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Legislation Text

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The purpose of this legislation is to authorize the Director of Finance and Management to establish blanket purchase orders for the Division of Sewerage and Drainage to obtain Sodium Hypochlorite in accordance with an established Universal Term Contract that expires March 31, 2014.

Sodium Hypochlorite is an approved chlorine solution used at the Southerly and Jackson Pike Wastewater Treatment Plants to disinfect effluent prior to its discharge to the Scioto River. The Ohio EPA requires that plant effluent be disinfected from May 1 through October 31 of each year. The chemical is being purchased in accordance with the existing Universal Term Contract, FL004866, which expires 3-31-14.

SUPPLIER: Bonded Chemicals (61-1162384); Expires 9-3-12

The company is not debarred according to the Excluded Party Listing System of the Federal Government or prohibited from being awarded a contract according to the Auditor of State Unresolved Findings for Recovery Certified Search.

FISCAL IMPACT: \$240,000.00 is required and budgeted for this expenditure. The Division of Sewerage and Drainage has established two (2) purchase orders in the amount of \$60,000.00. The total of \$100,000.00 is the threshold per Columbus City Code for funding Universal Term Contracts without legislation.

\$273,722.57 was spent in 2011

\$270,720.92 was spent in 2010

To authorize the Director of Finance and Management to establish Blanket Purchase Orders with Bonded Chemicals from a Universal Term Contract for the purchase of Wastewater Treatment Chemicals for the Division of Sewerage and Drainage, and to authorize the expenditure of \$240,000.00 from the Sewerage System Operating Fund. (\$240,000.00)

WHEREAS, the Purchasing Office established a Universal Term Contract, FL004866 which expires 3-31-14 with Bonded Chemicals for the purchase of Sodium Hypochlorite for the Division of Sewerage and Drainage; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio EPA requires that effluent material be disinfected by the wastewater treatment plants prior to being discharged into the waterways, and

WHEREAS, Sodium Hypochlorite is an approved chlorine solution used for the disinfection process, and

WHEREAS, the blanket purchase orders will be issued in accordance with the terms and specifications of FL004866 on file in the Purchasing Office; now, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:

Section 1. That the Director of Finance and Management be and is hereby authorized to establish blanket purchase orders for the purchase of Sodium Hypochlorite with Bonded Chemicals for the Division of Sewerage and Drainage, in accordance with specifications on file in the Purchasing Office.

Section 2. That the expenditure of \$240,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby authorized from the Sewerage System Operating Fund, Fund No. 650, as follows, to pay the cost thereof.

Southerly Wastewater Treatment Plant

OCA: 605055

Object Level 1: 02

Object Level 3: 2204

Amount: \$150,000.00

Jackson Pike Wastewater Treatment Plant

OCA: 605022

Object Level 1: 02

Object Level 3: 2204

Amount: \$90,000.00

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.