



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, December 14, 2021

Council Session

Item G-15

#2021-352 - Approving Purchase of Three (3) 60” Mowers for Use in the Cemetery Division

Staff Contact: Todd McCoy

Council Agenda Memo

From: Todd McCoy, Parks and Recreation Director
Meeting: December 14, 2021
Subject: Bid Award for Three (3) New 60” Cut Mowers for use within the Cemetery Division
Presenter(s): Todd McCoy

Background

On November 7, 2021 the Parks and Recreation Department advertised for bids to purchase three (3) new 60” cut mowers including the trade-in of one (1) 2004 John Deere mower. The replacement items are necessary as the current equipment is becoming less dependable. The new mowers will provide additional years of service and meets the requirements of the Cemetery operation.

Discussion

Three (3) bids were received.

Pro Power, Grand Island, Nebraska	\$39,438.09
Gretna Small Engine, Gretna, Nebraska	\$45,197.00
Ariens Co., Gretna, Nebraska	\$47,996.00

The low bid from Pro Power of Grand Island, Nebraska is recommended. The bid provides for three (3) new 60” Gravely Pro-Turn 660 Model #992503 mowers in the amount of \$14,758.98 each. Pro Power’s bid allows for (\$4,838.85) for the trade-in of the 2004 City mower. The total price of the bid is \$39,438.09.

Funds are budgeted this year for this purchase in capital account 40044401-85615.

Alternatives

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Move to approve
2. Refer the issue to a Committee

3. Postpone the issue to future date
4. Take no action on the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the City Council approve the purchase three (3) new 60” cut mowers including the trade-in of one (1) 2004 John Deer mower.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the purchase three (3) new 60” cut mowers including the trade-in of one (1) 2004 John Deere mower from Pro Power of Grand Island, Nebraska. The total purchase price for equipment is \$39,438.09.



Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: November 23, 2021 at 2:00 p.m.

FOR: (3) New 60” Cut Mowers, Gravely Pro-Turn 660 Model #992503 with Mulch Kit #79220300 Installed (Re-Bid)

DEPARTMENT: Parks & Recreation

ESTIMATE: \$42,000.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 41044401-85615

PUBLICATION DATE: November 7, 2021

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 3

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>Pro Power</u> Grand Island, NE	<u>Ariens Co.</u> Gretna, NE
Exceptions:	None	None
Base Bid:	\$44,276.94	\$48,096.00
Less Trade-In:	<u>\$ 4,838.85</u>	<u>\$ 100.00</u>
Total Bid:	39,438.09	\$47,996.00

Bidder:	<u>Gretna Small Engine</u> Gretna, NE
Exceptions:	None
Base Bid:	\$46,197.00
Less Trade-In:	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>
Total Bid:	\$45,197.00

cc: Todd McCoy, Parks & Recreation Director
Jerry Janulewicz, City Administrator
Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

Patti Buettner, Parks Admin. Assist.
Patrick Brown, Finance Director
Mark Sands, Cemetery Superintendent

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RESOLUTION 2021-352

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for three (3) new 60” cut Mowers including trade-in for the Cemetery Division, according to plans and specifications on file with the Parks and Recreation Department; and

WHEREAS, on November 23, 2021, three (3) bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Pro Power from Grand Island, Nebraska submitted a bid in accordance with the terms of the advertisement of bids, plans and specifications and all other statutory requirements contained therein, such bid being in the total amount of \$39,438.09.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Pro Power from Grand Island, Nebraska, in the total amount of \$39,438.09 for three (3) new 60” cut Mowers including trade-in for the Cemetery Division is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, December 14, 2021.

Roger G. Steele, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
December 22, 2021	☐ City Attorney