

## INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT

**THIS AGREEMENT** is between Benton County, a political subdivision of the State of Washington, and the City of Richland, a municipal corporation.

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the Interlocal Cooperation Act, as amended, and codified in Chapter 39.34 of the Revised Code of Washington provides for interlocal cooperation between governmental agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of this agreement is to cooperatively undertake and complete an aerial photography and orthophoto mapping project of BENTON COUNTY, including the areas lying within the CITY OF RICHLAND; and

**WHEREAS**, this project will benefit both, because the COUNTY has a need to update its ortho-imagery of the County in 2012, and the CITY OF RICHLAND has a need to update its ortho-imagery of those areas lying within the limits of the Richland Urban Growth Boundary in 2012; and

**WHEREAS**, both parties have the capability to independently acquire and/or produce 2012 ortho-imagery, but if each acted independently, the results would involve significant redundancies and increased costs; and

**WHEREAS**, a major goal of this Agreement is to reduce and/or eliminate duplication and save governmental costs; and

**WHEREAS**, the COUNTY requires ortho-imagery to be delivered with 12-inch pixel resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, the CITY OF RICHLAND has requested that the COUNTY provide and deliver to them the ortho-imagery of the Richland Urban Growth Boundary with 4-inch or better pixel resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, the COUNTY will be entering into a personal services contract with AEROQUEST OPTIMAL, INC., for the purpose of undertaking and completing an aerial photography and orthophoto mapping project of Benton County; and

**WHEREAS**, the COUNTY is willing to include, as part of the contract to be entered with AEROQUEST OPTIMAL, INC., all provisions necessary to deliver ortho-imagery of the areas lying within the Richland Urban Growth Boundary to the CITY OF RICHLAND at the requested 4-inch or better pixel resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, the CITY OF RICHLAND has agreed to pay the COUNTY the amount of the cost of the delivery of ortho-imagery with 4-inch or better pixel resolution; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the parties agree as follows:

1. The COUNTY shall provide all data and resources necessary for AEROQUEST OPTIMAL, INC., to complete the work as outlined in the personal services contract to be entered with AEROQUEST OPTIMAL, INC., for the purpose of undertaking and completing an aerial photography and orthophoto mapping project of Benton County.
2. The COUNTY shall provide all preliminary data received from AEROQUEST OPTIMAL, INC., for the Richland Urban Growth Boundary to the CITY OF RICHLAND for their review and comment.
3. The COUNTY shall deliver to the CITY OF RICHLAND a copy of all project deliverables across the entire extent of the project area, including both project documentation and project data, as described in the personal services contract to be entered with AEROQUEST OPTIMAL, INC.
4. The CITY OF RICHLAND shall reimburse the COUNTY in the amount of the cost of the delivery of ortho-imagery with 4-inch or better pixel resolution for the area described in Exhibit A (Attached). The amount to be reimbursed by the CITY OF RICHLAND to the COUNTY shall not exceed a sum of Eleven Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty-nine dollars (\$11,743).
5. The COUNTY shall submit an invoice to the CITY OF RICHLAND for reimbursement to the COUNTY upon the successful delivery of the project documentation and project data.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Leo M Bowman  
Leo Bowman, Chairman

Shon Small  
Shon Small, Chair Pro-Tem

James Beaver  
James Beaver, Member

Date: 3/13/2012

ATTEST:

Carmel M. J. ...  
Clerk to the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ryan Brown  
Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

CITY OF RICHLAND  
RICHLAND, WASHINGTON

Cindy Johnson  
Cindy Johnson, City Manager

Date: 2-16-12

Thomas O. Lampson  
Thomas O. Lampson, City Attorney

**RESOLUTION 2012 148**

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF BENTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

**IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF RICHLAND FOR HIGH RESOLUTION COLOR DIGITAL ORTHOPHOTOGRAPHY FOR 2012 FOR THE AREA WITHIN THE CITY OF RICHLAND'S URBAN GROWTH BOUNDARY.**

**WHEREAS**, per the Interlocal Cooperation Act, as amended, and codified in Chapter 39.34 of the Revised Code of Washington provides for interlocal cooperation between governmental agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to keep up with growth and the associated public services, Benton County continually updates its GIS base and periodically updates its digital orthophotography base; and

