



Authorizing the Executive Director to enter into a six (6) month contract with Benchmark Biodiesel Inc. for the purchase of biodiesel and diesel fuels and to expend an amount not to exceed one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00).

SWACO utilizes biodiesel and diesel fuels to support the daily operations of SWACO equipment at the Jackson Pike Transfer Station, Morse Road Eco-Station, and the Franklin County Sanitary Landfill. SWACO has been purchasing biodiesel and diesel fuels through an existing City of Columbus cooperative purchasing contract since 2015, enabling SWACO to leverage the City's volume purchase pricing. However, the current fueling contracts are nearing fund depletion and must be renewed. This purchase will ensure that SWACO continues to maintain a safe and efficient level of waste transfer and landfill operations and aligns with SWACO's Green Fleet Action Plan to utilize alternative fuels in fleet operations.


Requested by: Bill Burns, Fleet & Facilities Maintenance Manager

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Solid Waste Authority of Central Ohio that:

1. The Executive Director is authorized to execute a six (6) month contract with Benchmark Biodiesel Inc. to purchase biodiesel and diesel fuels and to expend an amount not to exceed one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00).
2. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its adoption.

Date Adopted: March 12, 2019

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For: 9 Against: 0 Abs: 0


Tracie Davies
Madam Chair, Board of Trustees


Danielle Kuskowski, Secretary

Approved as to Form: 
Rebecca L. Egelhoff, Managing Counsel



Authorizing the Executive Director to enter into a two (2) year contract with Hightower Petroleum Company for the purchase of unleaded and diesel fuels and to expend an amount not to exceed two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00).

SWACO utilizes unleaded and diesel fuel to support the daily operations of the SWACO fleet equipment at the Jackson Pike Transfer Station, Morse Road Eco-Station, and the Franklin County Sanitary Landfill. SWACO has been purchasing unleaded and diesel fuels through an existing State of Ohio cooperative purchasing contract since 2013, enabling SWACO to leverage volume purchase pricing by the State. However, these contracts are nearing fund depletion and must be renewed. This purchase will ensure that SWACO maintains a safe and efficient level of waste transfer and landfill operations.

Requested by: Bill Burns, Fleet & Facilities Maintenance Manager

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Solid Waste Authority of Central Ohio that:

1. The Executive Director is authorized to execute a two (2) year contract with Hightower Petroleum Company to purchase unleaded and diesel fuels and to expend an amount not to exceed two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00).
2. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its adoption.

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