



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.

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**Purchasing Service Agreement
CITY OF AUSTIN
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION**

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BID TABULATION

Rebuild total of 49 Network Protectors

IFB No. DC04300013

Vendor	Total
Power Supply Austin, TX	\$1,006,340
Richards Manufacturing Irvington, NJ	\$1,009,847
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*Alternate bid submitted by Richards Manufacturing did not meet specification requirements for a relay with communications. Richards' alternate bid was for a relay without communications ability.

A complete bid tabulation is available in the Purchasing Office.

PRICE ANALYSIS

- Adequate competition.
- Four notices were issued. Two solicitations were issued and three bids were received. There are no known MBEs/WBEs for this service.
- Austin Energy has not previously contracted for this type of service.

APPROVAL JUSTIFICATION

- Low bid.
- The Electric Utility Department concurs with this award.
- Advertised on the Internet.