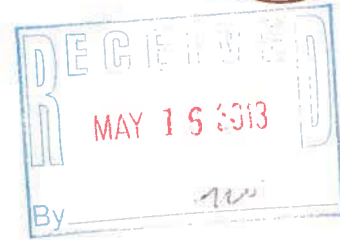


CITY OF KINGSVILLE

P. O. BOX 1458 – KINGSVILLE, TEXAS 78364



May 14, 2013

Vangie Y. Garcia
Contract's Manager at Hidalgo County
Purchasing Department
2812 S. Hwy 281
Edinburg, TX 78539

Re: Mutual Use and Benefit Agreement

Dear Ms. Garcia,

As you are aware at a meeting of the City Commission on May 13, 2013, the City Commission of the City of Kingsville discussed and approved Resolution No. 2013-29, authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Mutual Use and Benefit Agreement between the City of Kingsville and Hidalgo County.

Attached are two original copies of the agreement that was approved by the City Commission. Please execute both agreements and forward one original to the City of Kingsville.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 595-8002.

Sincerely,

Mary Valenzuela
City Secretary

Enclosure

RESOLUTION #2013- 29

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A MUTUAL USE AND BENEFIT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF KINGSVILLE AND HIDALGO COUNTY; REPEALING ALL CONFLICTING RESOLUTIONS AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Kingsville ("City") and Hidalgo County ("County") are both local governments organized under the laws of the state of Texas and try to work together for the benefit of our citizenry when able to do so; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously bid out numerous governmental purchasing contracts and state laws allows other local governments to enter into agreements like this one to take advantage of those purchasing contracts for the benefit of their citizenry; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously entered into cooperative purchasing agreements with other entities and found them to be useful; and

WHEREAS, the City and County have previously entered into a similar cooperative purchasing agreement in July of 2008, also for emergency debris removal services, pursuant to Local Government Code Section 271.102; and

WHEREAS, the County has requested to enter into another such agreement with the City; and

WHEREAS, it is mutually deemed sound, desirable, practicable, and beneficial for the parties to this agreement to render assistance to one another whenever practical in accordance with the terms of the agreement attached hereto.

NOW THEREFOR, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Kingsville, Texas:

I.

THAT the Mayor is authorized and directed as an act of the City of Kingsville, Texas to enter into a cooperative purchasing agreement named a Mutual Benefit and Use Agreement between the City of Kingsville, Texas and Hidalgo County, Texas in accordance with Exhibit A hereto attached and made a part hereof.

II.

THAT all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with this resolution are repealed to the extent of such conflict only.

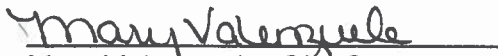
III.

THAT this Resolution shall be and become effective on and after adoption.

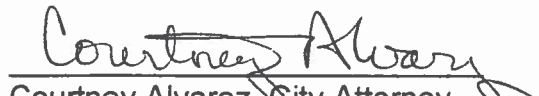
PASSED AND APPROVED by a majority vote of the City Commission on the
13th day of May, 2013.


Sam R. Fugate, Mayor

ATTEST:


Mary Valenzuela, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Courtney Alvarez, City Attorney