RESOLUTION 2006 - 79

A RESOLUTION DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AUTHORIZING RING POWER TO RE-BUILD A COUNTY-OWNED D250E CATERPILLAR ARTICULATED DUMP.

WHEREAS, the Solid Waste Director has notified the County Administrator that the D250E Caterpillar articulated dump located at the Landfill is out of service; and

WHEREAS, the Solid Waste Director further advised that three (3) quotes were solicited from the following: Industrial Tractor, Nationwide Equipment, and Ring Power; but only Ring Power responded; and

WHEREAS, Ring Power initially quoted \$3,840.41 to repair the equipment, but a motor tear-down indicated the damage was more significant; and

WHEREAS, Ring Power advised that the engine could be repaired for \$10,848.32 or re-built for \$32,299.03; and

WHEREAS, the re-built engine would include a three (3) year/five hundred (500) hour warranty; and

WHEREAS, the County Administrator advised that the equipment is crucial to the Landfill operation and must be returned to the Landfill as quickly as possible; and

WHEREAS, the County Administrator and the Solid Waste Director recommend that Ring Power re-build the engine as it will provide a warranty and extend the operational life of the unit by three (3) years; and

WHEREAS, the County is presently leasing a tractor from Industrial Tractor for \$8,000.00 per month.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 28th day of April, 2006, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, as follows:

- 1. The Board of County Commissioners, based on the recommendation of the county Administrator, hereby declares an emergency regarding the D250E Caterpillar articulated dump.
- 2. The County Administrator shall notify Ring Power to proceed to re-build the D250E Caterpillar for the sum of \$32,292.03.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

THOMAS D. BRANAN, JR.

Its: Chairman

ATTEST:

JØHN A. CRAWFORD

Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the Nassau County Attorney

MICHAEL'S. MULLIN

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