

RESOLUTION NO. 35-2015

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS,  
AWARDING BID TO PURCELL CONTRACTING, LTD FOR THE FINISHED WATER  
FLOW METER AND PIPING IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT**

**WHEREAS**, The City of Abilene (City) owns and operates the Northeast Water Treatment Plant (WTP) located in northeast Abilene and the Grimes WTP located in central Abilene; and

**WHEREAS**, regulations of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality require that the City accurately measure the raw water and finished water flows at each WTP in order to determine losses during the treatment process, establish base values for treated water delivered, and more closely calculate water losses in the distribution system; and

**WHEREAS**, Enprotec/Hibbs & Todd, Inc. was hired by Abilene to work with City staff in evaluating the City's water treatment plant finished water metering needs, to develop contract documents, to assist with the bidding process, and to provide general supervision and contract administration during construction; and

**WHEREAS**, the Finished Water Flow Meter and Piping Improvements Project will significantly improve the accuracy of the finished water flow measurements as compared to the existing metering systems; and

**WHEREAS**, Purcell Contracting, Ltd. submitted the low bid price totaling \$197,000.00, and the Engineer, after evaluating the bid submittal and investigating Purcell, does recommend awarding the bid to the low bidder; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:**

The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a contract with Purcell Contracting, Ltd. for the Finished Water Flow Meter and Piping Improvements Project in the amount of \$197,000.00.

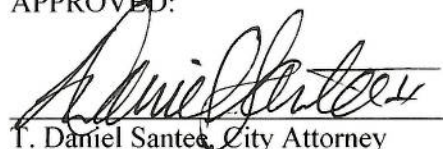
**ADOPTED this 28th day of May, 2015.**

ATTEST:

  
Danette Dunlap, City Secretary

  
Norman Archibald, Mayor

APPROVED:

  
T. Daniel Santee, City Attorney