



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, July 14, 2009

Council Session

Item G17

**#2009-170 - Approving Bid Award for One (1) Positive
Displacement Trailer Mounted Sewer Vacuum for the Wastewater
Division of the Public Works Department**

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, Public Work Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Meeting: July 14, 2009

Subject: Approving Bid Award for One (1) Positive Displacement Trailer Mounted Sewer Vacuum for the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department

Item #'s: G-17

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

Background

On June 24, 2009 the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for one (1) Positive Displacement Trailer Mounted Sewer Vacuum. The sewer vacuum is used to clean sanitary sewer lines within the City.

Discussion

Two (2) bids were received and opened on July 2, 2009. The Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department and the Purchasing Division of the City's Attorney's Office have reviewed the bids that were received. A summary of the bids is shown below.

<i>Bidder</i>	<i>Exceptions</i>	<i>Bid Price</i>
Elliott Sanitation Co. of Lincoln, Nebraska	None	\$103,960.00
Municipal Pipe Tool Co. LLC of Hudson, Iowa	None	\$108,292.00

The bids were higher than the estimate of \$100,000.00, but are considered fair, reasonable and competitive.

Sufficient Funds are available in Account No. 53030054.85615 and 53030054.85625.

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 award to Elliott Sanitation Co. of Lincoln, Nebraska in the amount of \$103,960.00.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the bid award.



Wes Nespor, Purchasing Agent

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: July 2, 2009 at 11:15 a.m.

FOR: (1) Positive Displacement Trailer Mounted Sewer Vacuum

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

ESTIMATE: \$100,000.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 53030054-85615

PUBLICATION DATE: June 24, 2009

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 3

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>Municipal Pipe Tool Co. LLC</u> Hudson, IA	<u>Elliott Sanitation Co.</u> Lincoln, NE
Exceptions:	None	None
Bid Price:	\$108,292.00	\$103,960.00

cc: Steve Riehle, Public Works Director
Dale Shotkoski, City Attorney
Jeff Pederson, City Administrator

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.
Wes Nespor, Purchasing Agent
Fred Tustin, WWTP

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RESOLUTION 2009-170

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for one (1) Positive Displacement Trailer Mounted Sewer Vacuum for the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department, according to plans and specifications on file with the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on July 2, 2009 bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Elliott Sanitation Co. of Lincoln, 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 \$103,960.00; and

WHEREAS, Elliott Sanitation Co.'s bid is fair and reasonable for such item.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Elliott Sanitation Co. of Lincoln, Nebraska in the amount of \$103,960.00 for one (1) Positive Displacement Trailer Mounted Sewer Vacuum is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, July 14, 2009.

Margaret Hornady, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
July 9, 2009	☐ City Attorney