

# **City of Grand Island**

## Tuesday, November 04, 2008 Council Session

## Item G7

#2008-317- Approving Bid Award - Electrical Project 2009-TS-1 - Transformer Storage Area - Burdick Station

Staff Contact: Gary R. Mader; Wesley Nespor

City of Grand Island City Council

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** Gary R. Mader, Utilities Director

Wesley Nespor, Asst. City Attorney/Purchasing

Meeting: November 4, 2008

**Subject:** Bid Award – Paving at Transformer Storage Yard at

**Burdick Station** 

**Item #'s:** G-7

**Presente** r(s): Gary R. Mader, Utilities Director

### **Background**

The contract provides for expanding an additional area for storing the Department's overhead and pad-mounted electrical transformers at the Burdick Station Power Plant. The new area will provide a safe and secure site for compliance with the guidelines of the Federal Oil Pollution Prevention Regulations, in Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 112, which includes the Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) Plan and the Facility Response Plan (FRP) requirements. A plot plan of the area is attached.

## **Discussion**

Plans and specifications were prepared by the Utilities Department Engineering Division. The bid documents were sent to four potential bidders. The bids were advertised and publicly opened at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, October 20, 2008 in accordance with City Procurement Codes. One bid was received. That bid has been checked and evaluated for compliance with the specifications. It is compliant, with no exceptions.

Bidder: Diamond Engineering of Grand Island, Nebraska

Exceptions: None Bid Price: \$64,555.00

The engineer's estimate for this project was \$91,000.00.

### **Alternatives**

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

- 1. Move to approve
- 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 bid of Diamond Engineering in the amount of \$64,555.00 for Electrical Contract 2009-TS-1; Transformer Storage Yard at Burdick Station.

#### **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the bid of Diamond Engineering in the amount of \$64,555.00 for paving at the Transformer Storage Yard, Burdick Station.



# Purchasing Division of Legal Department INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM



Wes Nespor, Purchasing Agent

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#### **BID OPENING**

BID OPENING DATE: October 20, 2008 at 11:00 a.m.

FOR: Electrical Project 2009-TS-1

**DEPARTMENT:** Utilities

**ESTIMATE:** \$91,000.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 520

PUBLICATION DATE: October 9, 2008

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 4

#### **SUMMARY**

Bidder: The Diamond Engineering Co.

**Grand Island NE** 

Bid Security: Universal Surety Company

**Exceptions:** None

Bid Price: \$64,555.00

cc: Gary Mader, Utilities Director

Dale Shotkoski, City Attorney Jeff Pederson, City Administrator Tom Barnes, Engineering Manager Bob Smith, Assist. Utilities Director Wes Nespor, Purchasing Agent Pat Gericke, Utilities Admin. Assist.

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#### RESOLUTION 2008-317

WHEREAS, the City Electric Department invited sealed bids for paving the Transformer Storage Yard at Burdick Station; and

WHEREAS, on October 20, 2008, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and:

WHEREAS, the Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, 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 \$64,555.00; and;

WHEREAS, the bid of the Diamond Engineering Company, is less than the estimate for Paving of the Transformer Storage Yard at Burdick Station.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of the Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska, in the amount of \$64,555.00 for the Paving of the Transformer Storage Yard at Burdick Station is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, November 4, 2008.	
	Margaret Hornady, Mayor
Attest:	
Paul Briseno, Deputy City Clerk	