[Emergency Contract - Southeast Water Pollution Control Plant at 750 Phelps Street - Not to Exceed $10,335,427]

Resolution approving two emergency public work contracts of the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) under San Francisco Administrative Code Section 6.60, to replace the unstable roofs on six digesters and two biosolids storage cake bins at the Southeast Water Pollution Control Plant at 750 Phelps Street with a contract amount not to exceed $10,335,427.

WHEREAS, On November 26, 2012 and March 5, 2013, the SFPUC Wastewater Enterprise (WWE) requested two separate emergencies be declared to replace the unstable roofs first on one digester and subsequently on five additional digesters and two biosolids storage cake bins at the Southeast Water Pollution Control Plant (SEP) at 750 Phelps Street San Francisco, CA due to the extremely deteriorating condition of the existing aged biosolids treatment and handling facilities; and

WHEREAS, If the unstable roofs on the six digesters and two biosolids cake bins are not replaced and expeditiously returned to service, the result may lead to the failure of key treatment processes of which the SEP handles for 80% of the City, as well as the severe risk to permit compliance, health and safety of plant personnel, and significant impacts to the neighboring residential community, which would endanger the public’s health and welfare; and
WHEREAS, San Francisco Administrative Code, Chapter 6, Article IV, Section 6.60, authorizes department heads responsible for public work to award an emergency contract, exempt from the competitive bidding process, in the event of an actual emergency which is to include, "... The breakdown or imminent breakdown of any plant, equipment, structure, street or public work necessitating immediate emergency repair or reconditioning to safeguard the lives or property of the citizens, or the property of the City and County, or to maintain the public health and welfare ..."; and

WHEREAS, On November 27, 2012 and March 11, 2013, the SFPUC General Manager declared two separate emergencies, approved by the President of the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission, to replace the unstable roofs on first one digester and subsequently five additional digesters and two biosolids storage cake bins at the SEP and thereby protect public health and safety; and

WHEREAS, Administrative Code Section 6.60(D) requires that the General Manager immediately notify the Controller, and seek Board of Supervisors approval of emergency public works with an estimated cost in excess of $250,000; and

WHEREAS, The SFPUC General Manager estimates that the emergency work to replace the unstable roofs on six digesters and two biosolids storage cake bins at the SEP will cost approximately $10,335,427; and

WHEREAS, The Controller defined has certified that funds are available for this emergency work and contract; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors approves the emergency work under Administrative Code Section 6.60, for the replacement of the unsound roofs on six digesters
and two biosolids storage cake bins at SEP with a contract amount not to exceed
$$10,335,427; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That actions taken to date by the San Francisco Public
Utilities Commission to secure such emergency contracts and resolve the emergency
condition are hereby ratified.

RECOMMENDED: ________________________________

[Signature]
Harlan L. Kelly, Jr.
General Manager
San Francisco Public Utilities Commission

Funds Available: ________________________________

[Signature]
Ben Rosenfield, Controller

Supervisor Cohen
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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June 12, 2013 Budget and Finance Committee - CONTINUED

July 10, 2013 Budget and Finance Sub-Committee - AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE

July 10, 2013 Budget and Finance Sub-Committee - CONTINUED

July 17, 2013 Budget and Finance Sub-Committee - RECOMMENDED

July 23, 2013 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Avalos, Breed, Campos, Chiu, Cohen, Farrell, Kim, Mar, Tang, Wiener and Yee

File No. 130497

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 7/23/2013 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

8/4/2013
Date Approved