RESOLUTION NO. 14-139

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES AMENDING A CONTRACT WITH SWCA ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS TO PROVIDE ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTING SERVICES FOR RECYCLED WATER PRODUCTION FACILITIES

WHEREAS, the City has a master plan to produce recycled water at its wastewater treatment plant. The City is presently in preliminary design of recycled water production facilities.

WHEREAS, in order to compete for potential zero interest loans and grants through the State's Revolving Fund (SRF) loan program, the City requires the services of a specialized environmental consultant.

WHEREAS, the City presently has a contract with SWCA Environmental Consultants of San Luis Obispo, for environmental consulting services related to upgrade of the City's wastewater treatment plant upgrade.

WHEREAS, City staff has negotiated a scope of work and fee with SWCA Environmental Consultants for environmental consulting services for recycled water production facilities. Tasks include preparation of an initial study and mitigated negative declaration and consultation with permitting agencies. SWCA's fee for this scope of work is \$21,183.

WHEREAS, SWCA Environmental Consultants has demonstrated through its work on the wastewater treatment plant upgrade project that it is well qualified to prepare environmental documents that meet SRF requirements. Since SWCA Environmental Consultants has already completed biological, archaeological, and historical studies of the treatment plant site, SWCA is in the best position to efficiently complete all necessary environmental documents for recycled water production facilities.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby approves amendment of a contract with SWCA Environmental Consultants for environmental services for recycled water production facilities, for an amount not to exceed \$21,183, and authorizes the City Manager to execute the contract amendment.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The City Council hereby allocates \$21,183 from the Sewer Enterprise Fund professional services budget to capital improvement project budget number 6019101-52240-C0041 (Recycled Water Production Facilities), for environmental consulting services.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles this 7TH day of October 2014, by the following votes:

AYES:

Martin, Strong, Steinbeck, Hamon, Picanco

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

ATTEST

and Michael Para

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Duane Picanco, Mayor