

RESOLUTION NO. R-2020-

A RESOLUTION authorizing award of RFP 11913P and execution of an agreement with Natural Selection Farms, to provide Biosolids Hauling and Land Application Services

WHEREAS, the City posted and published notice on August 2nd and 3rd, 2019 in the Yakima Herald Republic, on PublicPurchase.com, and on the City's webpage that RFP No. 11913P was available for competition; and

WHEREAS, Proposals were due August 30, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. and publicly opened in City Hall Council Chambers, Yakima, Washington; and

WHEREAS, the following proposals were received:

- Natural Selection Farms, Inc., Sunnyside, WA
- Tenelco, Inc., Lake Stevens, WA; and

WHEREAS, an Evaluation Committee was formed and then met on September 13, 2019 to analyze and score the two proposals using weighted criteria as specified in the RFP. The Evaluation Committee finalized scoring on September 13, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the final combined scores for the short-listed Proposers are as follows (300 points possible):

Natural Selection Farms, Inc., 291 points
Tenelco, Inc., 256 points; and

WHEREAS, Natural Selection Farms received the highest overall score from the Evaluation Committee for Biosolids Hauling and Land Application Services and the Evaluation Committee recommends Award be issued to Natural Selection Farms and that a contract be issued to Natural Selection Farms; and

WHEREAS, the Scope of Work and available budget meet the needs and requirements of the City of Yakima for this procurement, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YAKIMA:

The Proposal is hereby awarded and the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a ten year Agreement with Natural Selection Farms, in the estimated annual amount of \$275,000 plus tax, in accordance with the Agreement, with any additional services to be billed at proposed rates.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 7th day of January, 2020.

Mayor

ATTEST:

Sonya Claar Tee, City Clerk