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A RESOLUTION APPROVING EXEMPTION FROM THE COMPETITIVE BIDDING REQUIREMENTS THROUGH A CONTRACT WITH KITTITAS COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITAL DISTRICT 2 AND BRAUN NORTHWEST, INC.; ISSUING A NOTICE TO AWARD A PROPOSED CONTRACT WITH BRAUN NORTHWEST, INC.; AND AUTHORIZING THE FIRE CHIEF TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH BRAUN NORTHWEST, INC. NOT TO EXCEED \$130,649 TO REMOUNT/REFURBISH A 2006 LIFELINE AMBULANCE.

WHEREAS, Kittitas County Public Hospital District 2 conducted a formal, competitive process for the remount/refurbish of an ambulance that meets the specification needs identified by the Albany Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, ORS 279A.220 and OAR 137-046-0400 through 137-046-0480 allow for use of interstate cooperative procurements for government agencies;

WHEREAS, a remount/refurbish of an ambulance through a contract with Kittitas County Public Hospital District 2 and Braun Northwest, Inc. would not reduce competition or give favoritism; and

WHEREAS, the Albany Fire Department would advertise a Notice of Intent to Award a contract to Braun Northwest, Inc. for the remount/refurbish of a 2006 Lifeline ambulance; and

WHEREAS, the Notice of Intent to Award must be advertised seven days prior to awarding the procurement contract; and

WHEREAS, if the City does not receive any formal protests to the Notice of Intent to Award, the Fire Chief may award the contract to Braun Northwest, Inc.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Albany City Council authorizes an exemption from the competitive bidding process for the remount/refurbish of a 2006 Lifeline ambulance through the use of an interstate cooperative agreement between Kittitas County Public Hospital District 2 and Braun Northwest, Inc.; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Albany City Council authorizes the Fire Department to award a contract to Braun Northwest, Inc. contingent on no protests received by July 6, 2015, following the seven-day required notice period; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Albany City Council authorizes the Fire Chief to enter into a contract not to exceed \$130,649 with Braun Northwest, Inc. to remount/refurbish a 2006 Lifeline ambulance.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 24TH DAY OF JUNE 2015.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk