

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-437

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

June 26, 2007

SUSPEND COMPETITIVE BIDDING IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR BI-FUEL VEHICLES THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

BACKGROUND

- A. The Department of General Services, Fleet Management Division, has a customer requirement to purchase bi-fuel vehicles for various departments within the City of Sacramento. These vehicles are primarily replacements for older fleet vehicles.
- B. Fleet Management is continually seeking opportunities to reduce emissions and dependence on non-renewable energy resources, and has recently applied for grant funding for E85 fueling infrastructure.
- C. Staff recommends that it is in the best interest of the City to suspend competitive bidding and authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract for bi-fuel vehicles in an amount not to exceed \$250,000 through September 30, 2007.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. In the best interest of the City, competitive bidding is hereby suspended for the procurements set forth in section 2 of this resolution and;
- Section 2. The City Manager is authorized to enter into a contract for bi-fuel vehicles with Coalinga Motors, Inc., 625 Elm Street, Coalinga, CA, under the same contract pricing resulting from State of California Bid no. 1-07-23-22 , through September 30, 2007, in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.

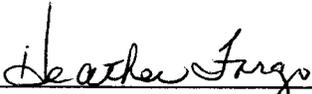
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on June 26, 2007 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers, Cohn, Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Pannell, Sheedy, Tretheway, Waters, and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.



Mayor, Heather Fargo

Attest:



Shirley Concolino, City Clerk