependent on the discovery process.

**II. Project Management and Reporting:** By the end of the first project week, will confirm a detailed list of deliverables, remaining activities, and (if needed) any assumptions/dependencies. To provide transparency on progress and ensure alignment on adjustments to priority or scope, a written weekly status report will be delivered every Friday, followed by a weekly status meeting.

**III. Fees.** In consideration for the performance of the services provided by Consultant under this SOW, The State of Texas shall compensate Consultant based on a firm fixed price of:

**\$49,500**

The identified activities and estimated effort are based on the current understanding of the requirements and data sources supported by the enabling technology and proposed solution and prior experience on similar engagements. As with any discovery effort, there is the potential to identify new areas, questions, or concerns requiring further analysis before discovery finalization. In the event the not-to-exceed amount must be increased, written approval from The Texas SoS in the form of a change order is required. The change order will summarize the additional activities, associated effort, and estimated increase of the not-to-exceed amount.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each Party has caused its authorized representative to execute this SOW as of the SOW Date.

**Nexus Cognitive Government  
Solutions, LLC**

**State of Texas**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Scott T. Marvel

Name:

Title: Managing Partner

Title:



**GLENN HEGAR** TEXAS COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

The Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts (CPA) administers the Statewide Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Program for the State of Texas, which includes certifying minority, woman, and service disabled veteran-owned businesses as HUBs and facilitates the use of HUBs in state procurement and provides them with information on the state's procurement process.

We are pleased to inform you that your application for certification/re-certification as a HUB has been approved. Your company's profile is listed in the State of Texas HUB Directory and may be viewed online at <https://mycpa.cpa.state.tx.us/tpasscmlbsearch/index.jsp>. Provided that your company continues to meet HUB eligibility requirements, the attached HUB certificate is valid for the time period specified.

You must notify the HUB Program in writing of any changes affecting your company's compliance with the HUB eligibility requirements, including changes in ownership, day-to-day management, control and/or principal place of business. *Note: Any changes made to your company's information may require the HUB Program to re-evaluate your company's eligibility.*

Please visit our website at <http://comptroller.texas.gov/procurement/prog/hub/> and reference our publications (i.e. Grow Your Business pamphlet, HUB Brochure and Vendor Guide) providing additional information on state procurement resources that can increase your company's chances of doing business with the state.

Thank you for your participation in the HUB Program! If you have any questions, you may contact a HUB Program representative at 512-463-5872 or toll-free in Texas at 1-888-863-5881.

**Texas Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Certificate**



Certificate/VID Number: **1833356250400**  
File/Vendor Number: **526649**  
Approval Date: **05-MAR-2021**  
Scheduled Expiration Date: **05-MAR-2025**

The Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts (CPA), hereby certifies that

**NEXUS COGNITIVE GOVERNMENT SOLUTIONS LLC**

has successfully met the established requirements of the State of Texas Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Program to be recognized as a HUB. This certificate printed 05-MAR-2021, supersedes any registration and certificate previously issued by the HUB Program. If there are any changes regarding the information (i.e., business structure, ownership, day-to-day management, operational control, business location) provided in the submission of the business' application for registration/certification as a HUB, you must immediately (within 30 days of such changes) notify the HUB Program in writing. The CPA reserves the right to conduct a compliance review at any time to confirm HUB eligibility. HUB certification may be suspended or revoked upon findings of ineligibility.

*Statewide HUB Program  
Statewide Procurement Division*

Note: In order for State agencies and institutions of higher education (universities) to be credited for utilizing this business as a HUB, they must award payment under the Certificate/VID Number identified above. Agencies, universities and prime contractors are encouraged to verify the company's HUB certification prior to issuing a notice of award by accessing the Internet (<https://mycpa.cpa.state.tx.us/tpasscmlbsearch/index.jsp>) or by contacting the HUB Program at 512-463-5872 or toll-free in Texas at 1-888-863-5881.

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**To:** John Scott  
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Just fyi

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214 280 8017

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**From:** Scott Marvel [REDACTED] >  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 23, 2022 7:55 PM  
**To:** Zac Rhines <[ZRhines@sos.texas.gov](mailto:ZRhines@sos.texas.gov)>  
**Cc:** Chad Ennis <[CEnnis@sos.texas.gov](mailto:CEnnis@sos.texas.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: Request for DIR information

Gentlemen:

I pulled the below off of the DIR site for your reference. Please let me know if there is anything I can do to help... getting a little concerned about time remaining to get this done.

Thanks!

Scott

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**Procurement Thresholds for State Agencies** as found via the following link...

<https://dir.texas.gov/it-solutions-and-services/buying-through-dir/procurement-professionals-guide-dir>

Initial Term Value	# of Vendors
Up to \$50,000	State Agencies may directly award a contract to DIR Cooperative Contracts vendor(s) or reseller(s) in the category to which the contract relates.
Over \$50,000 but not exceeding \$1 Million	State Agencies must submit a request for pricing to at least <b>three (3)</b> DIR vendors or resellers in the category to which the contract relates.
Over \$1 Million but not exceeding \$5 Million	State Agencies must submit a request for pricing to at least <b>six (6)</b> DIR vendors or resellers in the category to which the contract relates.
Over \$5 Million but not exceeding \$10 Million	State Agencies have the option to enter into a contract through the DIR Cooperative Contracts program. If using DIR contracts, state agencies must submit a request for pricing to at least six (6) DIR vendors or resellers in the category to which the contract relates.
Over \$10 Million	May not enter into a contract through the DIR cooperative contracts program to purchase a commodity item



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How about 1p tomorrow?

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**To:** Scott Marvel <[REDACTED]>; Anu Jain <[REDACTED]>; Paul Falkenberg <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** John Scott <[JScott@sos.texas.gov](mailto:JScott@sos.texas.gov)>  
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Thanks Scott,

Looking good. Happy to jump on a Zoom at your convenience.

Best,  
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I have a call at 2 and I wanna make sure we have plenty of time... could we do 2:30?

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**To:** Scott Marvel <[REDACTED]> Anu Jain <[REDACTED]>; Paul Falkenberg <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** John Scott <JScott@sos.texas.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Election Integrity Support SOW

Thanks Scott,

Looking good. Happy to jump on a Zoom at your convenience.

Best,  
Chad

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**From:** Scott Marvel <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 15, 2022 3:38 PM  
**To:** John Scott <[JScott@sos.texas.gov](mailto:JScott@sos.texas.gov)>  
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Mr. Secretary,

As discussed last Wednesday, attached is a draft Statement of Work for providing election integrity process and data analysis to help us collectively determine what needs to be in Version 1.0. of the enabling technology to support 2022. As well, I have attached our certified State of Texas HUB Status and CMBL Vendor ID for your reference.

We also have first class data management and analytics staff that we can provide Chad for his team as it ramps up. Those folks can also help us in this initial effort and perform knowledge transfer services for new hires that get on-boarded to the Elections Division over time.

We'd love to hop on a quick call or Zoom with you and Chad (don't have his contact info) to determine how best to proceed.

Thank you again for your time and consideration.

Best Regards,

Scott



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Correcting John's email.

+ Paul

I don't think we will need an hour, but just in case we want to get deeper on some topics.

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