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A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE APPROVAL OF THE CONTRACT WITH WESTAIR GASES AND EQUIPMENT INC. (BID 10089356-18-J) TO PROVIDE BULK LIQUID OXYGEN FOR THE ALVARADO AND MIRAMAR WATER FILTRATION PLANTS IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15301.

WHEREAS, an Invitation to Bid (ITB), No.10089356-18-V, to provide Bulk Liquid
Oxygen for the Alvarado and Miramar water filtration plants within the Public Utilities
Department, was issued by the Purchasing and Contracting Department on April 4, 2018, and
WestAir Gases & Equipment Inc. was the only company that submitted a bid in response to the
ITB (Project); and

WHEREAS, an award of this contract in the amount not to exceed \$4,551,450 would allow the anticipated expenditure of \$910,290 for FY19 and \$910,290 for each year thereafter; and

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq.), section 21084, states that the CEQA Guidelines thereto (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000 et seq.) shall list those classes of projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and which shall be exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to that authority, CEQA Guidelines sections 15300-15333 list the categorical exemptions promulgated by the California Office of Planning and Research and adopted by the Secretary of the California Natural Resources Agency for those classes of Projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment; and

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WHEREAS, the Development Services Department has established that the Project is

categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15301 (Existing

Facilities) and that no exception to the exemption, as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section

15300.2, applies to the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego has considered the potential

environmental effects of the Project, and

WHEREAS, on

OCT 0 9 2018 the City Council held a duly noticed

public meeting and considered the written record for the Project as well as public comment; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego, using its independent judgment, has

determined that the Project will not have a significant effect on the environment because the use

of bulk liquid oxygen is used for the treatment and disinfection of water for this existing facility

Project; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of San Diego determines that the Project

is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15301 (Existing

Facilities) and that an exception to the exemption does not apply.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of San Diego has

determined that an exception to the exemption as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2

does not apply.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of ______ OCT 0 9 2018 .

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