



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** PROPOSED BID RECOMMENDATION

Presented by: ARNOLD RANDALL, GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT

Department: Resource Management

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Account Name/Number: 09-6750 Habitat Restoration

District(s): 5, 6

Concurrence(s):

The vendor has met the Minority and Women Business Enterprise Ordinance provision. The Chief Attorney and Chief Financial Officer have approved this item.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:** (Inactive) ARNOLD RANDALL, General Superintendent

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10/6/2015	1	FPD Board of Commissioners	approve	Pass
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