RESOLUTION NO. 34-2015

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS TO ESTABLISH A COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM BETWEEN THE TWO CITIES.

WHEREAS, the City of Mesquite and the City of North Richland Hills desire to establish a cooperative purchasing program between each other which will allow each city to purchase goods and services under each other's competitively bid contracts pursuant to V.T.C.A., Texas Local Government Code, Chapter 271; and

WHEREAS, the Interlocal Cooperation Act, V.T.C.A., Texas Government Code, Chapter 791, provides authorization for any local government to contract with one or more local governments to perform governmental functions and services under the terms of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Mesquite is of the opinion that participation in this program will be highly beneficial to the taxpayers of the City of Mesquite through the anticipated savings to be realized.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute the Interlocal Agreement between the City of Mesquite and the City of North Richland Hills, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part thereof, thereby establishing a cooperative purchasing program for the purchase of goods and services under each other's competitively bid contracts.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 3rd day of August, 2015.

Stan Pickett

Mayor

ATTEST.

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City Secretary

APPROVED:

B. J. Smith

City Attorney

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INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS AND <u>City of Mesquite</u>

This Agreement made and entered into by and between the City of North Richland Hills, hereinafter referred to as "NRH", and the <u>City of Mesquite</u>, hereinafter referred to as "City of Mesquite".

Pursuant to the authority granted by the Texas Interlocal Cooperation Act {Article 4413 (32c) Vernon's Annotated Texas Statutes} providing for the cooperation between local governmental bodies, the parties hereto, in consideration of the premises and mutual promises contained herein, agree as follows:

NRH and <u>City of Mesquite</u> desire to enter into an Agreement for the purchase of goods and services from vendors selected through the competitive bidding process. Specifications for said items should be determined in cooperation with the final approval of the entity processing the bid.

The responsibility of each entity shall be as follows:

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NORTH RICHLAND HILLS

- 1. NRH shall be allowed to purchase goods and services from vendors who have been selected by <u>City of Mesquite</u> through the competitive bidding process. NRH will place orders directly with and pay directly to the selected vendor for goods and services purchased through a contract.
- 2. All purchases will be within the specifications that have been agreed to. NRH shall be responsible for the Vendors compliance with all conditions of delivery, price and quality of the purchased goods or services.
- 3. NRH shall give a 30-day written notification to all participating agencies of any change or cancellation of participation.
- 4. The Purchasing Agent shall be designated as the official representative to act for NRH all matters relating to this cooperative purchasing agreement.

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City of Mesquite

1. <u>City of Mesquite</u> shall be allowed to purchase goods and services from vendors who have been selected by NRH through the competitive bidding process of NRH. <u>City of Mesquite</u> will place orders directly with and pay directly to the selected vendor for goods and services purchased through a contract.

- 2. All purchases will be within the specifications that have been agreed to. <u>City of Mesquite</u> shall be responsible for the Vendors compliance with all conditions of delivery, price and quality of the purchased goods or services.
- 3. <u>City of Mesquite</u> shall give a 30-day written notification to a participating agency of any change or cancellation of participation.
- 4. <u>Purchasing Manager</u>, shall be designated as the official representative to act for <u>City of Mesquite</u> in all matters relating to this cooperative purchasing agreement.

This Agreement shall take effect upon execution by the signatories and shall be in effect from date of execution until terminated by either party with thirty (30) written notice.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this agreement to be executed by their authorized officers.

CITY OF NORTH RICHLAND HILLS

BY:

City Manager

TITLE

DATE:

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Manager

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ATTEST:

City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ASSITANT C: ty Attorney