



Date April 12, 2010

APPROVING AN EXCEPTION TO THE PROCUREMENT ORDINANCE COMPETITIVE BIDDING REQUIREMENTS FOR GOOD CAUSE AND APPROVING PROCUREMENT OF TWO (2) REPLACEMENT POOL HEATERS AT A TOTAL COST OF \$48,692.00

WHEREAS, Park and Recreation Department requested the Finance Department Procurement Division to purchase two (2) replacement pool heaters for use at the Northwest and Nahas Family Aquatic Centers; and

WHEREAS, pool heaters were installed at Ashworth and Teachout pools in 2008 and 2009; and

WHEREAS, those pool heaters are 25% more efficient than anything else available in the market place, and are projected to pay for themselves in a three to four year period from date of installation; and

WHEREAS, Sentry Valve Company, 13420 Bittersweet Road, Woodward, IA 520276, Mark Pleva, Owner, is the sole supplier and manufacturer of said high efficient pool heaters; and

WHEREAS, funding is available from PKS990000/PKS153, Capital Projects/Swimming Pool & Aquatic Improvements; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that the procurement of two (2) pool heaters be exempted from the competitive bidding requirements for good cause shown, pursuant to Section 2-710(a) of the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that good cause has been shown to exempt the procurement of two (2) replacement pool heaters from the Procurement Ordinance competitive bidding requirements.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Des Moines City Council hereby accepts and approves the procurement of two (2) pool heaters from Sentry Valve Company, at a total cost of \$48,692.00.

(Council Communication No. 10 -181)

Moved by _____ to adopt.

Approved as to form:

Ann DiDonato
Assistant City Attorney

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CERTIFICATE

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

MOTION CARRIED APPROVED

Mayor

City Clerk