

RESOLUTION NO. RS-2017- 14

(Award of a contract for the purchase of three (3) 4 x 2 dump trucks (“Dump Trucks”) to Potomac Truck Center, Inc., of Bladensburg, Maryland, under an intergovernmental cooperative purchasing arrangement with the Howard County, Maryland - Office of Purchasing, 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 Dump Trucks by “piggy-backing” on a bid processed by the Howard County, Maryland - Office of Purchasing and eliminating the Board’s bid process would result in administrative efficiencies and significant cost benefits for Washington County. Using the Howard County, Maryland - Office of Purchasing’s contract award (Contract #4400003267), the Board will be able to acquire the Dump Trucks (each with an extended warranty) for the total sum of Five Hundred Sixty Thousand One Hundred Dollars (\$560,100.00).

The Board expressly finds that entering into a contract with Potomac Truck Center, Inc. to purchase the Dump Trucks 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 Potomac Truck Center, Inc. for the purchase of the Dump Trucks under an intergovernmental cooperative purchase of services arrangement with the Howard County, Maryland - Office of Purchasing.

Adopted and effective this 22nd day of August, 2017.

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

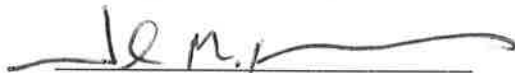


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