## **RESOLUTION NO. RS-2022-11**

## (Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchase [INTG-22-0083] Irrigation Equipment)

## **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."

Black Rock Golf Course seeks to purchase irrigation equipment for a total cost of \$52,530.55, and to utilize another jurisdiction's contract that was awarded by State of Maryland Purchasing (Contract #001B600308) to Turf Equipment of Jessup, Maryland.

Utilizing the State of Maryland Purchasing contract and eliminating the County's bid process results in administrative and cost savings for Black Rock Golf Course. The County will benefit with direct cost savings because of the economy of scale the aforementioned contract has leveraged. Additionally, the County will realize savings through administrative efficiencies achieved as a result of not preparing, soliciting, and evaluating bids.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board, pursuant to §1-106.3 of the Public Local Laws, that Black Rock Golf Course is authorized to purchase irrigation equipment for the contracted pricing in the amount of \$52,530.55, and to utilize another jurisdiction's contract awarded by State of Maryland Purchasing (Contract #001B600308) to Turf Equipment of Jessup, Maryland.

Adopted and effective this 22nd day of March, 2022.

ATTEST:

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