

Resolution No.

STOCKTON CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION APPROVING FINDINGS AND A COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENT WITH SOURCEWELL FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION WITH E.J. WARD, INC. TO COMPLETE IMPLEMENTATION OF A CITYWIDE FUEL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM UPGRADE

The purchase of the E.J. Ward, Inc. Fuel Management System will complete implementation of a citywide fuel management system upgrade; and

Sourcewell, formerly National Joint Powers Alliance, is a public agency based in Minnesota that serves as a municipal contracting agency. The use of these contracts is optional, and is available to California State and local government agencies; and

Sourcewell has a contract with E.J. Ward, Inc. for the purchase and installation of fuel management systems. The specifications for the Fuel Management System through the Sourcewell contract meet the City's requirements for this type of equipment; and

The E.J. Ward, Inc. Cooperative Purchasing Agreement was established pursuant to a formal competitive bidding process conducted by Sourcewell on behalf of its governmental members, of which the City is one; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKTON, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Council hereby approves the following findings in support of granting an exception to the competitive bid process pursuant to Stockton Municipal Code (SMC) section 3.68.070:

- a. Sourcewell established a Cooperative Purchasing Agreement for the purchase and installation of fuel management systems.
- b. The E.J. Ward, Inc. Cooperative Purchasing Agreement was established pursuant to a formal competitive bidding process conducted by Sourcewell on behalf of its governmental members, of which the City is one.
- c. Taking advantage of the leveraged procurement agreements negotiated by Sourcewell will save the administrative expense of City staff conducting separate procurements.
- d. E.J. Ward, Inc. worked successfully with the City in the first phase implementation of the fuel management system upgrade.

2. The City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute a Cooperative Purchasing Agreement through Sourcewell Contract No. 022217-EJW, in the amount of \$224,637.91, for purchase and installation of a Fuel Management System from E.J. Ward, Inc. of San Antonio, TX, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 1 and incorporated by this reference.

3. The City Council appropriates funds in the amount of \$224,637.91 from the Fleet Internal Service Fund account (501-0000-101) to the Fleet Equipment Acquisition account (501-5060-670).

4. The City Manager is hereby authorized to take whatever actions are necessary and appropriate to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED June 9, 2020.

MICHAEL D. TUBBS, Mayor
of the City of Stockton

ATTEST:

ELIZA R. GARZA, CMC
City Clerk of the City of Stockton