

RESOLUTION NO. RES-2021-006

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA APPROVING THE DESIGN-BUILD METHOD OF PROCUREMENT FOR REPLACEMENT OF THE CITYBUS ELECTRICAL VEHICLE FLEET ELECTRIFICATION INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT

WHEREAS, in January 2014, the City Council adopted Ordinance 4021, which established regulations for the award, use and evaluation of Design-Build contracts; and

WHEREAS, Section 3-60.130 requires the Council to approve the use of the design-build method of procurement for major contracts if it determines that the use of this method is in the best interest of the City; and

WHEREAS, on May 23, 2017, Council approved the Transit Division's applications for Fiscal Year 17 funds from the Federal Transit Administration's 5339 program for battery-electric buses and chargers; and

WHEREAS, on April 2, 2019, Council approved the Transportation and Public Works Department application for the PG&E's FleetReady Program for electric vehicle charging infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, on May 5, 2020, Council, by resolution, approved PG&E's Electric Vehicle Deployment Commitment to participate in the PG&E EV Fleet Program to facilitate construction of infrastructure to support battery-electric bus charging for the CityBus fleet; and

WHEREAS, this project will benefit from a Design-Build contract because of the potential time and cost savings that this method can provide; by utilizing Design-Build procurement, value is added by allowing a single contractor to evaluate cost relationships between various project components to achieve the most optimal design solution to meet the City's needs.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Rosa approves the use of the Design-Build method of procurement for replacement and construction of infrastructure to support battery-electric bus charging for the CityBus fleet for the CityBus Electrical Vehicle Fleet Electrification Project.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 5th day of January, 2021.

AYES: (7) Mayor C. Rogers, Vice Mayor N. Rogers, Council Members Alvarez, Fleming, Sawyer, Schwedhelm, Tibbetts

NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ATTEST: _____ APPROVED: _____
City Clerk Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM: _____
City Attorney