WHEREAS, The King County Housing Authority is required by RCW 43.325.80 and RCW 43.19.648 to purchase and/or convert the fleet to non-gasoline powered vehicles where practicable; and

WHEREAS, the King County Housing Authority seeks to secure the services of a propane fuel company to assist in the conversion of the KCHA fleet to non-gasoline powered vehicles; and

WHEREAS, KCHA has previously utilized interlocal, cooperative purchasing agreements with in- and out-of-state public agencies; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond uses open and competitive procurement policies that are substantially the same as KCHA’s; and

WHEREAS, the propane fuel services needed by KCHA is available through the City of Redmond using its competitively bid contract with Blue Star Gas; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 39.34 RCW The Interlocal Cooperation Act permits public agencies to cooperate and exercise joint powers in carrying out their public purposes, including the purchase of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond routinely enters into Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreements with other public agencies in order to reduce the cost of contracts and supplies; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond has used competitive bidding procedures which are substantially the same as KCHA’s to obtain a reasonable and fair price for the
propane fuel services needed by KCHA and is willing to enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement allowing KCHA to piggyback on their existing contract at a comparable price.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING; THAT:

Section 1. The Executive Director is hereby authorized to enter into an Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with the City of Redmond substantially in the form attached hereto for the purpose of securing a contractor to provide propane powered vehicles.

Section 2. This Interlocal Agreement may also be used to procure other competitively bid services and materials through the City of Redmond without amendment of this Agreement.


THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING, WASHINGTON

[Signature]

Doug Barnes, Chair
Board of Commissioners

STEPHEN NORMAN
Secretary