

Recommendation for Water & Wastewater Commission

Commission Meeting Date:	March 8, 2017
Council Meeting Date:	March 23, 2017
Department:	Purchasing

SUBJECT

Authorize award and execution of three contracts with **FERGUSON ENTERPRISES INC. DBA FERGUSON WATERWORKS, HD SUPPLY WATERWORKS LTD.** and **HYDRAFLO INC.**, to provide fire hydrant parts, with an initial 12-month term in an estimated amount of \$228,410, with four 12-month extension options in an estimated amount of \$252,647 per extension option, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$1,239,000.

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING

Funding in the amount of \$114,205 is available in the Fiscal Year 2016-2017 Operating Budget of Austin Water. Funding for the remaining 6 months of the original contract period and extension options are contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Purchasing Language:	The Purchasing Office issued an Invitation for Bids (IFB) ISR0017REBID for these goods on September 26, 2016 and it closed on November 15, 2016 with three offers received. The recommended offers are the lowest offers submitted by responsible offerors. Additional information on the solicitation is included below the line. The recommended offerors are the current providers for these goods.
Prior Council Action:	N/A
For More Information:	Georgia Billela, 512-974-2939; Jerry Perez, 512-972-2071
Boards and Commission Action:	March 8, 2017- To be reviewed by the Water and Wastewater Commission.
MBE/WBE:	This solicitation was reviewed for subcontracting opportunities in accordance with City Code Chapter 2-9D Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program. For the goods required for this solicitation, there was insufficient subcontracting opportunities; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established.

The contract will provide fire hydrant parts for Austin Water (AW). The City maintains 27,405 fire hydrants. These three contracts will replace eight contracts with an expiration date of June 30, 2017. The average spend is \$143,145 per year. The variable demand of required parts and the lead time to receive the necessary items makes it essential to maintain stock in the warehouse.

If the City is unable to secure a contract, the repair of City fire hydrants will be impacted, leaving fire hydrants possibly unavailable for Austin Fire Department to utilize during a fire.

BID TABULATION

IFB ISR0017REBID Fire Hydrants Parts (135 Line Items)

<u>Vendor</u>	Total Bid Items	Total Award Items
	(Item Lines Bid)	(Item Lines Award)
Ferguson Enterprises Inc.,	\$519,251	\$67,338
dba Ferguson Waterworks	(86 of 135)	(60 of 135)
HD Supply Waterworks LTD.	\$809,840	\$115,035
	(135 of 135)	(36 of 135)
Hydraflo Inc.	\$100,190	\$46,037
	(52 of 135)	(39 of 135)

A complete solicitation package, including a bid tabulation, is on file in the City's Purchasing Office and is available on the City's Financial Services Austin Finance Online website. Link: Solicitation Documents

FERGUSON ENTERPRISES INC. DBA FERGUSON WATERWORKS, HD SUPPLY WATERWORKS LTD., and HYDRAFLO INC

	# months	Contract Amount	Contract Amendment	Revised Amount		
Original Term	12	\$228,410	n/a	n/a		
Extension Option 1	12	\$252,647	n/a	n/a		
Extension Option 2	12	\$252,647	n/a	n/a		
Extension Option 3	12	\$252,647	n/a	n/a		
Extension Option 4	12	\$252,647	n/a	n/a		
TOTAL	60	\$1,239,000	\$ -	\$ -		