



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

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SUBJECT: Authorize execution of a contract with ATLAS MANUFACTURING COMPANY, INCORPORATED, Monticello, MS, for the overhaul of a traveling water screen at the river pump station, Decker Power Plant, in an amount not to exceed \$47,995.00.

AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING: Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2005-2006 Amended Operating Budget of Austin Energy.

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

REQUESTING Purchasing **DIRECTOR'S**
DEPARTMENT:for Austin Energy; **AUTHORIZATION:** Vickie Schubert

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

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

BOARD AND COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

PURCHASING: Lowest bid of two 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 will provide the labor, equipment, parts and materials for repair and overhaul of one Link-belt, Model 45A traveling water screen. The screen was last overhauled in 1994 and is in need of an overhaul to assure proper operation.

There are two traveling water screens located together on the Colorado River. These screens filter out the river water before it is pumped through the Lake Walter E. Long Dam equipment for cooling purposes.

MBE/WBE solicited: 0/0

MBE/WBE responded: 0/0



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**BID TABULATION
MG06300001-A
(Overhaul Traveling Water Screens)**

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Total</u>
Atlas Manufacturing Company, Inc. Monticello, MS	\$47,995
Pro-line Water Screen Services, Inc. Pearland, TX	\$49,593

PRICE ANALYSIS

- a. Adequate competition.
- b. Five notices were sent. Four solicitations were issued. Two bids were received. There are no MBEs/WBEs listed for this commodity code.
- c. The bid pricing offered reflects a 10% decrease from the last purchase made in 1994.

APPROVAL JUSTIFICATION

- a. Low bid.
- b. Austin Energy concurs with the recommended award.
- c. Advertised on the Internet.