

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF RIVERSIDE FIRE AUTHORITY DECLARING THAT THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF ONE NEWLY CONSTRUCTED BRAUN AMBULANCE BODY ON A 2023 FORD CHASSIS BY BRAUN NW IS A SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT AND WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has been advised that the Fire Chief has been provided with a formal legal opinion by legal counsel that one newly constructed Braun ambulance body (the "Ambulance Body"), to be purchased directly from Braun NW and installed by Braun NW, the sole vendor of the Ambulance Body in the region, is clearly and legitimately limited to a single source of supply; and

WHEREAS, therefore competitive bidding is not required and is impractical.

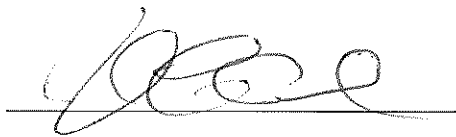
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1.

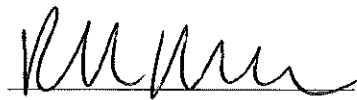
Pursuant to RCW 39.04.280 (1)(a), the Authority has specified the purchase of the Ambulance Body from Braun NW for the reasons stated in the attached legal opinion, and therefore this purchase is clearly and legitimately limited to a single source of supply. Therefore, the Authority waives competitive bidding as being impractical and not required by law as to purchase and installation of the Ambulance Body.

**ADOPTED** this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2023.

FOR THE AUTHORITY:



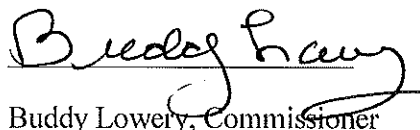
Joe Dolezal, Commissioner



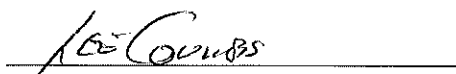
Richard Mack, Commissioner



Mike Tomasheck, Commissioner

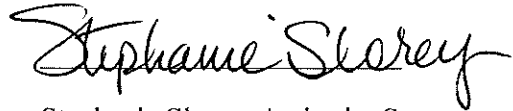


Buddy Lowery, Commissioner



Lee Coumbs, Commissioner

ATTEST:



Stephanie Slorey, Authority Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Eric T. Quinn, Attorney for the Authority