

**Resolution authorizing a one-year supply agreement with two additional one-year option periods, with Chemtrade Chemicals US, LLC, of Parsippany, New Jersey, for the purchase of liquid ammonium sulfate for Corpus Christi Water in an amount of \$620,532.00, with a potential amount of \$2,412,846.00 if options are exercised, with FY 2025 funding of \$258,555.00 from the Water Fund.**

**WHEREAS**, liquid ammonium sulfate is a chemical used to form a combined chlorine disinfectant for our water system;

**WHEREAS**, State law generally requires that procurements are subject to statutory requirements, including competitive bids, unless an exception applies;

**WHEREAS**, there is a statutory exception for this procurement in Local Government Code, Section 252.022(a)(2), as this purchase is necessary to preserve or protect the public health or safety of the City's residents;

**WHEREAS**, liquid ammonium sulfate delivered by tons is a chemical used to form a combined chlorine disinfectant for our water system and is volatile in the current market; and

**WHEREAS**, given the necessity to receive this chemical used to form a combined chlorine disinfectant for our water system, the City believes that it is in the best interest of the City's residents to enter into an agreement with Chemtrade Chemicals US, LLC, that allows for some flexibility in pricing up to a set maximum annual amount so as to avoid any interruption in the City's supply of liquid ammonium sulfate which is necessary to preserve the public health or safety of the City's residents.

**Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Corpus Christi, Texas:**

**Section 1.** The City Council specifically finds that the foregoing statements included in the preamble of this resolution are true and correct and adopts such findings for all intents and purposes related to the authorization of this procurement.

**Section 2.** The City Manager, or designee, is authorized to execute all documents necessary for a one-year supply agreement, with two additional one-year option, for the purchase of liquid ammonium sulfate, in an amount of \$620,532.00, with a potential amount of \$2,412,846.00 if all options are exercised, with Chemtrade Chemicals US, LLC, of Parsippany, New Jersey.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025:

ATTEST:

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Paulette Guajardo  
Mayor

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Rebecca Huerta  
City Secretary