



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, December 8, 2015

Council Session

## Item G-9

**#2015-335 - Approving Bid Award for One (1) Used Hydraulic Excavator for the Solid Waste Division of the Public Works Department**

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

# Council Agenda Memo

**From:** Jeff Wattier, Solid Waste Superintendent

**Meeting:** December 8, 2015

**Subject:** Approving Bid Award for One (1) Used Hydraulic Excavator for the Solid Waste Division of the Public Works Department

**Presenter(s):** John Collins PE, Public Works Director

## Background

On October 21, 2015 the Solid Waste Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for one (1) Used Hydraulic Excavator, and sent the solicitation to three (3) potential bidders. Funds were budgeted for Fiscal Year 2015/2016 and are available in Account No. 50530043-85615.

## Discussion

Four (4) bids were received and opened on November 4, 2015. The Solid Waste Division of the Public Works Department and the Purchasing Division of the Attorney's Office have reviewed the bids that were received. The excavator bid by NMC of Doniphan, NE is the lowest responsible bid submitted. A summary of the bids is shown below.

<i><b>BIDDER</b></i>	<i><b>BASE PRICE</b></i>	<i><b>TRADE-IN OFFER</b></i>	<i><b>NET BID</b></i>	<i><b>DELIVERY DATE</b></i>
NMC	\$156,250	\$20,000	\$136,250	2 weeks
Murphy Tractor & Equipment	\$157,800	\$20,000	\$137,800	30 days
Murphy Tractor & Equipment	\$172,400	\$20,000	\$152,400	30 days
RoadBuilders	\$189,500	\$30,000	\$159,500	30 days

As outlined in the bid documents, the machines were evaluated based on purchase price, machine condition, average resale value, and average fuel consumption to determine the best overall value to the City. Based on the calculated total cost of ownership for each machine, the used excavator bid by NMC is the best value to the City. A picture of the excavator that is being traded in with this purchase is pictured below.



## **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 purchase of one (1) Used Hydraulic Excavator from NMC of Doniphan, NE in the amount of \$136,250.00.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the resolution.



Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

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**BID OPENING**

**BID OPENING DATE:** November 4, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.  
**FOR:** (1) Used Hydraulic Excavator  
**DEPARTMENT:** Public Work  
**ESTIMATE:** \$145,000.00  
**FUND/ACCOUNT:** 50530043-85615  
**PUBLICATION DATE:** October 21, 2015  
**NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** 3

**SUMMARY**

<b>Bidder:</b>	<u>NMC, Inc.</u> Doniphan, NE	<u>Murphy Tractor &amp; Equipment Co.</u> Grand Island, NE
<b>Bid Security:</b>	Travelers Casualty & Surety Co.	Principal
<b>Exceptions:</b>	None	Noted
<b>Model:</b>	2012 Caterpillar 316EL	2014 John Deere 160G
<b>Bid Price:</b>	\$156,250.00	\$157,800.00
<b>Trade-In:</b>	<u>\$ 20,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 20,000.00</u>
<b>Net Bid:</b>	\$136,250.00	\$137,800.00
<b>Delivery Date</b>	2 weeks	30 days from order

<b>Bidder:</b>	<u>Road Builders</u> Grand Island, NE	<u>Murphy Tractor &amp; Equipment Co.</u> Grand Island, NE
<b>Bid Security:</b>	Fidelity & Deposit Co.	Principal
<b>Exceptions:</b>	Noted	Noted
<b>Model:</b>	2014 Komatsu PC170LC-10	2014 John Deere 160G
<b>Bid Price:</b>	\$189,500.00	\$172,400.00
<b>Trade-In:</b>	<u>\$ 30,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 20,000.00</u>
<b>Net Bid:</b>	\$159,500.00	\$152,400.00
<b>Delivery Date</b>	30 days	30 days from order

cc: John Collins, Public Works Director  
Marlan Ferguson, City Administrator  
Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.  
William Clingman, Interim Finance Director  
Jeff Wattier, Solid Waste Supt.

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RESOLUTION 2015-335

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for one (1) Used Hydraulic Excavator for the Solid Waste Division of the Public Works Department, according to specifications on file with the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on November 4, 2015 bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, NMC of Doniphan, Nebraska 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 \$136,250.00; and

WHEREAS, the bid from NMC is considered 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 NMC of Doniphan, Nebraska in the amount of \$136,250.00 for one (1) Used Hydraulic Excavator is hereby approved as the lowest responsive and responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, December 8, 2015.

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Jeremy L. Jensen, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☒ _____
December 4, 2015	☒ City Attorney