

County of Nueces



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BARBARA CANALES
County Judge
Nueces County Courthouse, Room 303
901 Leopard Street
Corpus Christi, Texas 78401-3697

ORDER BY THE NUECES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT GRANTING PURCHASING EXEMPTIONS UNDER SECTION 262.024 OF THE TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE

WHEREAS, the Texas Local Government Code authorizes the Commissioners Court to adopt an order granting an exemption from competitive requirements for certain purchases; and,

WHEREAS, section 262.024 (4) of the Texas Local Government Code provides for exemption to competitive bidding when it is a personal or professional service;

WHEREAS, section 2254.003 requires that professional services be selected and the contracts for such services be awarded “on the basis of demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform the services and “for a fair and reasonable price;”

WHEREAS, section 2254.003 does not mandate any particular selection process (see Tex. Atty. Gen. Op. GA-0494);

WHEREAS, the County will be seeking professional services of engineers for the construction of an observation deck at Horace Caldwell pier;

WHEREAS, time is of the essence;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF NUECES COUNTY, TEXAS, that they herein grant and order competitive purchasing exemption under 262.024(4) of the Texas Local Government Code for the purpose of the acquisition of professional services, specifically engineering for the construction of an observation deck at Horace Caldwell pier.

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ATTEST:

KARA SANDS, County Clerk