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ITX awarded \$35M contract from Department of Agriculture

Fort Collins, Colorado, September 18, 2006 – Information Technology Experts, Inc. (ITX) today announced that the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has awarded the company a contract for IT support services to be performed in the Washington, D.C. area. ITX teamed with two Washington D.C.-based companies: Analytical Solutions, Inc. and Nexus Technologies. The three companies will transition approximately 40 staff, with ITX adding 25 new staff to their roster. The total estimated contract value is \$35 million over five years, with ITX's share totaling \$12 million.

The scope of work includes systems support, database & systems administration, help desk, systems development, desktop support, and contract management services.

Bruce Hottman, Executive Vice President and co-founder of ITX, will manage the transition of the contract, slated to begin in October 2006. "We've taken on contracts similar to this in the past and we have a great track record with USDA," said Hottman. "We've teamed with two great companies and are excited to have a presence in D.C. that better enables us to pursue additional Federal government contracts."

About ITX

ITX is northern Colorado's leading full-service IT support provider. Founded in 1996 by Mai Tran and Bruce Hottman, ITX has 120 employees and posts a 31% annual average growth rate. ITX serves over 140 commercial and government clients from offices in Fort Collins, Denver, Washington, DC, and client locations nationwide. ITX core competencies include: network administration, database & software development, network security, hosting, and VoIP/telecommunications. ITX is a SBA 8(a) Small Disadvantaged Business (minority-owned) listed on the GSA Schedule 70 and GSA STARS contracts. # # #

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