



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, August 23, 2005

Council Session

Item G10

**#2005-238- Approving Bid for (1) Auger Type Snow Blower for the
Street & Transportation Division of the Public Works Department**

Staff Contact: Steve Riehle, City Engineer/Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director
Dale Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

Meeting: August 23, 2005

Subject: Approving Bid Award for Auger Type Snow Blower

Item #'s: G-10

Presenter(s): Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Background

On July 27, 2005 the Street & Transportation Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for the purchase of an Auger Type Snow Blower. Funds for the blower were in the approved 2004/2005 budget. The old snow blower unit will be traded in.

Discussion

One bid containing three alternatives was received and opened on August 9, 2005. The Street & Transportation Division of the Public Works Department and the Purchasing Division of the City Attorney's Office have reviewed the bid and the alternatives that were received. A summary of the bid/alternatives is shown below.

<i>Bidder</i>	<i>Exceptions</i>	<i>Total Bid</i>
Nebraska Machinery Co., Doniphan, NE	Noted	\$55,560.00
Nebraska Machinery Co., Doniphan, NE	Noted	\$67,665.00
Nebraska Machinery Co., Doniphan, NE	Noted	\$87,277.00

Upon review and evaluation it has been determined that the snow blower unit for \$55,560.00 will meet our operational needs. There are sufficient funds for this purchase in Account No. 10033501-85615.

Alternatives

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

1. Make a motion to approve the purchase of the Auger Type Snow Blower from Nebraska Machinery Co., of Doniphan, NE in the amount of \$55,560.00.
2. Refer the issue to a committee.
3. Postpone the issue to a future date.
4. Take no action on the issue.

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the purchase of the Auger Type Snow Blower in the amount of \$55,560.00 from Nebraska Machinery Co., of Doniphan, NE.

Sample Motion

Approve the purchase of the auger type snow blower.

Purchasing Division of Legal Department
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: August 9, 2005 at 11:00 a.m.
FOR: (1) Auger Type Snow Blower
DEPARTMENT: Public Works
ESTIMATE: \$62,000.00
FUND/ACCOUNT: 10033501-85615
PUBLICATION DATE: July 27, 2005
NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS:

SUMMARY

Logan contractors Supply, Inc.
Omaha, NE
No Bid – Unable to Meet Specs.

Midwest Service and Sales Co.
Schuyler, NE
No- Bid Unable to Meet Specs.

	Nebraska Machinery Co. Doniphan, NE	Nebraska Machinery Co. Doniphan, NE	Nebraska Machinery Co. Doniphan, NE
Base Bid	\$55,560.00	\$67,665.00	\$87,277.00
Trade In:	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	<u>\$2,000.00</u>
Adjusted Bid:	\$53,560.00	\$65,665.00	\$85,277.00
Exceptions Noted		Exceptions Noted	None

RESOLUTION 2005-238

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for one (1) Auger Type Snow Blower Attachment, Loader Mounted, Self Contained for the Street and Transportation Division of the Public Works Department, according to plans and specifications on file with the Street Division; and

WHEREAS, on August 9, 2005, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Nebraska Machinery Co. of Doniphan, 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 \$55,560; and

WHEREAS, such bid is below the estimate for such equipment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Nebraska Machinery Co. of Doniphan, Nebraska, for one (1) auger type snow blower attachment, loader mounted, self contained in the amount of \$55,560 is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, August 23, 2005.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk