

## RESOLUTION NO. RS-2024- 87

### *(Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchase [INTG-23-0137] One [1] Kohler 400KW Diesel Generator and Installation)*

#### 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 Washington County Detention Center seeks to purchase and have installed one (1) Kohler 400KW diesel generator set from Fidelity Power Systems of Sparks, Maryland, in the amount of \$187,841.69, and to utilize another jurisdiction's contract that was awarded by Sourcewell contract #092222-KOH to Kohler Power Systems of Sheboygan, Wisconsin.

Eliminating the County's bid process will result in administrative and cost savings for the Washington County Detention Center. The County will benefit from direct cost savings because of the economies of scale the aforementioned contract has leveraged. Additionally, the County will realize administrative efficiencies and savings as a result of not preparing, soliciting, and evaluating bids.

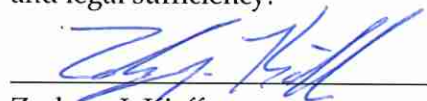
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board, pursuant to §1-106.3 of the Public Local Laws, that the Washington County Detention Center is authorized to utilize Sourcewell contract (#092222-KOH) to purchase one (1) Kohler 400KW diesel generator set from Fidelity Power Systems of Sparks, Maryland in the amount of \$187,841.69.

Adopted and effective this 5th day of March, 2024.

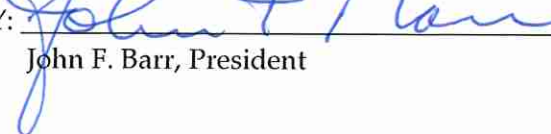
ATTEST:

  
Dawn L. Marcus, County Clerk

Approved as to form  
and legal sufficiency:

  
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Interim County Attorney

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