

June 17, 2014  
Item IV.C

MEMO TO: KIRC Commissioners  
FROM: Michael K. Nāho‘opi‘i, Executive Director  
SUBJECT: Authorize the Executive Director to Extend Communication Services Contract for FY15

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**RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

To authorize the Executive Director to extend the Communication Services Contract with Harmer Radio and Electronics, Inc. for the period July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015 in the amount of \$55,754.68

**BACKGROUND & SUMMARY:**

The current Harmer Communications contract to provide communications services will expire on June 30, 2014. This will be the third of three extensions.

The contract services include the repair and maintenance of all KIRC radios, base stations and repeater systems (voice); repair, maintenance and site rental for all KIRC microwave relay systems (internet and telephone); and Dish services (television).

**LEGAL AUTHORITY:**

The relevant provisions of Chapter 6K, Hawai`i Revised Statutes, read as follows:

**[§6K-6] Responsibilities and duties of the commission.** The general administration of the island reserve shall rest with the commission. In carrying out its duties and responsibilities, the commission...

(2) Shall approve all contracts for services and rules pertaining to the island reserve...

**[§6K-9.5] Kaho`olawe rehabilitation trust fund.** (b) The commission may use moneys in the trust fund to carry out the purposes of this chapter, including hiring employees, specialist and consultants necessary to complete projects relating to the purposes of this chapter.

**RECOMMENDATION**

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