

RESOLUTION NO. 14-2020

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, RATIFYING THE TOTAL EXPENDITURE OF \$71,935.49 WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR THE EMERGENCY REPAIR TO THE FOUNTAIN AT CITY HALL LOCATED AT 757 NORTH GALLOWAY AVENUE; AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO IRRIGATORS SUPPLY, INC., FOR SUCH REPAIRS.

WHEREAS, in September 2019, a leak was discovered in the fountain at City Hall; and

WHEREAS, after investigation, it was determined the leak was in the 10-inch suction line that was located 14 feet beneath the walkway under the main public entrance into City Hall; and

WHEREAS, to reach under the 14-foot area, extensive excavation and shoring would take place to create a safe working site and would require the main entrance to be closed for four to six weeks at a significant cost to the City; and

WHEREAS, the decision was made to abandon the existing display pump and associated lines and install individual pumps in the fountain to achieve the same results; and

WHEREAS, during the installation of the new pumps, it was discovered that the tile work around the water line had fallen into disrepair and needed to be addressed; and

WHEREAS, the cost to re-tile and reseal the waterline as well as the cost to abandon and backfill the excavation of the 10-inch suction line and install the new display pumps totaled \$71,935.49; and

WHEREAS, such unforeseen damage requires an immediate expenditure of funds without having competitively bid the repairs in order to protect and preserve the public health and safety of the residents of the City; and

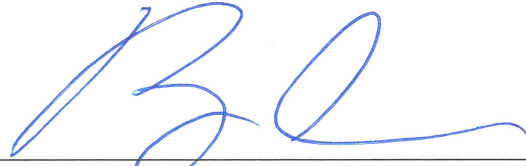
WHEREAS, such procurement is authorized without competitive bidding by Texas Local Government Code § 252.022.

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

SECTION 1. That the expenditure of \$71,935.49 without competitive bidding for emergency repairs for repairing the fountain at City Hall located at 757 North Galloway Avenue and payment of funds to Irrigators Supply, Inc., for such repairs is hereby ratified and authorized.

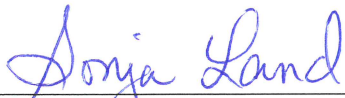
SECTION 2. That the City Manager is authorized in taking those steps reasonable and necessary to comply with the intent of this resolution.

DULY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas on the 2nd day of March 2020.



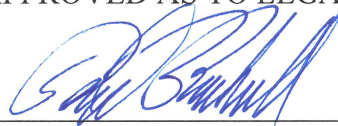
Bruce Archer
Mayor

ATTEST:



Sonja Land
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:



David L. Paschall
City Attorney