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Agenda	Board Meeting	Open/Closed	Information/Action	Issue
Item No.	Date	Session	Item	Date
11	07/27/15	Open	Action	07/15/15

Subject: Authorizing Solicitation of Bids for Weed Abatement Services

ISSUE

Whether or not to authorize solicitation of bids for weed abatement services.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Adopt Resolution No. 15-07_____, Authorizing Solicitation of Bids for Weed Abatement Services.

FISCAL IMPACT

This action does not involve the expenditure of funds. The contract award, which will involve the expenditure of funds, will be presented to the Board as a future action. The estimated cost for this 5-year Contract is \$320,000, and \$80,000 is included in the Fiscal Year (FY) 2016 Operating Budget.

DISCUSSION

On August 13, 2012, the Board of Directors awarded a 3-year Contract for weed abatement services to Quality Sprayers, Inc., which expired on June 30, 2015. The Contract was for chemical weed abatement materials and services for RT's entire operating light rail systems rights of way. Staff desires to solicit a new 5-year Contract for weed abatement services.

Staff recommends that the Board authorize solicitation for weed abatement services and approve the advertising for such services.

Approved:	Presented:
Final 07/22/15	

RESOLUTION NO.	15-07-
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Adopted by the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Regional Transit District on this date:

July 27, 2015

AUTHORIZING SOLICITATION OF BIDS FOR WEED ABATEMENT SERVICES

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE SACRAMENTO REGIONAL TRANSIT DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:

THAT, the Invitation for Bids for Weed Abatement Services is hereby approved and authorized for release.

THAT, the Invitation for Bids be advertised pursuant to the provisions of the RT Procurement Ordinance.

	JAY SCHENIRER, Chair
ATTEST:	
MICHAEL R. WILEY, Secretary	
By:	
Cindy Brooks, Assistant Secretary	<u> </u>