**WHEREAS**, Benton County will be updating its digital orthophotography base in 2012; and

**WHEREAS**, both Benton County and the City of Richland have the capability to independently acquire and/or produce 2012 ortho-imagery, but if each acted independently, the results would involve significant redundancies and increased costs; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Richland has requested that Benton County provide and deliver to them 4-inch or better pixel resolution ortho-imagery within the city's urban growth area; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Richland has agreed to pay Benton County the amount of the cost of the delivery of the 4-inch or better pixel resolution ortho-imagery within the city's urban growth area, in an amount not to exceed a sum of Eleven Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty-nine dollars (\$11,749); **NOW, THEREFORE**

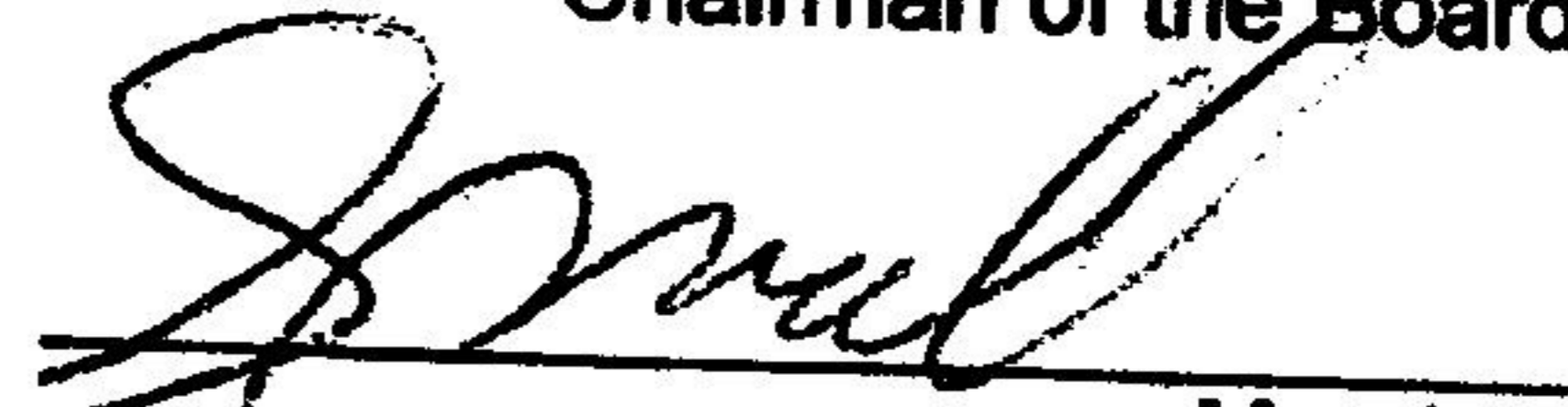
**BE IT RESOLVED**, the Board of Benton County Commissioners, Benton County, Washington hereby agree to approve this Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with the City of Richland; and


**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** the Board hereby authorizes the Chairman to sign the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement attached hereto; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** the term of the attached contract commences upon execution by both parties and shall expire upon the completion of the project.


Dated this 13 day of March, 2012.

