



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, December 15, 2009

Council Session

Item G21

#2009-325 - Approving Bid Award for One (1) Telehandler for the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Meeting: December 15, 2009

Subject: Approving Bid Award for One (1) Telehandler for the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department

Item #'s: G-21

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

Background

On November 11, 2009 the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for one (1) Telehandler. The Telehandler is an off-road extendable boom forklift that will be used to unload grit & grease dumpsters, remove snow and lift heavy equipment.

Discussion

Five (5) bidders submitted bids that were opened on November 19, 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>
NCS Equipment of Grand Island, NE	None	\$65,200 Alternatives- 801-1200 hrs = \$56,550.00 1201-1600 hrs = \$49,300.00
Central Nebraska Bobcat of Grand Island, NE	Noted	\$68,680.88
Fairbanks of Grand Island, NE	None	\$68,750.00 0-400 hrs = \$71,850.00
NMC/Nebraska Machinery Co. of Doniphan, NE	None	\$85,830.00 0-400 hrs = \$78,775.00 401-800 hrs = \$73,175.00 801-1200 hrs = \$58,765.00 1201-1600 hrs = \$54,850.00

The bid of NCS Equipment for a brand new Telehandler is \$200 above the estimate, but is considered fair, reasonable and competitive when reviewed and compared with the other bids received.

Public Works Administration recommends purchasing the new telehandler from NCS Equipment of Grand Island, Nebraska because it is a new machine that not only was the low bidder, but it also far exceeds many of the specifications, including a warranty.

Sufficient funds are available in Account No. 53030054.85615.

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 NCS Equipment of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$65,200.00.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the bid award.



Wes Nespor, Purchasing Agent

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: November 19, 2009 at 11:00 a.m.
FOR: (1) Telehandler
DEPARTMENT: Public Works
ESTIMATE: \$65,000.00
FUND/ACCOUNT: 53030054-85615
PUBLICATION DATE: November 11, 2009
NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 4

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>NMC/Nebraska Machinery Co.</u> Doniphan, NE	<u>Central Nebraska Bobcat</u> Grand Island, NE
Exceptions:	None	Noted
Bid Price:	\$85,830.00	\$68,680.88
Bid Alternatives:		
1. Telehandler w/0 – 400 hrs:	\$78,775.00	
2. Telehandler w/401 – 800 hrs:	\$73,175.00	
3. Telehandler w/801 – 1200 hrs:	\$58,765.00	
4. Telehandler w/1201 – 1600 hrs:	\$54,850.00	

Bidder:	<u>Fairbanks Grand Island</u> Grand Island, NE	<u>Fairbanks Grand Island</u> Grand Island, NE
Exceptions:	None	None
Bid Price:	\$68,750.00	
Bid Alternatives:		
1. Telehandler w/0 – 400 hrs:		\$71,850.00
2. Telehandler w/401 – 800 hrs:		
3. Telehandler w/801 – 1200 hrs:		
4. Telehandler w/1201 – 1600 hrs:		

Bidder: NCS Equipment
Grand Island, NE

Exceptions: None

Bid Price: \$65,200.00

Bid Alternatives:

1. Telehandler w/0 – 400 hrs:
2. Telehandler w/401 – 800 hrs:
3. Telehandler w/801 – 1200 hrs: \$56,550.00
4. Telehandler w/1201 – 1600 hrs: \$49,300.00

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

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.
Wes Nespor, Purchasing Agent
John Rundle, Main. Supervisor WWTP

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RESOLUTION 2009-325

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

WHEREAS, on November 19, 2009 bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, NCS Equipment 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 \$65,200.00; and

WHEREAS, NCS Equipment'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 NCS Equipment of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$65,200.00 for one (1) new Telehandler 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 15, 2009.

Margaret Hornady, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form ☐ _____
December 10, 2009 ☐ City Attorney