City of Grand Island

Item G13

#2001-341 Awarding Bid for 2002 Truck with Chipping Box

Specifications were developed for a replacement chipper truck for the Line Division of the Electric Department. Bids were advertised in the Grand Island Independent and mailed to six bidders.

Bids were returned from two local bidders who also offered two alternate bids. The bids are as follows:

Bidder	Bid Price	Less Trade-	In Total
Nebraska Truck Center, Inc.	\$52,015.00	\$2,500.00	\$49,515.00
Hansen International with:			
1) Matt Friend Body	\$54,015.16	\$1,700.00	\$52,315.16
2) LCL Body	\$54,140.16	\$1,700.00	\$52,440.16
3) Teague Body	\$59,456.44	\$1,700.00	\$57,756.44

The low bid of Nebraska Truck Center has minor exceptions that are acceptable to the department.

It is the Utility Department recommendation to accept the low bid of Nebraska Truck Center, Inc. of Grand Island for the replacement truck including trade-in in the amount of \$49,515.00. Sufficient funds have been budgeted in the 520 Electric Fund.



Tuesday, December 18, 2001 Council Session



RESOLUTION 2001-341

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for one new 2002 Truck with Chipping Box for the Line Division of the Utilities Department, according to plans and specifications on file with the Purchasing Division of the Legal Department; and

WHEREAS, on November 28, 2001, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Nebraska Truck Center Inc. of Grand Island, Nebraska, submitted a bid in accordance with the terms of the advertisement of bids and plans and specifications and all other statutory requirements contained therein, such bid being in the amount of \$52,015.00, less a trade-in of \$2,500 for a net amount of \$49,515; and

WHEREAS, Nebraska Truck Center's bid is less than the engineer's estimate for such vehicle.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Nebraska Truck Center Inc. of Grand Island, Nebraska, in the amount of \$49,515 after trade in for one new 2002 truck with chipping box is hereby approved as the lowest responsive bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska on December 18, 2001.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk