

**CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA
RESOLUTION 2015-46**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, WAIVING THE CITY'S PURCHASING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES AND APPROVING SOLE SOURCE DIRECT PURCHASES OF WASTEWATER TREATMENT EQUIPMENT, REPAIR SERVICES AND SUPPLIES FROM SPECIFIED SOLE SOURCE VENDORS ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS, IN AN AMOUNT PER EQUIPMENT, REPAIR SERVICES, AND SUPPLY VENDOR NOT TO EXCEED \$60,000, AS SPECIFIED IN EXHIBIT "A"; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE PURCHASE ORDERS AND EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance 2014-15, the City Council of the City of Marathon, Florida (the "City"), adopted Purchasing Policies and Procedures after determining that it was fiscally prudent and in the best interests of the City's residents for the City to adopt policies and procedures for City employees and officials regarding the purchasing and acquisition of contractual services, equipment, goods, professional services and other similar types of services; and

WHEREAS, the City may waive competitive bidding in the event that "only one vendor possesses the unique and singularly available capability to meet the requirement"; and

WHEREAS, the City's wastewater treatment plant and collection systems consist of specialized equipment requiring products and supplies for repairs and maintenance by specified vendors and manufactures and distributed solely by vendors listed on Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends the City Council waive the City's purchasing policies and procedures due to the sole source status of the vendors on Exhibit "A" for the equipment and supplies which the City must purchase on an as needed basis.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 2. Based upon the recommendation of the City Manager the City Council finds that sole source vendor purchases of specialized equipment requiring products and supplies for repairs and maintenance of the City's wastewater treatment systems is in the best interest of the City.

Section 3. The City's purchasing policies and procedures are hereby waived and the City Council hereby approves sole source purchases from wastewater utility vendors for repairs and maintenance of the City's wastewater treatment systems on an as needed basis, in an amount not to budget authority. The City Manager or is authorized to execute purchases with the vendors attached hereto as Exhibit "A," and expend budgeted funds.

Section 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THIS 28TH DAY OF APRIL, 2015.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA



Chris Bull, Mayor

AYES: Keating, Kelly, Senmartin, Zieg, Bull
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None

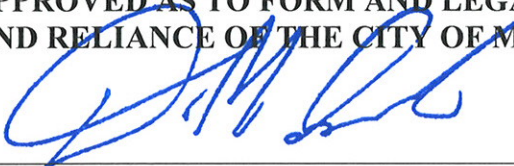
ATTEST:



Diane Clavier, City Clerk

(City Seal)

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY FOR THE USE
AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA ONLY:**



City Attorney

EXHIBIT "A"

Firm	Description	Amount
Kaman Industries, Inc.	Pump and valve repairs, rebuilds, replacements and parts	\$35,000
Hach Instruments	Sampling/ Monitoring equipment repairs, replacements and calibrations	\$25,000