



**Purchasing Contract
CITY OF AUSTIN
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION**

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SUBJECT: Authorize execution of a contract with FLOWSERVE CORPORATION, Spicewood, TX, for the repair of the start-up boiler feedwater pump on Decker Unit #1 including replacement components in an amount not to exceed \$99,214.

AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING: Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2004-2005 Amended Operating Budget of Austin Energy.

FISCAL NOTE: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

REQUESTING Purchasing
DEPARTMENT: for Austin Energy;

DIRECTOR'S
AUTHORIZATION: Vickie Schubert

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Martha L. Gaines, Buyer II/322-6583

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

BOARD AND COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

PURCHASING: Lowest bid meeting specification of seven bids received.

MBE / WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9 of the City Code (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this solicitation.

This contract is for the repair of the start-up boiler feedwater pump on Decker Unit #1. The repair consist of dismantle, replacement of components, and re-assembly of pump. The start-up boiler feedwater pump is a high pressure, high temperature pump that pumps water into the boiler to produce steam to make electricity. After inspection of the pump, AE determined that several components inside the pump had to be replaced; including the rotating element that is approximately 30 years old and is a major component. It has extensive damage and will be replaced under this contact.

MBE/WBE solicited: 0/0

MBE/WBE bid: 0/0



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BID TABULATION
Repair of boiler feedwater pump
IFB No. MG05300006

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Total Bid</u>
Flowserve Corporation Spicewood, TX	\$ 99,214
Sulzer Pump Odessa, TX	\$135,000
Revak Companies LaPorte, TX	\$56,648*
ITT Industries-Pro Services Dallas, TX	\$61,908.50*
HB Turbo Deer Park, TX	\$65,990*
Hydrotex Dynamics Houston, TX	\$94,374*

*Did not meet specifications. Bidders were unable to provide replacement of rotating element as required by the solicitation.

PRICE ANALYSIS

- Adequate competition.
- Eight notices were sent. There are no MBEs/WBEs listed for this commodity code. Nine solicitations were issued. Six bids were received.
- There is no purchase history for this repair and replacement of components; therefore there is no price comparison.

APPROVAL JUSTIFICATION

- Low bid meeting specification.
- Austin Energy concurs with the recommended award.
- Advertised on the Internet.