



# **City of Grand Island**

**Tuesday, January 22, 2013**

**Council Session**

## **Item G10**

**#2013-24 - Approving Bid Award for Two (2) Storm Water Pumps  
for the Solid Waste Division**

**Staff Contact: Terry Brown, Interim Public Works Director**

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** Jeff Wattier, Solid Waste Superintendent

**Meeting:** January 22, 2013

**Subject:** Approving Bid Award for Two (2) Storm Water Pumps for the Solid Waste Division

**Item #'s:** G-10

**Presenter(s):** Terry Brown, P.E., Interim Public Works Director

## **Background**

On December 13, 2012 the Solid Waste Division of the Public Works Department advertised the request for bids for Two (2) Storm Water pumps. Funds for these pumps are in the approved 2012/2013 budget.

## **Discussion**

Two (2) bids were received and opened on December 27, 2012. The Solid Waste Division of the Public Works Department, as well as the Purchasing Division reviewed the bids that were received. The bid by DJ Gongol & Associates Inc. of West Des Moines, IA meets all of the specifications.

<b>Bidder</b>	<b>Exceptions Noted</b>	<b>Bid Total</b>
DJ Gongol & Associates, Inc.	None	\$107,656.00
NMC, Inc.	Several	\$57,000.00

The storm water pumps bid by NMC had several major exceptions noted. The bid specifications listed the minimum engine performance at 150 horsepower and the pumps bid by NMC are rated at 82 horsepower. Additionally, the bid specifications listed the minimum pump suction and discharge size of 10 inches, and the pump suction and discharge bid by NMC is 6 inches. The pumps bid by NMC, Inc. clearly do not meet the minimum requirements set forth in the bid specifications and will not perform to the standards needed to effectively pump the high volumes of storm water at the Landfill.

## **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 Council approve the purchase of the two (2) storm water pumps from DJ Gongol & Associates, Inc. of West Des Moines, IA in the amount of \$107,656.00.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the purchase of the two (2) storm water pumps from DJ Gongol & Associates, Inc. of West Des Moines, IA in the amount of \$107,656.00.



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**BID OPENING**

**BID OPENING DATE:** December 27, 2012 at 2:00 p.m.  
**FOR:** (2) Storm Water Pumps – (Re-Bid)  
**DEPARTMENT:** Public Works  
**ESTIMATE:** \$120,000.00  
**FUND/ACCOUNT:** 50530043-85615  
**PUBLICATION DATE:** December 13, 2012  
**NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** 3

**SUMMARY**

<b>Bidder:</b>	<b><u>DJ Gongol &amp; Associates, Inc.</u></b> West Des Moines, IA	<b><u>NMC, Inc.</u></b> Doniphan, NE
<b>Bid Security:</b>	Cashier's Check	Travelers Casualty & Surety
<b>Exceptions:</b>	None	Noted
<b>Bid Price:</b>	<b>\$107,656.00</b>	<b>\$57,000.00</b>
<b>Delivery Date:</b>	<b>12 Weeks</b>	<b>Before April 30, 2013</b>

cc: Terry Brown, Interim Public Works Director  
Jeff Wattier, Solid Waste Supt.  
Mary Lou Brown, City Administrator

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.  
Russ Swanson, Landfill Foreman

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RESOLUTION 2013-24

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for two (2) storm water pumps for the Solid Waste and Streets Divisions of the Public Works Department, according to specifications on file with the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on December 27, 2012 bids were received, opened and reviewed;  
and

WHEREAS, DJ Gongol & Associates of West Des Moines, IA submitted a bid in accordance with the terms of the advertisement of bids and specifications and all other statutory requirements contained therein, such bid being in the amount of \$107,656; and

WHEREAS, the bid from DJ Gongol & Associates, Inc. is considered fair and reasonable for such item.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of DJ Gongol & Associates, Inc. in the amount of \$107,656 for two (2) storm water pumps is hereby approved as the lowest responsive and responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, January 22, 2013.

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Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
January 18, 2013	☐ City Attorney