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**KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT
RESOLUTION 2011-25**

**CONFIRMATION OF DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY
AND AUTHORIZATION TO WAIVE
COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESS**

AUGUST 4, 2011 CANAL SEEPAGE REPAIRS

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of the Kennewick Irrigation District, Benton County, Washington, for the purpose of confirming the declaration of the existence and nature of an emergency; and waive the competitive bidding process.

WHEREAS, the District Manager has reported to the Board that public interest or property of the District would suffer material injury or damage by delay; specifically that the canal was seeping and any delay could result in damage unless repairs were made; and

WHEREAS, this constitutes an emergency and necessitates utilization of emergency powers, including but not limited to the emergency contracting authority granted pursuant to Kennewick Irrigation District Policy 2.13; and


WHEREAS, technical compliance with the otherwise-applicable contracting procedures would reasonably delay the performance of public works necessary to address the above referenced emergency;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the Kennewick Irrigation District confirms the Declaration of Emergency issued by the District Manager on August 4, 2011 and authorizes and ratifies the resulting actions of the District Manager in waiving competitive bidding practices and contracting for repairs.

RESOLUTION 2011-25 IS HEREBY ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of Kennewick Irrigation District, Benton County, Washington, at a regular open public meeting thereof this 16th day of August, 2011.


David McKenzie, President


Patrick McGuire, Director


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