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KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT RESOLUTION 2023-56

Authorization to Waive Competitive Bidding and Award a Contract to Purchase Endothall Aquatic Herbicide Formulation from UPL NA Inc.; Pursuant to RCW 87.03.435(3)(c)

A **RESOLUTION** of the Board of Directors of Kennewick Irrigation District (KID), Benton County, Washington, relating to the purchase of certain materials, goods, and equipment, not associated with public works projects.

Section 1. RECITALS AND FINDINGS.

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

1.2 RCW 87.03.435(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.

Section 2. PURCHASE OF ENDOTHALL AQUATIC HERBICIDE

2.1 The District has a program of using Dipotassium Salt of Endothall to control aquatic weed growth in the canal system during the operating season.

2.2 The Engineering/Operations Department has determined by a thorough vendor search and verification by manufacturer that the product can only be purchased in totes from UPL NA Inc.

2.3 UPL NA Inc. is the only producer of this chemical and holds the sole Environmental Protection Agency label for this chemical for aquatic application.

Section 3. IMPLEMENTATION. The KID District Manager is hereby authorized and directed to take such action as appropriate and necessary to administer and enforce this Resolution.

Section 4. REPEALER; FUTURE ACTIONS. Any KID act prior to and inconsistent with this Resolution is hereby superseded and repealed. Nothing in this Resolution shall limit the future authority of KID to modify, rates charges and assessments.

RESOLUTION 2023-56 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 18th day of December, 2023.



Gene Huffman, President



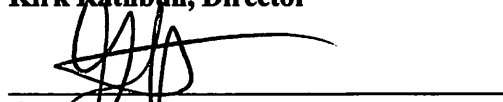
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