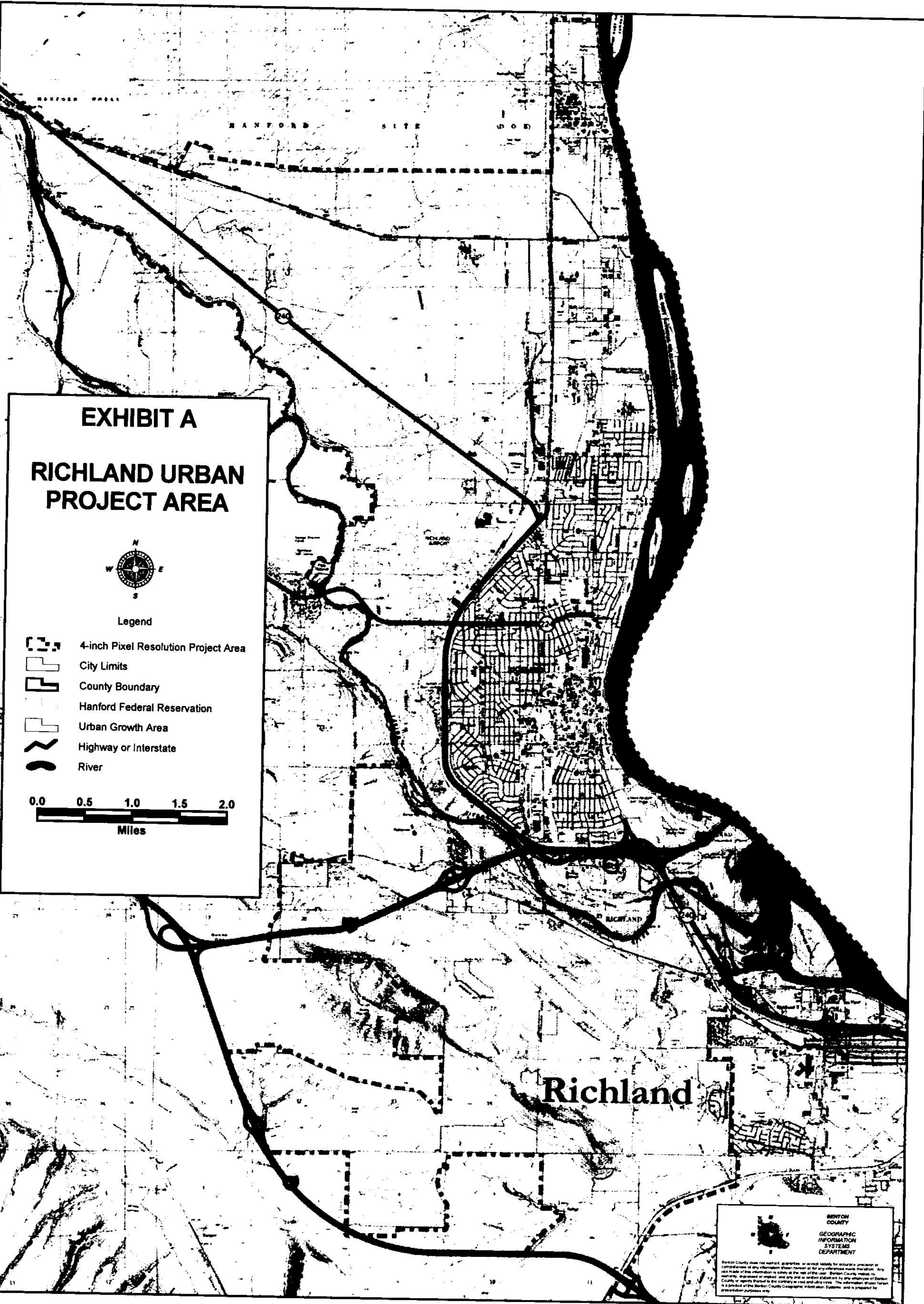
  
Chairman of the Board

  
Member

  
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Constituting the Board of Commissioners  
of Benton County, Washington

Attest.....  
Clerk of the Board


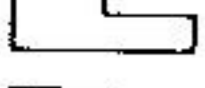







**EXHIBIT A**

**RICHLAND URBAN PROJECT AREA**


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Legend

-  4-inch Pixel Resolution Project Area
-  City Limits
-  County Boundary
-  Hanford Federal Reservation
-  Urban Growth Area
-  Highway or Interstate
-  River

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**Richland**

  
 SEBASTIAN COUNTY  
 GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS DEPARTMENT  
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RESOLUTION NO. 14-12

A RESOLUTION of the City of Richland approving an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with Benton County for Aerial Photography.

WHEREAS, the Interlocal Cooperation Act, RCW 39.34, authorizes and allows municipal corporations to make the most efficient use of their powers by enabling them to cooperate with each other on the basis of mutual advantage through the execution of an Interlocal cooperative agreement; and

WHEREAS, as part of the City's Information Technology Strategic Plan approved in 2010, an effort was launched to standardize the existing Graphical Information Systems (GIS) onto an common enterprise wide GIS platform; and

WHEREAS, this effort is to consolidate and provide citywide access to various types of City data using one system and City has chosen Environmental Systems Research Institute's (ESRI) GIS platform as the City standard; and

WHEREAS, the City of Richland has been working with Benton and Franklin Counties and with several other government agencies in the Tri-Cities region to create and put to bid a Request for Proposal to select a vendor that would meet all of the parties GIS needs; and

WHEREAS, Aeroquest Optimail, Inc. was selected by the regional team to provide project documentation and project data outlined in the RFP; and

WHEREAS, Benton and Franklin Counties have agreed to handle the contractual agreements with Aeroquest Optimail, Inc. with the understanding that each governmental agency party would reimburse their respective county for their portion of the project cost; and

WHEREAS, the funds for the City portion of this project have been included in the 2012 Information Technology Divisional budget and the acquisition of the aerial photography is planned for late February or early March 2012 time frame in order to get high quality orthophoto imagery with the leaves off the trees.

