

**RESOLUTION NO. 4574**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD AWARDING THE BID TO ASHLAND HERCULES WATER TECHNOLOGY FOR THE PURCHASE OF SLUDGE DEWATERING POLYMER FOR THE WATER QUALITY DIVISION AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$30,130.00.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Soledad solicited bids for the purchase of sludge dewatering polymer required for the wastewater treatment system; and

**WHEREAS**, dewatering is scheduled to process 50,000 gallons of aerobically digested sludge four (4) days a week containing 1.5 - 2.1% total solids.; and

**WHEREAS**, the City advertised for bids for the purchase and delivery of sludge dewatering polymer on August 1, 2010 via web-site e; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 21, 2010, the City received three bids from Jenfitch LLC, NTU Technologies, Inc., and Ashland Hercules Water Technology all suppliers for sludge dewatering polymer; and

**WHEREAS**, Staff has reviewed the bids and recommends that the City Council awards the bid for the purchase of sludge dewatering polymer with an option to extend contract for two additional one year terms to Ashland Hercules Water Technology as they met all specifications for the bidding process; and

**WHEREAS**, expenditures for the purchase and delivery of the sludge dewatering polymer for the wastewater system will be expended from the Wastewater Operating budget, Chemical line item #310-5910-2032 with an adopted budget amount of \$150,000.00 for fiscal year 2010-2011.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Soledad that the Council hereby awards the bid for the purchase of sludge dewatering polymer and authorizes the City Manager to execute a blanket purchase order with Ashland Hercules Water Technology for an amount not to exceed \$30,130.00.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Soledad at a regular meeting duly held on the 6<sup>th</sup> of October, 2010 by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Councilmembers: Richard J. Perez, Juan Saavedra, Patricia Stephens, Mayor Pro Tem Martha Camacho and Mayor Richard V. Ortiz

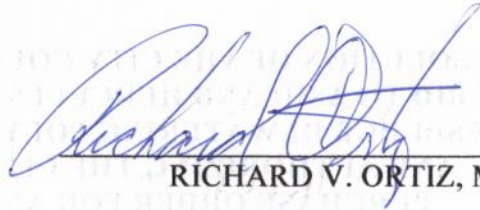
NOES, Councilmembers:

ABSTAIN, Councilmembers:

ABSENT, Councilmembers:

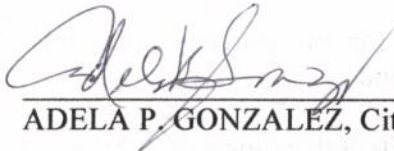
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**RICHARD V. ORTIZ, Mayor**

ATTEST:



**ADELA P. GONZALEZ, City Clerk**