

### Purchasing Supply Agreement CITY OF AUSTIN RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

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<u>SUBJECT:</u> Authorize execution of a 12-month supply agreement with AUSTIN WHITE LIME COMPANY, Austin, TX, for quicklime for the Austin Water Utility in an amount not to exceed \$743,185, with two 12-month extension options in an amount not to exceed \$743,185 per extension option, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$2,229,555.

<u>AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING:</u> Funding in the amount of \$185,797 is available in Fiscal Year 2004-2005 Approved Operating Budget of the Austin Water Utility. Funding for the remaining nine months of the original contract period and extension option is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

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

REQUESTING Purchasing DIRECTOR'S DEPARTMENT: for Austin Water Utility; AUTHORIZATION: <u>Vickie Schubert</u>

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephen T. Aden, Supervising Senior Buyer, 974-2021.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

BOARD AND COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

**<u>PURCHASING</u>**; Only bid received.

<u>MBE / WBE:</u> 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 subcontract opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this solicitation.

This contract establishes an annual supply agreement with Austin White Lime Company to provide quicklime to the Ullrich Water Treatment Plant. Quicklime is used in the treatment and softening of municipal water supplies. The quicklime will be delivered to and used at the Ullrich Water Treatment Plant.

The product complies with the American Water Works Association (AWWA) Standard B202-02, which is the standard for quicklime used for the treatment of drinking water. It also meets National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) Standard 60 which governs the use of direct and indirect additives for the treatment of drinking water.

MBE/WBE solicited: 0/0

MBE/WBE bid: 0/0



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\$734,185

# **BID TABULATION**

(9,500 Tons of quicklime) IFB No. SA05100049

## <u>VENDOR</u>

DR <u>UNIT PRICE</u> TOTAL BID

\$78.23

Austin White Lime Company Austin, TX

# PRICE ANALYSIS

- a. One bid received.
- b. Fifteen notices were sent, there were no MBE or WBE firms listed under this commodity. Two solicitations were issued. One bid was received.
- c. There is no previous contract for this grade of quicklime to make a comparison of prices.

## **APPROVAL JUSTIFICATION**

- a. The Austin Water Utility concurs with the recommended award herein.
- b. Advertised in the Austin American-Statesman and Internet.