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NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY
AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

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1929
YEAR 1929

SUPERINTENDENT'S NO.
No. 0

1929

DEPT. No.
ENGINEERING DEPT. No. 5

A. F. E. NO. 374

System

DIV.

DISTRICT STATE
BRANCH

VAL. SEC. No.

AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED FOR A NET EXPENDITURE OF \$ 4,886

Accounting distribution as follows: (Distribution to be made in General Office.)

| | Operating Expenses | Profit and Loss | Net Operating Expenses | Net Profit and Loss |
|--|--------------------|-----------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Cost of property retired | \$ 1,200 | | 850 | |
| Value of salvage | 350 | | 2,520 | |
| Incidental costs | | | | |
| Total to Operating Expenses | | | | \$ 3,370 ✓ |
| Total to Profit and Loss | | | | |
| To Material and Supplies | | | | 350 ✓ |
| To Bills for Collection | | | | |
| To Other Accounts | | | | 1,516 ✓ |
| Net charge to investment account—Additions and Betterments | | | | \$ 5,236 ✓ |
| Total of distribution | | | | |

Original Cost Adjustment
Made in 19

Budget reference: Item No. 356

Class of Work: No. 14 ✓

Joint facility contract reference: Not joint

The location is on this company's property. To secure rights, it will be necessary

Location: Fargo Division, Montana Division, Idaho Division

Title: Convert three - 4 burner type Fairmont Weed destroyers to 6 burner type.

Reason: The first Fairmont weed burners purchased were of the 4 burner type for branch use. This machine as a 4 burner type is not satisfactory for main line use and can be considerably improved for branch line use by the converting to a 6 burner type and similar to the burners purchased during the past two years.

The converting of the above burners is necessary in order to efficiently take care of the combined branch and main line burning on the Division to which the burner is assigned.

During the past season weed burner No. 5 on the Idaho Division was burned at Julietta and it is contemplated under this RFA to rebuild the machine at the Fairmont shops at an estimated expense of \$2,500.00, converting to the 6 burner type when rebuilding. The estimated cost of the conversion and repairs is \$3,300.00 as against the purchase of a new machine at approximately \$5,500.00.

Work to be done by purchase req. Engineering Department
~~Contract~~ under charge of

Accounting to concentrate in the office of Division Accountant

Checked and Entered
President's Office Date 2-12-29 19

Signature and Title:

APPROVED:

General Superintendent: *[Signature]* Asst. Chief Engr. in Charge, Maint. of Way

Mech. Supt., Supt. Trench or Signal Engr.

Chief Engineer: *[Signature]*

For Comptroller: *[Signature]* President: *[Signature]*

Date of Final Approval: MAR 12 1929



COMPTROLLER'S RECORD OF NOTICE OF APPROVAL AND OF COMPLETION

Form No. 1345 issued. 19. Work begun. 19. Work finished. 19.