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AGENDA



Thursday, July 27, 2006

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Purchasing Office RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

ITEM No. 48

Subject: Authorize award and execution of a 12-month requirements service contract with VEOLIA ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES TECHNICAL SOLUTION, LLC, Baytown, TX for the collection and disposal of industrial non-hazardous and hazardous waste in an estimated amount not to exceed \$173,619, with three 12-month extension options in an estimated amount not to exceed \$173,619 per extension option, for a total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$694,476.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$28,937 is available in Fiscal Year 2005-2006 Amended Operating Budget of Austin Energy. Funding for the remaining 10 months of the original contract period and extension options is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

Additional Backup Material

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[VEOLIA BID TAB
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For More Information: Martha L. Gaines, Buyer II (512) 322-6583

Purchasing Language: Lowest bid of three bids received.

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9C 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 collection and disposal of hazardous and non-hazardous wastes generated by Austin Energy (AE). AE manages/occupies several facilities and work sites that generate hazardous and non-hazardous liquid and solid wastes. These wastes are typically generated during routine maintenance activities at power generation facilities, cleanup of spills from non-PCB transformers, utility pole replacement activities, and from special equipment cleaning projects. In order to comply with federal, state and local regulations, AE requires the services from waste management contractors that are qualified and permitted to collect, transport, store, and dispose various waste streams generated during maintenance and spill response activities.

MBE/WBE Solicited: 9/6 MBE/WBE Bid: 0/0 PRICE ANALYSIS a. Adequate competition. b. Thirty-two notices were mailed, including nine MBEs and six WBEs. Three solicitations were issued. Three bids were received with no response from the MBEs/WBEs. c. This is the first contract for this type combination of services; therefore, there is no price history available.

APPROVAL JUSTIFICATION a. Low bid meeting specification. b. The Purchasing Office concurs with Austin Energy's recommended award. c. Advertised on the Internet.

AGENDA DATE: 7/27/06
VENDOR: VEOLIA ENVIRONMENTAL

BID TABULATION
IFB NO. MG06300014
Industrial Hazardous and Non-Hazardous Waste Management Services
(3 Tasks)

| <u>Vendor</u> | <u>Task 1 Total Price</u> | <u>Task 2 Total Price</u> | <u>Task 3 Total Price</u> |
|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Veolia Environmental Baytown, TX | \$173,619.50 | No Bid | No Bid |
| Clean Harbors** La Porte, TX | \$260,463.10 | \$4,240.00 | \$19,155.00 |
| Republic Services Avalon, TX | \$123,974.40* | No Bid | No. Bid |

*Republic Services is non-responsive since its bid only included a portion of the bid items for Task 1.

**An administrative award will be made to Clean Harbors in an estimated annual amount not to exceed \$23,395 for Tasks 2 and 3.

Note: Task 1 – PCB and Electrical Equipment Waste Management Services
Task 2 – “Non-PCB” Waste Oil Management Services
Task 3 – Transformer Secondary Containment Wastewater Management Services