



**STAFF REPORT**  
**1/22/2020**

**TO:** Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

**FROM:** Cástulo R. Estrada, Utilities Manager

**SUBJECT:** Authorize the Purchase of Thirty (30) James Jones J-4060 Fire Hydrants at a Cost of \$68,847.90.

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**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Authorize the Purchase of Thirty (30) James Jones J-4060 Fire Hydrants at a Cost of \$68,847.90.

**BACKGROUND:**

On May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019 the City of Coachella met with Walton Global Holdings, Ltd. (Walton) regarding the real property commonly known as “Vista Escondida” Tract 33264. The property was sold to D.R. Horton, Inc. and it was agreed that repairs to public improvements and facilities serving the property are required. Such public improvements and facilities were previously accepted by the City. The City acknowledged installing missing fire hydrants. There are approximately 25 missing hydrants.

Hydrants are also damaged by vehicles or stolen throughout the year. Purchasing the thirty hydrants will allow us to have inventory to complete the installation of hydrants at Vista Escondida and have inventory to replace damaged or stolen hydrants across the City.

We requested proposals from Western Water Works Supply Company and Core and Main which are attached to this report.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The 2019-2020 adopted budget has the required funds under the Water Operations General Supplies account 178-21-120-10-610-000 to cover the purchase.