

RESOLUTION NO. RS-2021- 22

(Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchase [INTG-21-0064] One [1] New/Unused 2022 Ford Super Duty F-550)

RECITALS

The Code of 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."

The Department of Water Quality seeks to purchase one (1) new/unused 2022 Ford Super Duty F-550 (DRW X5H XL 4WD Super Cab 168" WB 60" CA, Redding Body) for a total cost of \$66,248.12, and to utilize another jurisdiction's contract awarded by Sourcewell to National Auto Fleet Group of Watsonville, California.

Acquisition of the equipment by utilizing the Sourcewell contract and eliminating the local County's bid process would result in administrative and cost savings for the Department of Water Quality and the Purchasing Department. The County will benefit with direct cost savings in the purchase of this equipment because of the economy of scale the aforementioned contract has leveraged. Additionally, the County will realize savings through administrative efficiencies as a result of not preparing, soliciting, and evaluating a bid.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board, pursuant to §1-106.3 of the Public Local Laws, that the Department of Water Quality is approved to purchase one (1) new/unused 2022 Ford Super Duty F-550 (DRW X5H XL 4WD Super Cab 168" WB 60" CA, Redding Body) for a total cost of \$66,248.12, and to utilize the contract that was awarded by Sourcewell (Contract 120716-NAF) to National Auto Fleet Group of Watsonville, California.

Adopted and effective this 10th day of August, 2021.

ATTEST:

Krista L. Hart
Krista L. Hart, Clerk

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