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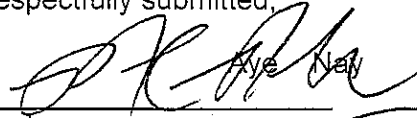
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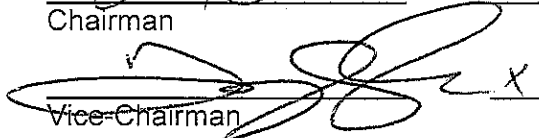
COUNTY BOARD, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
ADJOURNED REGULAR SEPTEMBER, A.D., 2003 SESSION
APRIL 13, A.D., 2004

MADAM CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD:


Your Financial and Administrative Committee present herewith a Resolution awarding a contract to ProLiance Energy, Indianapolis, IN, in the estimated amount of \$838,327.98 for Natural Gas Transportation & Management Services for Lake County, charging the cost to various operating agencies, for a one year contract plus renewal options, in accordance with their bid; and requests its adoption.

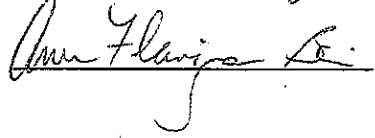
Respectfully submitted,


Chairman


Vice-Chairman

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Financial & Administrative Committee

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 5-102 of the Lake County Purchasing Ordinance, bids were called for by publication for Transportation Gas and Management Services for various Lake County departments and the Public Building Commission, and

WHEREAS, subsequent to said publication, request for bids were extended to nineteen (19) vendors; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were received from three (3) vendors and opened in the County Building, Waukegan, Illinois, on Thursday, March 25, 2004, at 2:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, based on the criteria set forth in the Invitation for Bids, ProLiance Energy was the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, and whereas, the next lowest bid was received from Santanna Energy at an estimated cost of \$940,477.06;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that the Director of Central Services is hereby directed to enter into a contract with ProLiance Energy of Indianapolis, IN, in the estimated amount of \$ 838,327.98, for Transportation Gas and Management Services for various Lake County departments and the Public Building Commission, charging the cost to various operating agencies for gas at index or fixed prices, as may be most advantageous, for a one (1) year contract plus renewal options.

DATED, at WAUKEGAN, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, on this 13th day of April, A.D., 2004.