



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, May 26, 2009

Council Session

## Item G10

**#2009-125 - Approving Bid Award for a Used Articulated Loader**

Staff Contact: Steve Paustian

# Council Agenda Memo

**From:** Steve Paustian, Parks Director  
**Meeting:** May 26, 2009  
**Subject:** Approving Bid Award for One Used Articulated Loader  
**Item #'s:** G-10  
**Presenter(s):** Steve Paustian, Parks Director

## Background

On May 9, 2009 the Park and Recreation Department, Heartland Public Shooting Park Division advertised for bids for the purchase of 1 used articulated loader for the Heartland public Shooting Park.

## Discussion

The articulated loader is similar to one that has been borrowed many times over the years from a volunteer. The efficiencies of borrowing this piece of equipment or renting other similar pieces is very inefficient and costly. To this end funds were budgeted in the 2008-09 budget for the purchase of this piece of equipment. Fund number 10044801 85615 Machinery and Equipment has \$35,000.00 budgeted for this purchase.

## 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 approval of the purchase of the used articulated loader from Fairbank Equipment of Grand Island in the amount of \$25,000.00..

## **Sample Motion**

Motion purchase used articulated loader from Fairbank Equipment.

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WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for a Used Articulated Loader, according to plans and specifications on file with the Parks and Recreation Department, Heartland Public Shooting Park; and

WHEREAS, on May 18, 2009, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Fairbanks Equipment of Nebraska from Grand Island, Nebraska, submitted a bid in accordance with the terms of the advertisement of bids, plans and specifications and all other statutory requirements contained therein, such bid being in the amount of \$25,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Fairbanks Equipment of Nebraska from Grand Island, Nebraska, in the amount of \$25,000.00 for a Used Articulated Loader is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, May 26, 2009.

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Margaret Hornady, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
May 21, 2009	☐ City Attorney