#### FOR BOARD ACTION

Agenda Item # 6

**Meeting Date:** 

7/27/10

**SUBJECT:** 

Approval of Contract with Kidzbits for Phase 2 RPU Education Center Exhibits at

Cascade Meadow Wetlands and Environmental Science Center

PREPARED BY:

Tony Benson, Communications Coordinator

#### ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Phase 1 of the RPU Education Center exhibit was approved by the Utility Board at the April 2010 meeting. Staff worked with Kidzibits to make Phase 1 a standalone exhibit, but in order to provide our customers and visitors with the greatest educational value, Phase 2 inclusion is necessary.

Phase 2 will include the following educational concepts for visitors when exploring the RPU Energy Fun House:

- Be A Phantom Detective interactive display that encourages visitors to find appliances that draw electricity while turned off.
- Running on Energy Star whimsical stacks of appliances attached to a bike generator.
- Infra-Red Walls detect where heat or cooled air is escaping.
- Bathroom detect simple savings located in the bathroom.
- RPU Customers Talk Back a bulletin board for interactive questions by vistitors.
- Emerging Technologies graphics introduction to emerging technologies.

Kidzibits is confident that Phase 2 will be completed to meet the public opening scheduled for later this year.

#### FOR CAPITAL PURCHASES/BIDS/MAJOR PROJECTS:

The Phase 2 contract amount is \$97,500. \$30,000 will come from the marketing Conservation Improvement Program (CIP) 2010 budget and \$67,500 will come from the 2010 contingency budget.

#### **UTILITY BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:**

The Board is requested to approve the Fabrication Services Agreement with Kidzbits for Phase 2 of the RPU Energy Fun House in the amount of \$97,500, and request that the Mayor and City Clerk execute the agreement.

General Manager

Date

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## **FABRICATION SERVICES AGREEMENT**

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PROJECT: RPU Conserve and Save Energy Fun House - 2

COMPANY:

Rochester Public Utility

REPRESENTATIVE:

**Tony Benson** 

PHONE:

507-280-1534 FAX:

This agreement includes all of the items provided by KidZibits, as described below:

### RPU Conserve and Save Energy Fun House at Cascade Meadow - Phase 2:

Per Design Development Document dated 2/19/10.

KidZibits will provide the following:

Phase two exhibit total:	\$97.500
Performance Bond	\$3,600
Installation allowance	\$4,500
Emerging Technologies graphics	\$7,000
RPU Customers Talk Back	\$6,500
Bathroom	\$14,150
Infra-Red Walls	\$12,100
Running on Energy Star	\$38,600
Be a Phantom Detective	\$11,050

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Accepted by:

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Costs:	Total post for r	roviding this pr	niact ie:	\$97,50	n	2 of 2	
Costs:							
	This includes delivery and installation.						
Timeline:	4 months are required to complete this project.						
Terms:	25%	Downpayment					
	25%	Progress payme	ent				
	25%	Due prior to deli	ivery				
	25%	Net 10 upon co	•				
Changes:	Changes to this agreement will only be undertaken upon receipt of						
•	a signed change order. Changes could result in adjustments to the cost.						
Warranty:	KidZibits warra	nts performance	of its services her	eunder against defe	et in		
		orkmanship for a					
				replace free of char	ge		
	(except for shipping and travel expenses), any part that exhibits a						
	deficiency due to inferior workmanship or materials.						
	Purchased items will be warranted to the extent of the manufacturers warranty.						
	Vandalism, abu	se and normal w	ear & tear are not	covered by this war	ranty.		
Property:	All designs produced as a result of this contract to become property of RPU.						
Laws:	This agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Minnesota.						
Validity:	The price quoted in this agreement is valid for 10 days.						
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Acceptance:	If you agree with and accept this agreement, please sign below and return it with a downpayment to KidZibits.						
Accepted by:				Date:			
	Tony Benson		Rochester Pub	lic Utility			
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Date:

KidZibits LLC

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ROCHESTER PUBLIC UTILITIES	
General Manager	
CITY OF ROCHESTER	
Mayor	
Attest:	
City Clerk	
Reviewed By:	
City Attorney	-



## RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Public Utility Board of the City of Rochester, Minnesota, to approve a
Fabrication Services Agreement with Kidzibits, and to request that the Mayor and the City Clerk
execute the Agreement for

Phase 2 Exhibit Development for RPU Education Center at Cascade Meadow Wetlands and Environment Science Center

The amount of the Agreement to be NINETY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUDRED AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$97,500.00).

Passed by the Public Utility Board of the City of Rochester, Minnesota, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2010.

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Secretary			