



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, September 26, 2006

Council Session

## Item G12

**#2006-274 - Approving Bid Award for a TV Camera with  
Transporter (Waste Water Division)**

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

# Council Agenda Memo

**From:** Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

**Meeting:** September 26, 2006

**Subject:** Approving Bid Award for a TV Camera with Transporter (Waste Water Division)

**Item #'s:** G-12

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

## Background

The Waste Water Division periodically inspects the existing sewer lines for obstructions and conditions of the pipe. New sewers lines are inspected to assure they were built to specification. On September 5, 2006 the Waste Water Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for the purchase of a TV Inspection camera with a tracked transporter for use in sanitary sewer collection system maintenance and cleaning.

## Discussion

Two bids were received and opened on September 15, 2006. One bid was submitted in compliance with the specifications with no exceptions. The estimate for the inspection camera was \$35,000.00. The bids are shown below.

<i>Bidder</i>	<i>Exceptions</i>	<i>Bid Security</i>	<i>Bid Price</i>
Aries Industries, Inc. Waukesha, WI	Noted	Employers Mutual Casualty Company	\$19,985.00
Cues Orlando, FL	None	\$1000.00	\$17,900.00

There are sufficient funds in account no. 53030054-85615 to fund this purchase.

## Alternatives

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

1. Move to approve the purchase of the TV inspection camera with transporter from Cues of Orlando, FL in the amount of \$17,900.00.
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 TV inspection camera with tracked transporter from Cues of Orlando, Florida in the amount of \$17,900.00.

### **Sample Motion**

Motion to approve the purchase.



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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**BID OPENING**

**BID OPENING DATE:** September 15, 2006 at 11:00 a.m.

**FOR:** One (1) Cues Ozii Pan and Tilt Optical Zoom TV Inspection Camera  
And One (1) Cues Ultra Shorty 21 Variable Weight Tracked  
Transporter

**DEPARTMENT:** Public Works

**ESTIMATE:** \$35,000.00

**FUND/ACCOUNT:** 53030054-85615

**PUBLICATION DATE:** September 5, 2006

**NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** 3

**SUMMARY**

<b>Bidder:</b>	<u>Aries Industries, Inc.</u> Waukesha, WI	<u>Cues</u> Orlando, FL
<b>Bid Security:</b>	Employers Mutual Casualty Company	\$1,000.00
<b>Exceptions:</b>	Noted	None
<b>Bid Price:</b>	\$19,985.00	\$17,900.00

cc: Steve Riehle, Public Works Director  
Ben Thayer, Supt. WWTP  
Gary Greer, City Administrator  
Sherry Peters, Legal Secretary

Bud Buettner, Assit. PW Director  
Danelle Collins, PW Admin. Assist.  
Dale Shotkoski, Purchasing Agent

RESOLUTION 2006-274

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for a Cues Ozii Pan and Tilt Optical Zoom TV Inspection camera with a Cues Ultra Shorty 21 Variable Weight Tracked Transporter for the Public Works Department, Waste Water Treatment Plant Division, according to specifications on file at the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on September 15, 2006, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Cues of Orlando, Florida, 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 \$17,900.00; and

WHEREAS, such bid is below the estimate for such Cues Ozii Pan and Tilt Optical Zoom TV Inspection camera with a Cues Ultra Shorty 21 Variable Weight Tracked Transporter.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Cues of Orlando, Florida, in the amount of \$17,900.00 for a Cues Ozii Pan and Tilt Optical Zoom TV Inspection camera with a Cues Ultra Shorty 21 Variable Weight Tracked Transporter is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, September 26, 2006.

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Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	▣ _____
September 22, 2006	▣ City Attorney