

**RESOLUTION NO. 2006-731**

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

October 10, 2006

**AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE POLICE HELICOPTER FUEL**

**BACKGROUND**

- A. The fuel price per gallon from a commercial entity is approximately twice as expensive as fuel purchased through the Air Force (\$4.99/gallon vs. \$2.53/gallon).
- B. The authorization of this purchase will allow the SPD to continue to conduct its own fueling operations, granting the Air Support Unit the ability to land, refuel, and provide a timely response to critical incidents.

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

Section 1. In the best interest of the City, formal competitive bidding is hereby suspended.

Section 2. The City Manager, or a designated representative, is authorized to issue the necessary purchase orders for the purchase of helicopter fuel from the 60th Mission Support Branch of the U.S. Air Force in a total amount not to exceed \$150,000 per fiscal year for up to five (5) years. Expenditures for FY2006/07 will be funded through a combination of existing block grants, and asset forfeiture funds. If costs exceed available sources of funding, the Police Department's operating budget will fund the difference within existing resources. Future year financing sources may be considered during the Council's annual budget cycle.

Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on October 10, 2006 by the following vote:

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

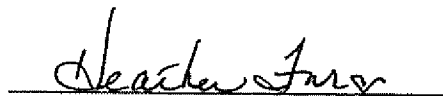
Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: Councilmember Pannell.

Attest:

  
Shirley Concolino, City Clerk

  
Mayor, Heather Fargo