



## Recommendation for Action

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**File #: 22-1552, Agenda Item #: 28.**

**4/7/2022**

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### **Posting Language**

Authorize award of a contract with David-Tehoungue LTD Co to provide steel reinforcing bar, for a term of five years in an amount not to exceed \$2,250,000.

(Note: This solicitation was reviewed for no 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 were no subcontracting opportunities; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established.).

### **Lead Department**

Financial Services Department.

### **Client Department(s)**

Austin Energy.

### **Fiscal Note**

Funding in the amount of \$225,000 is available in the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Operating Budget of Austin Energy. Funding for the remaining contract term is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

### **Purchasing Language:**

The Financial Service Department issued an Invitation for Bids (IFB) 1100 CSZ1004REBID for these goods. The solicitation was issued on December 2, 2021, and it closed on December 16, 2021. Of the two offers received, the recommended contractor submitted the only responsive offer. A complete solicitation package, including a tabulation of the bids received, is available for viewing on the City's Financial Services website, Austin Finance Online. Link: [Solicitation Documents](https://financeonline.austintexas.gov/afo/account_services/solicitation/solicitation_details.cfm?sid=136225)  
<[https://financeonline.austintexas.gov/afo/account\\_services/solicitation/solicitation\\_details.cfm?sid=136225](https://financeonline.austintexas.gov/afo/account_services/solicitation/solicitation_details.cfm?sid=136225)>.

### **For More Information:**

Respondents to this solicitation, and their representatives, shall continue to direct inquiries to the solicitation's Authorized Contact Person: Cedric Zachary, at 512-322-6215 or [Cedric.Zachary@austintexas.gov](mailto:Cedric.Zachary@austintexas.gov)  
<<mailto:Cedric.Zachary@austintexas.gov>>.

### **Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:**

March 21, 2022 - Recommended by the Electric Utility Commission on a 7-0 vote with Commissioners Bowen, Cardenas, Chapman, and Funkhauser absent.

### **Additional Backup Information:**

The contract is for the purchase of various lengths, gauges, and configurations of steel reinforcing bar (rebar) to be purchased on an as-needed basis. Rebar is used as a tensioning device in the construction of concrete and masonry structures. Austin Energy will use the rebar for various projects including construction of

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foundations for pad-mounted transformers and transmission equipment.

**Strategic Outcome(s):**

Government that Works for All.