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KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT RESOLUTION 2023-37

**Authorization to Waive Competitive Bidding and Award a Sole Source Contract to Purchase
SePRO Integrated Aquatic Weed Control Program for 2023-2024; Pursuant to
RCW 87.03.435(3)(c)**

A **RESOLUTION** of the Board of Directors of Kennewick Irrigation District (KID), Benton County, Washington, relating a sole source purchase of herbicides.

Section 1. RECITALS AND FINDINGS.

1.1 The Board of Directors of KID has established General Purchasing Policy and Procedure 2.13 that establishes the rules for acquiring services, contractors, materials, supplies, and equipment.

1.2 RCW 87.03.425(3)(c) provides for establishing the purchase price by direct negotiation, if the purchase is clearly limited to a single source of supply, or to purchases involving special facilities, services, or market conditions, in which instances the purchase price may be best established by negotiation.

1.3 Pursuant to KID General Purchasing Procedure 2.13, Paragraph 6.3.1.5, a sole source purchase may be approved if there is a need for project continuity, where the results would be compromised without continuity, that can be purchased through a distributor, that would represent a good value and is advantageous to KID.

Section 2. AQUATIC WEED CONTROL PROGRAM

2.1 KID has a need for an aquatic weed control program that requires the use of pre-emergent chemical.

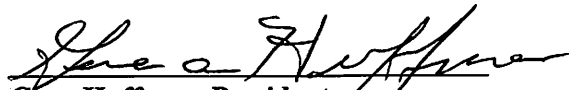
2.2 The Engineering & Operations Department determined by a thorough vendor search that SePRO Corporation is the only vendor with the appropriate aquatic weed control program that meets KID's aquatic vegetation control needs.

2.3 KID staff has thoroughly analyzed the proposal submitted by SePRO Corporation and has determined the offered price for the 2023-2024 Integrated Aquatic Weed Control Program in the amount of \$119,842.38, plus applicable tax and shipping, to be fair and reasonable.

2.4 It is in KID's best interests to enter into a contract with SePRO for its Integrated Aquatic Weed Control Program for 2023-2024, and Charles Freeman, District Manager, will execute the associated Integrated Aquatic Weed Control Agreement.

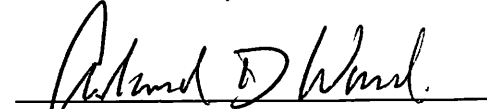
Section 3. REPEALER; FUTURE ACTIONS. Any KID act prior to and inconsistent with this Resolution is hereby superseded and repealed.

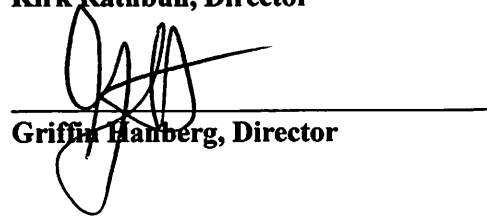
RESOLUTION 2023-37 IS HEREBY ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of Kennewick Irrigation District, Benton County, Washington, at a regular open public meeting with a quorum present thereof this 5th day of September, 2023.


Gene Huffman, President


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