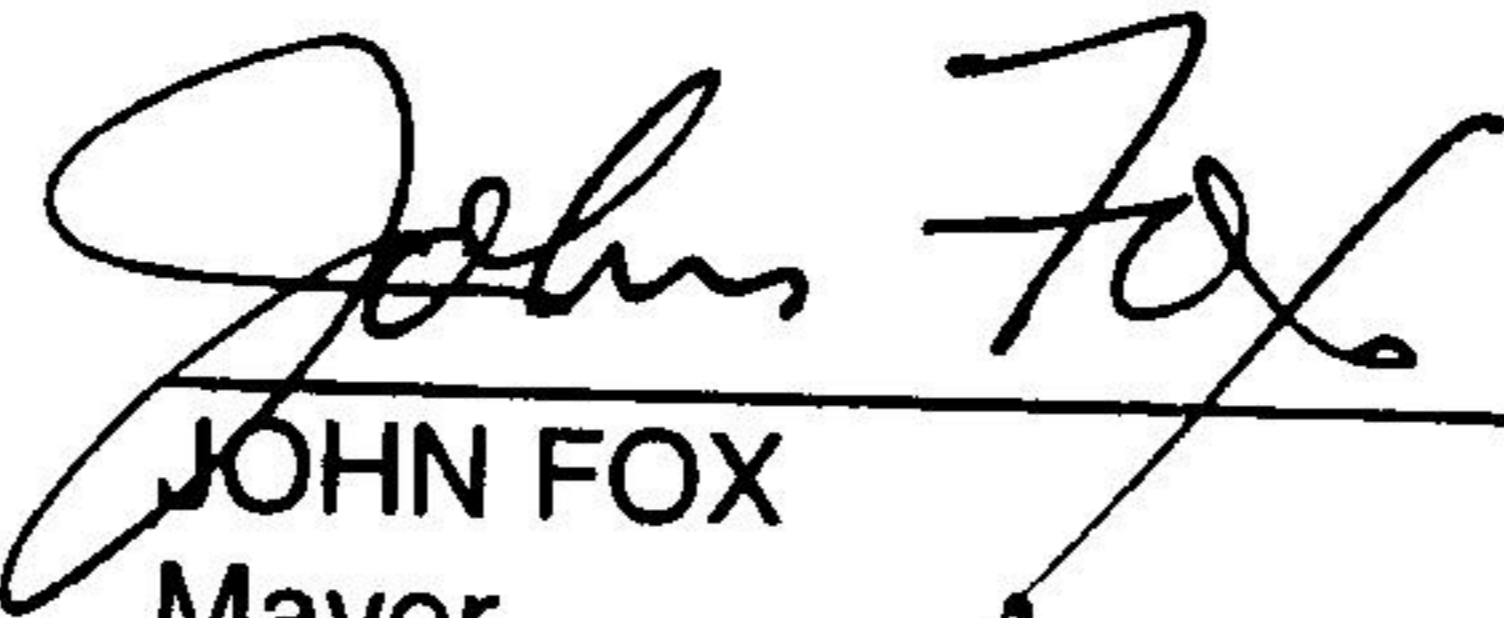
WHEREAS, Benton County has contracted with Aeroquest Optimail, Inc. to produce and deliver aerial photography and orthophoto imagery for the entire county including the areas lying within the limits of the Richland Urban Growth Boundary.

WHEREAS, City Council's approval of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with Benton County would be beneficial to the City and is recommended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Richland hereby authorizes the City Manager to sign and execute an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with Benton County for aerial photography.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall take effect immediately.


ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Richland at a regular meeting on the 7th day of February, 2012.

  
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JOHN FOX  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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MARCIA HOPKINS  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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THOMAS O. LAMPSON  
City Attorney