



Eastern Kern

Air Pollution Control District

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Board of Directors
Eastern Kern APCD
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SUBJECT: Agreement with Kernville Union School District for School Bus Replacement

Honorable Board:

Eastern Kern Air Pollution Control District (District) collects a two-dollar DMV fee referred to as AB 923 (Stats. 2004, Ch. 707). As directed by your Governing Board, AB 923 funds are used to replace and retrofit older high-emitting school buses pursuant to the Lower-Emission School Bus Program (LESBP) adopted by the California Air Resources Board.

Kernville Union School District (KUSD) identified a high-emitting 1988 Blue Bird school bus eligible for replacement. KUSD submitted all applicable documentation required for the bus replacement to the District. Agreement 05-001-2018 will provide AB 923 funds for 69.48 percent of eligible costs, up to a maximum of \$110,000.00 of the estimated total project cost of \$158,312.57. The old bus is required to be removed from service and salvaged once the new bus is placed in service.

Four copies of the proposed agreement, a sample copy of which is attached, were sent to the applicant to approve by signature and are expected to be returned to the District prior to the Board Meeting. If any significant changes are identified by the applicant, the item will be withdrawn and the Agreement will be held to the July 2018 Board Meeting.

IT IS RECOMMENDED your Board approve and authorize Chairman to sign Agreement 05-001-2018 with Kernville Union School District for the purchase of a new school bus.

Sincerely,

Glen E. Stephens, P.E.
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