RESOLUTION NO. 2016-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF GARFIELD, WASHINGTON, authorizing the purchase of a used backhoe under special market conditions.

Whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Garfield recognizes that under RCW 39.04.280 (b), special market conditions exist in that no two pieces of used equipment are alike and specifications must be general.

Whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Garfield recognizes that under RCW 39.04.280(b), special market conditions exist in that when a used piece of equipment is available which meets specifications and is at a favorable price, it would likely be sold before the bidding process could be completed.

Whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Garfield recognizes that quality used equipment is often available directly through the state or municipal or political subdivisions, and under RCW 39.33.010 such sales are authorized on such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties.

Whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Garfield recognizes that quality used equipment is often available through public and private auctions, and under RCW 39.30.045 such sales are authorized if the item can be obtained at a competitive price.

Whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Garfield will follow a competitive price comparison process, reviewing prices of similar used equipment available.

Whereas, the Town of Garfield has sufficient town utilities equipment reserve funds to cover the anticipated purchase of a used backhoe. All costs shall not exceed forty thousand dollars (\$35,000).

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GARFIELD, WASHINGTON, does hereby authorize the Public Works Superintendent to purchase a used backhoe according to the attached specifications.

PASSED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL THIS 7th DAY OF December, 2016.

TOWN COUNCIL:

APPROVED:

Ray McCown, Mayor

ATTEST:

Cody Lord, Clerk/Treasurer

USED BACKHOE PURCHASE UNDER SPECIAL MARKET CONDITIONS SPECIFICATIONS OF BACKHOE

The Town of Garfield is interested in purchasing a used backhoe that meets the following specifications:

- 2003 New Holland Backhoe
- Enclosed Cab
- Must Have Heating and Air Conditioning
- Front 4-Way Bucket
- Additional Attachments for Backhoe Including Bucket with Thumb
- Good Condition with Less than 1,000 Hours
- 4 Wheel Drive
- Purchase Price Less Than \$35,000