City of Grand Island

Item G15

#2001-343 Awarding Bid for Protective Relay Panels

As part of the Combustion Turbine addition at Burdick Station, control panels will be required to allow the new generators to be connected to the City's electric system. These panels include relaying, switches, and associated internal wiring. Our engineer for the project, Sargent & Lundy, developed specifications for these items. The specifications were then issued for bid in accordance with the City's procurement requirements.

Specifications for protective relay panel were sent out to four bidders. The engineers' estimate for this project was \$200,000. Bids were received as follows.

Bidder Bid Price Harlo \$ 93,944

Siemens \$108,130

The bid from Keystone Electrical Manufacturing was rejected due to receiving the bid after the opening and the bid bond was not attached to the outside of the envelope. The bid from Harlo met all specified requirements. The bid from Siemens was not in compliance with technical requirements of the specifications. Sargent & Lundy recommends that Harlo Corporation be awarded this contract. They also recommend that the option for Harlo to perform the panel wiring design be included for this contract in the amount of \$4,656, for a



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RESOLUTION 2001-343

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited bids for Protective Relay Panels as part of the combustion turbine addition at Burdick Station, according to the plans and specifications on file at the Platte Generating Station; and

WHEREAS, on November 29, 2001, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Harlo Corporation of Gradville, Michigan, submitted a bid in accordance with the terms of the advertisement of bids and the plans and specifications and all other statutory requirements contained therein, such bid being in the amount of \$93,944, plus \$4,656 for Harlo to perform the panel wiring design; and

WHEREAS, Harlo Corporation's bid is less than the engineer's estimate for said project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Harlo Corporation of Gradville, Michigan, in the total amount of \$98,600 for protective relay panels and the panel wiring design as part of the combustion turbine addition at Burdick Station is hereby approved as the lowest responsive bid submitted.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a contract between the City and such contractor be entered into; and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such contract on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk