



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, January 8, 2013

Council Session

Item G7

#2013-5 - Approving Bid Award for Utility Vehicles for Jackrabbit Run Golf Course

Staff Contact: Todd McCoy

Council Agenda Memo

From: Todd McCoy, Parks and Recreation Director

Meeting: January 8, 2013

Subject: Bid Award for (2) 2006 or Newer Heavy Duty Utility Vehicles for Jackrabbit Run Golf Course

Item #'s: G-7

Presenter(s): Todd McCoy, Parks and Recreation Director

Background

On November 14, 2012 the Parks and Recreation Department advertised for bids for the purchase of two heavy duty utility vehicles for Jackrabbit Run Golf Course. These vehicles will replace two 30 year old units.

The replacement utility vehicles are necessary as the current equipment is becoming less dependable. The new equipment will provide additional years of service and meets the requirements of the golf maintenance operation.

Discussion

Bids were received from Turfwerks of Johnston, Iowa and Midwest Turf and Irrigation of Omaha, Nebraska. Both bids included additional options.

Option A	Turfwerks	Two 2006 Cushman Slight Used Utility Vehicles – 47” box	\$28,500
Option B	Turfwerks	Two 2006 Cushman Slight Used Utility Vehicles – 60” box	\$30,000
Option C	Midwest Turf	Two 2012 Toro Slight Used Utility Vehicles – 60” box	\$38,176
Option D	Turfwerks	Two New Cushman Utility Vehicles – 47” box	\$43,000
Option E	Turfwerks	Two New Cushman Utility Vehicles – 60” box	\$44,500
Option F	Midwest Turf	New Toro Utility Vehicles – 60” box	\$44,706

Staff recommends Option B for a total purchase amount of \$30,000. Option B meets all the requirements of the bid specifications. The larger 60” box increases the dirt and sand carrying capacity which will result in increased staff efficiency. Golf Course maintenance staff has inspected both utility vehicles and found them to be satisfactory. Option B equals the approved City Budget amount in account line item 51040001-85625.

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 Option B to purchase (2) 2006 Cushman Used Utility Vehicles from Turfwerks of Johnston, Iowa.

Sample Motion

Move to approve Option B to purchase (2) 2006 Cushman Used Utility Vehicles from Turfwerks for a total amount of \$30,000.00.



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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: November 14, 2012 at 2:00 p.m.

FOR: (2) 2006 or Newer Heavy Duty Utility Vehicles for
Jackrabbit Run Golf Course

DEPARTMENT: Pars & Recreation

ESTIMATE: \$30,000.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 51040001-85615

PUBLICATION DATE: November 4, 2012

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 3

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>Turfwerks</u> Johnston, IA	<u>Midwest Turf & Irrigation</u> Omaha, NE
Exceptions:	None	None
Bid Price:		
(1) 2006 or Newer:	\$14,500.00 to \$22,250.00 (w/options)	\$19,088.00 to \$21,853.00
Make & Model:	Cushman (new & used)	Toro Workman HDX (new & used)
(1) 2006 or Newer:	\$14,000.00 to \$22,250.00 (w/options)	\$19,088.00 to \$21,853.00
Make & Model:	Cushman (new & used)	Toro Workman HDX (new & used)
Total Bid:	\$28,500.00 to 44,500.00	\$38,176.00 to \$43,706.00

cc: Todd McCoy, Parks & Recreation Director
Mary Lou Brown, City Administrator

Patti Buettner, Parks & Rec. Secretary

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RESOLUTION 2013-5

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for (2) 2006 or Newer Heavy Duty Utility Vehicles, according to plans and specifications on file with the Parks and Recreation Department, Golf Course Division; and

WHEREAS, on November 14, 2012, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Turfwerks from Johnston, Iowa 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 amount of \$30,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Turfwerks from Johnston, Iowa, in the amount of \$30,000.00 for (2) 2006 or Newer Heavy Duty Utility Vehicles is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, January 8, 2013.

Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	▣ _____
January 4, 2013	▣ City Attorney