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RESOLUTION AWARDNG PURCHASE ORDER FOR PARKING METER EQUIPMENT

WHEREAS, the Public Works Committee approved a proposal for the Department of Transportation staff to replace, expand, and upgrade existing single space parking meters downtown; and

WHEREAS, this will allow staff to implement a rate increase for on-street parking by replacing the single space mechanical meters internal components with programmable electronic mechanisms; and

WHEREAS, the existing single space parking meters are made by POM Incorporated, the sole source provider; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Transportation requests approval to purchase parking meter equipment and parts from POM Incorporated, sole source provider, at a cost of \$87,985.50.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem that a purchase order for the purchase of parking meter equipment and is hereby awarded to POM, Inc. in the total amount of \$87,985.50.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the award of this purchase order constitutes a preliminary determination as to the qualification of the bidder. The City is not legally bound to perform the purchase order until the order is duly executed by the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this purchase would be paid with budget operating funds.