

RESOLUTION NO. R-2023-00

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA MARQUE, TEXAS
AUTHORIZING A BLOWER REPLACEMENT

WHEREAS, The current situation at the Wastewater Treatment Plant is at a critical stage, with only one Aeration Blower in operation.

WHEREAS, The City contracted with Altas Copco to repair Blower #1 during the last year, but unfortunately, the Blower expense to get the unit back in operation is not economically justified.

WHEREAS, The Wastewater Treatment Plant is required to have redundancy for aeration operations which is the most critical operation at an Activated Sludge Wastewater Treatment Plant.

WHEREAS, A unique option has been presented to the City by Atlas Copco, the company the city purchased the blower unit from in 2018.

WHEREAS, Atlas Copco has offered an agreement for their Air Plan Program, a rental program insuring reliability for the next 5 years for a total of approximately \$107,000 in lieu of a replacement unit which would be a greater expense.

WHEREAS, The City is currently in the process of design and construction of a Wastewater Treatment Plant Expansion project and City Staff recommends the Air Plan as opposed to purchase at this time in order to allow similar blower units that will be needed for the new WWTP

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF LA MARQUE, TEXAS
THAT:

The foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are hereby adopted by the City Council and made a part hereof for all purposes as findings of fact.

The Air Plan Agreement described in the attached Exhibit 1, and associated installation and integration costs not to exceed \$50,000 are ratified.

In the event any clause, phrase, provision sentence, or part of this Resolution or the application of the same to any person or circumstance for any reason be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, it is the intention of the City Council that the invalidity or unconstitutionality of the one or more parts shall not affect, impair, or invalidate this Resolution as a whole or any part or provision other than the part declared to be invalid or unconstitutional; and the City Council of

the City of La Marque, Texas, declares that it would have passed each and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission of any such part thus declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, whether there be one or more parts.

DULY PASSED by a majority vote of all members of the City Council of the City of La Marque on the _____ day of _____ 2023.

Keith Bell
Mayor

Kierra Nance, TRMC
City Clerk