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Title: To authorize the Finance and Management Director to enter into a Universal Term Contract for the option to purchase Refuse Truck Parts with Best Equipment Co., Inc. in accordance with the sole source provisions of the Columbus City Code; and to authorize the expenditure of \$1.00. (\$1.00)

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..Explanation

BACKGROUND: This legislation authorizes the Finance and Management Director to establish a Universal Term Contract (UTC) for the option to purchase Refuse Truck Parts with Best Equipment Co., Inc. The Division of Fleet Management is the primary user for Refuse Truck Parts. Refuse Truck Parts are used to repair and maintain City refuse vehicles. Best Equipment Co., Inc. is the sole source for these parts as they are the only local distributor for Labrie Enviroquip products, including Labrie, Leach and Wittke. Pricing was obtained by published price list. The term of the proposed option contract would be approximately two (2) years, expiring March 31, 2027, with the option to renew for one (1) additional year. In addition, the expenditure of \$1.00 is hereby authorized from General Budget Reservation BRPO003264.

Best Equipment Co., Inc., CC# 007016 expires 6/5/2026, \$1.00

Total Estimated Annual Expenditure: \$300,000.00 Division of Fleet Management, the primary user

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: The expenditure of \$1.00 is hereby authorized from General Budget Reservation BRPO003264.

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WHEREAS, the Refuse Truck Parts UTC will provide for the purchase of Labrie, Leach and Wittke OEM parts used to

repair City refuse vehicles and Best Equipment Co., Inc. is the sole source provider of these goods; and,

WHEREAS, in the daily operation of the Department of Finance and Management, Division of Fleet Management, it is necessary to authorize the Finance and Management Director to enter into a Universal Term Contract for the option to purchase Refuse Truck Parts with Best Equipment Co., Inc.; **NOW, THEREFORE**,

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

SECTION 1. That the Finance and Management Director is hereby authorized to enter into the following Universal Term Contract for the option to purchase Refuse Truck Parts for a term of approximately two (2) years, expiring March 31, 2027, with the option to renew for one (1) additional year, as follows:

Best Equipment Co., Inc., \$1.00

SECTION 2. That the expenditure of \$1.00 is hereby authorized from General Budget Reservation BRPO003264 of this ordinance to pay the cost thereof.

SECTION 3. That this purchase is in accordance with relevant provisions of the Columbus City Code, "Sole Source Procurement."

SECTION 4. That the funds necessary to carry out the purpose of this ordinance are hereby deemed appropriated, and the City Auditor shall establish such accounting codes as necessary.

SECTION 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.