



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, October 12, 2004

Council Session

Item G23

#2004-263 - Approving Contract for Web Page Rebuild with KDSI

Staff Contact: Jennifer Fuller

Council Agenda Memo

From: Jennifer Fuller, Public Information Officer

Meeting: October 12, 2004

Subject: Website Rebuild Contract Approval

Item #'s: G-23

Presenter(s): Jennifer Fuller, Public Information Officer

Background

The re-development and design of the city's website is of paramount importance as the city realizes that more and more of the community is accessing and using the city's website for information and conducting of city business. In response to the city council's goal of reinventing the city website, the Public Information Officer put together an Request for Proposal.

Discussion

The Public Information Department sent out Request for Proposals on July 15, 2004. Six proposals were opened on August 10, 2004. The website rebuild committee interviewed four of those companies on September 9, 2004. After discussion and scoring, the website rebuild committee selected the highest scoring company, KDSI of Grand Island, Nebraska.

Alternatives

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

1. Approve the contract with KDSI
2. Disapprove or deny the contract KDSI
3. Modify the contract with KDSI to meet the wishes of the Council.
4. Table the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approves the website rebuild contract.

Sample Motion

Approve the website rebuild contract with KDSI of Grand Island, Nebraska.



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
FOR
WEB PAGE REBUILD**

RFP DUE DATE: August 10, 2004 at 5:00 p.m.

DEPARTMENT: Public Information Office

ESTIMATE: \$60,000

FUND ACCOUNT: 10044601-85213

PUBLICATION DATE: July 15, 2004

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 8

SUMMARY OF PROPOSALS RECEIVED

KDS Internet
Grand Island, NE

Idea Bank Marketing
Hastings, NE

CivicPlus
Manhattan, KS

MSI System Integrators
Omaha, NE

Viewpoint Technologies, Inc.
Manhattan, KS

Mindstorm Multimedia Development
Grand Island, NE

cc: Jennifer Fuller, Public Information Officer
Gary Greer, City Administrator
David Springer, Finance Director
Dale Shotkoski, Purchasing Agent
Laura Berthelsen, Legal Assistant

R E S O L U T I O N 2004-263

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited proposals for Web Site Rebuild, in accordance with a Request for Proposal on file with the Public Information Officer; and

WHEREAS, on August 10, 2004, six proposals were received, reviewed and evaluated in accordance with established criteria; and

WHEREAS, city staff conducted interviews with four of the proposing firms; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the interviews, an agreement was negotiated with KDS Internet of Grand Island, Nebraska, to perform the web site rebuild at a cost not to exceed \$25,000 plus a monthly web hosting fee of \$49.95.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that KDS Internet of Grand Island, Nebraska, is hereby authorized to perform a web site rebuild at a cost not to exceed \$25,000 plus a monthly web hosting fee of \$49.95.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such agreement for such services on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, October 12, 2004.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk