

RESOLUTION NO. RS-2018- 04

(Award of a contract for the purchase of four (4) 2018 Ford Escape, 4-Wheel Drive Compact Utility Vehicles and one (1) 2018 Dodge Ram 1500, ½ Ton Pickup Truck (“Vehicles”) to Hertrich Fleet Services, Inc., of Milford, Delaware, for the Washington County Division of Engineering & Construction Management under an intergovernmental cooperative purchasing arrangement with the State of Maryland Department of General Services Office of Procurement and Logistics (“State of Maryland”), pursuant to Section 1-106.3 of the Code of the Public Local Laws of Washington County, Maryland)

RECITALS

The Code of the Public Local Laws of Washington County, Maryland (the “Public Local Laws”), §1-106.3, provides that the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Maryland (the “Board”) “may procure goods and services through a contract entered into by another governmental entity in accordance with the terms of the contract, regardless of whether the county was a party to the original contract.”

Subsection (c) of §1-106.3 provides that: “A determination to allow or participate in an intergovernmental cooperative purchasing arrangement under subsection (b) of this section shall be by resolution and shall either indicate that the participation will provide cost benefits to the county or result in administrative efficiencies and savings or provide other justifications for the arrangement.”

Acquisition of the Vehicles by “piggy-backing” on a bid processed by the State of Maryland and eliminating the Board’s bid process would result in administrative efficiencies and significant cost benefits for Washington County. Using the State of Maryland’s contract award (Contract #001B8400168 and Contract #001B8400177), the Board will be able to acquire the Vehicles for the total sum of One Hundred Eleven Thousand, Three Hundred Seven Dollars and No Cents (\$111,307.00) (4 @ \$21,677.00 and 1 @ \$24,599.00).

The Board expressly finds that entering into a contract with Hertrich Fleet Services, Inc. to purchase the Vehicles would be in the best interest of the citizens of Washington County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board, pursuant to §1-106.3, a contract is hereby awarded to Hirtrich Fleet Services, Inc. of Milford, Delaware, for the purchase of four (4) 2018 Ford Escape, 4-Wheel Drive Compact Utility Vehicles and one (1) 2018 Dodge Ram 1500, ½ Ton Pickup Truck under an intergovernmental cooperative purchase of services arrangement with the State of Maryland Department of General Services Office of Procurement and Logistics.


Adopted and effective this 20th day of March, 2018.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND



Vicki C. Lumm, Clerk



Terry L. Baker, President

Approved as to form
and legal sufficiency:



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