

Legislation Text

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Electrical Equipment Parts

Action:

- A. Approve the purchase of electrical equipment parts and services by the sole source exemption,**
- B. Approve a contract with Benshaw, Inc. for the purchase of electrical equipment parts and services for the term of five years, and**
- C. Authorize the City Manager to amend the contract consistent with the purpose for which the contract was approved.**

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Sole Source Exemption

- NC General Statute Section 143-129(e)(6) provides that formal bidding requirements do not apply when:
 - Performance or price competition are not available;
 - A needed product is available from only one source or supply; or
 - Standardization and compatibility are the overriding consideration.
- Sole sourcing is necessary for this contract because standardization and compatibility is the overriding consideration.
- City Council approval is required for any purchases made under the sole source exception.

Explanation

- This contract will provide parts and services for the repair and modernization of electrical equipment at the treatment plants and pumping facilities.
- Annual expenditures are estimated to be \$1,000,000.

Charlotte Business INclusion

This is a sole source contract and is exempt from the CBI Program.

Fiscal Note

Funding: Charlotte Water Capital Investment Plan