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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOSHUA, TEXAS AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN THE EQUALIS GROUP PURCHASING PROGRAM; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Equalis Group is a purchasing organization that provides contracts competitively solicited by public agencies for a wide array of products and services; and,

WHEREAS, after a competitive solicitation and selection process conducted by Lead Agencies, Lead Agencies enter into master agreements with awarded suppliers to provide a variety of goods, products and services to the applicable Lead Agency and Purchasing Group Members; and,

WHEREAS, Master Agreements are made available to Purchasing Group Members by Lead Agencies through the Equalis Group Purchasing Program and provide that Purchasing Group Members may voluntarily purchase Products on the same terms, conditions, and pricing as the Lead Agency, subject to any applicable federal and/or local purchasing ordinances and the laws of the State of purchase; and,

WHEREAS, in addition to Master Agreements, the Equalis Group Purchasing Program may from time to time offer Purchasing Group Members the opportunity to acquire Products through other group purchasing agreements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF JOSHUA, TEXAS as follows:

The City of Joshua shall be authorized to execute a Master Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Equalis Group to participate in the Equalis Group Purchasing Program and utilize any contract for goods and services available thereunder.

This resolution shall take effect immediately after its passage on the date shown below.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOSHUA, TEXAS, THIS 20th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2025.

ATTEST:	Scott Kimble Mayor
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Alice Holloway	
City Secretary	