



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, March 27, 2007

Council Session

Item G5

**#2007- 69- Approving Bid Award for Project 2007-WWTP-1 Final
Clarifier Launder Covers**

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

Council Agenda Memo

From: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Meeting: March 27, 2007

Subject: Approving bid Award for Project 2007-WWTP-1 Final Clarifier Launder Covers

Item #'s: G-5

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

Background

The Advertisement to Bidders for Project 2007-WWTP-1 (Final Clarifier Launder Covers at the Waste Water Treatment Plant) was published in the Grand Island Independent on Thursday, March 1, 2007.

The project will furnish all materials and appurtenances necessary to install Launder Covers manufactured out of Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic (F.R.P.) on the three (3) existing Final Clarifier Basins. The Launder Covers shall be designed to inhibit the growth of algae on the launder troughs and weirs of the clarifier basin(s) by minimizing incident sunlight on these surfaces.

Discussion

At 11:00 AM on March 16, 2007, two (2) bids were received, opened, and reviewed.

<i>Bidder</i>	<i>Exceptions</i>	<i>Total Bid</i>
MFG Water Treatment Products Company of Union City, Pennsylvania	The bidder submitted an alternate design for attaching the angle bracket to the final clarifier basin. The alternate design is equal to or better then what was shown on the plans.	\$110,205.00
NEFCO Gardens, Florida	Noted	\$120,600.00

Alternatives

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

1. Move to award the bid to MFG Water Treatment Products Company and authorize the mayor to execute the contract.
2. Refer the issue to a Committee.
3. Postpone the issue to future date.
4. Take no action on the issue.

Recommendation

Administration recommends that the council approve a resolution awarding the bid to MFG Water Treatment Products Company of Union City, Pennsylvania and authorizing the mayor to execute the contract.

Sample Motion

Motion to approve awarding the bid to MFG Water Treatment Products Company.

Purchasing Division of Legal Department
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: March 16, 2007 at 11:00 a.m.

FOR: Final Clarifier Launder Covers – Project 2007-WWTP-1

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE: \$200,000.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 53030054-85615

PUBLICATION DATE: March 1, 2007

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 4

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>NEFCO</u>	<u>MFG Water Treatment Products Co.</u>
	Gardens, FL	Union City, PA
Bid Security:	\$6,000.00	\$5,600.00
Exceptions:	Noted	Noted
Bid Price:	\$120,600.00	\$110,205.00

cc: Steve Riehle, Public Works Director
Ben Thayer, WWTP Supervisor
Sherry Peters, Legal Secretary

Bud Buettner, Assist. PW Director
Dale Shotkoski, Purchasing Agent

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RESOLUTION 2007-69

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Project 2007-WWTP-1, Final Clarifier Launder Covers, according to plans and specifications on file at Waste Water Treatment Plant; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2007, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, MFG Water Treatment Products Company of Union City, Pennsylvania, 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 \$110,205.00; and

WHEREAS, MFG Water Treatment Products Company's bid is less than the estimate for such project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of MFG Water Treatment Products Company of Union City, Pennsylvania, in the amount of \$110,205.00 for Project 2007-WWTP-1, Final Clarifier Launder Covers is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute a contract with such contractor for such project on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, March 27, 2007.

Margaret Hornady, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
March 22, 2007	<input type="checkbox"/>	City Attorney