

RESOLUTION NO. 240

AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF BACKHOE

WHEREAS, after reviewing the needs of the District's equipment with the Superintendent, and

WHEREAS, it was learned that the most urgent need was a backhoe in order for the District to be more efficient in most phases of work performed, and

WHEREAS, the District's Manager has obtained three (3) written quotes, namely: Simcoe Equipment Company, Yakima, Washington in the amount of \$41,696.35; Valley Tractor & Equipment Company, Wenatchee, Washington in the amount of \$35,000; and, Rowand Machinery Company, Spokane, Washington in the amount of \$35,456.71, and

WHEREAS, after consulting with local contractors of their opinion on various types of backhoes, it was determined that the John-Deere, JD-510 would better serve the District's needs, and

WHEREAS, it was determined by the Board of Commissioners that it would be deemed in the best interest of the District to purchase the backhoe rather than lease it,

THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS authorize the Manager to arrange financing in the amount of \$30,000 payable quarterly, for five years and purchase said backhoe, John-Deere JD-510 from Rowand Machinery Company, Spokane, Washington in the amount of \$35,456.71 plus sales tax.

ADOPTED, this 22nd day of May 1978, by the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS of the EAST WENATCHEE WATER DISTRICT, Douglas County, Washington at a regular meeting thereof.



J. Clyde Ballard, President

ATTEST:


Walt Hampton, Secretary

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