RESOLUTION NO.  2021-R-24

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA,
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE
PURCHASE ORDERS TO MKI SERVICES, INC., AS THE
SOLE SOURCE PROVIDER OF SUEZ BRAND PRODUCTS,
IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 7-143 OF THE CITY
CODE OF ORDINANCES, AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED
NINETY-EIGHT THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED DOLLARS
($98,900.00), FOR THE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR
THE WINSON WATER TREATMENT PLANT; PROVIDING
FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES,

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami ("City") Public Works Department has advised that
the Winson Water Treatment Plant requires replacement of the motor and gearbox for the water
treatment unit; and

WHEREAS, the gears in the gear box were recently repaired as they were mangled and
found to be well beyond their useful life; and

WHEREAS, since it is unknown how long the repairs will last in this condition, City staff
recommends the permanent replacement of the motors and gearbox; and

WHEREAS, manufacturer lead-time can take twelve (12) weeks or longer and if the City’s
existing unit were to fail, it would take months for water production to resume; and

WHEREAS, Suez Brand Products ("Suez") is the designer and manufacturer of the
clarifier, which is a component of the Water Plant, as well as the unit included in the plant
renovation; and

WHEREAS, MKI Services, Inc. ("MKI") is the sole and exclusive representative for Suez
within the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the City has verified with its consultant, that Suez brand equipment is
required for the current repairs and to achieve conformance with the City’s future water plant
renovation plans; and

WHEREAS, City administration respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council
authorize the sole source procurement of Suez brand equipment necessary for operations the
Winson Water Treatment Plant from MKI, at a cost not to exceed Ninety-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars ($98,900.00).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Authority of City Manager. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the City Manager to issue purchase orders to MKI Services, Inc., as the sole source manufacturer representative of Suez brand products within the State of Florida, in accordance with Section 7-143 of the City Code of Ordinances, at a cost not exceed Ninety-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars ($98,900.00).

Section 2. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a 4-0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 23rd day of February, 2021.

PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME
MAYOR

ATTEST:

VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Galvin
Seconded by: Bien-Aime
Vote:

Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime
Vice Mayor Scott Galvin
Councilman Alix Desulme, Ed.D.
Councilwoman Carol Keys, Esq.
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin

X  (Yes)  (No)
X  (Yes)  (No)
X  (Yes)  (No)
X  (Yes)  (No)
X  (Yes)  (No)  Absent