

RESOLUTION NO. 2005-692

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

September 27, 2005

SUSPENDING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND AWARDED CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF CLEAIRE LONGVIEW EMISSION REDUCTION DEVICES

BACKGROUND

- A. On July 20, 2004, the California Air Resources Board adopted the Diesel Particulate Control Measure for On-Road Heavy Duty Diesel Fueled Residential and Commercial Solid Waste collection vehicles that requires solid waste vehicles to be equipped with an after-treatment device to reduce diesel particulate matter if the vehicle is to remain in operation.
- B. The Diesel Particulate Measure only requires installation of devices for reduction of particulate matter. This is particularly important in the Sacramento area due to poor air quality and designation by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency as a "severe ozone non-attainment area"; oxides of nitrogen (NOx) emissions are a major contributor to the ozone non-attainment. Cleaire Longview is the only device currently verified by the California Air Resources Board to reduce both particulate matter and oxides of nitrogen (NOx) emissions. Cummins West, Inc is the exclusive North American distributor for the Cleaire Longview system.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. Competitive bidding is hereby suspended for the purchase of thirty-five Cleaire Longview emission reduction devices; and
- Section 2. The City of Sacramento is hereby authorized to award a contract to Cummins West, Inc, 875 Riverside Parkway, West Sacramento, CA, in an amount not to exceed \$668,544.

Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on September 27, 2005 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Cohn, Hammond, McCarty, Sheedy, Tretheway, Waters and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Councilmember Fong and Pannell

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Mayor Heather Fargo

Attest:

Shirley Concolino
Shirley Concolino, City Clerk