



City Council
Regular Meeting
March 24, 2025

Badger Meters

Discuss and consider action: Ordinance No. 2025-19: J. Forsyth

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS, DECLARING THE PURCHASE OF BADGER METERS TO BE A SOLE SOURCE ACQUISITION





Procurement Requirements

- Competitive bidding required for municipal purchases over \$50,000 (Texas Local Gov't Code Chapter 252)
- Exemptions under Section 252.022, including:
 - Sole-source procurement (only one provider available)
 - Captive replacement parts (necessary for standardization & compatibility)



Justification for Sole Source

- City of Burnet has standardized water meters with Badger Meters with over one-third of existing meters are Badger Meters
- Integrating other brands would cause increased costs & operational inefficiencies
- Purchasing Badger Meters ensures compatibility with existing infrastructure
 - Reduces training & maintenance costs
 - Minimizes spare parts inventory needs
- Badger Meter Company confirms Atlas Utility Supply as sole vendor



Resolution Purpose

- Affirms sole-source acquisition for Badger Meters from Atlas Utility Supply under Texas Government Code 252.022





Questions?

Recommendation

- Staff recommends approval of Ordinance No. 2025-19 as presented.