Memorandum

Buckman Direct Diversion

Date: June 5, 2025

To: Buckman Direct Diversion Board

Via: Bradley Prada, BDD Facilities Manager

Kurt Traverse, BDD Accounting Support

From: Gutema Ayana, BDD Contract Admin Support

Re: Approval of Professional Service Agreement with Aria Filtra - Trojan Technologies Corp.

ITEM:

Request for approval of a Professional Service Agreement with Aria Filtra – Trojan Technologies Corp. in an amount not to exceed $860,541.19 for Fiscal Year 2025.

1. Request approval of the Professional Service Agreement with Aria Filtra – Trojan Technologies Corp.
2. Request for authorization of a Budget Adjustment Request in the amount of $860,541.19 from the Major Repair and Replacement Fund.

BACKGROUND:

The Buckman Direct Diversion (BDD) water treatment plant relies upon the usage of filtration, instrumentation and control equipment programmed by Aria Filtra (formerly Pall Corp.), as incorporated in its microfiltration process. BDD utilizes a membrane microfiltration system consisting of 7 racks of 104 Aria Filtra microfiltration modules each along with the Aria Filtra control system. We are preparing to replace 208 of the 728 Aria Filtra microfiltration modules on the filter system; the scope of work will include removing the spent modules and their associated fittings and replacing them with new modules and fittings, then testing the replaced components for proper filter function and no leaks. The Aria Filtra (formerly Pall Water) filter cartridges are a proprietary Aria Filtra product and on August 11th, 2023 the Sole Source determination (under Pall Water) was posted to the State of New Mexico website as Procurement ID 40-M0087-23-CP355 for a term of four years.

ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff recommend approval of the PSA with Aria Filtra in the amount of $860,541.19.

MUNIS Contract # TBD
BU/OB: MRRF System Equipment 8000825.570550   Project Ledger Code: BDD1111 MRRF

Approval:
Approved by BDDB June ___, 2025

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Commissioner Justin Greene, BDDB Chair