



City of Arts & Innovation

City Council Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 2016

FROM: PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT WARDS: ALL

SUBJECT: RIVERSIDE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLANT – AWARD BID NO. 7414 FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWO 20,000 GALLON FIBERGLASS SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE CHEMICAL STORAGE TANKS, TO EDWARDS FRP TANK AND REPAIR, INC., OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$121,768.40

ISSUE:

Award Bid No. 7414 for the purchase of two (2) 20,000 gallon fiberglass sodium hypochlorite chemical storage tanks to Edwards FRP Tank and Repair, Inc., of Sedalia, Missouri, in the amount of \$121,768.40.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the City Council award Bid No. 7414 for the purchase of two (2) 20,000 gallon fiberglass sodium hypochlorite chemical storage tanks to Edwards FRP Tank and Repair, Inc., of Sedalia, Missouri, in the amount of \$121,768.40.

BACKGROUND:

The Riverside Water Quality Control Plant (WQCP) has two existing tanks to store liquid bleach that is used to disinfect the plant effluent as required to meet regulatory requirements before discharging it to the Santa Ana River or reusing it as recycled water. The two tanks are eleven years old and the fiberglass interior of the tanks need constant repair. The tanks are at the end of their useful service life and need to be replaced.

DISCUSSION:

On July 14, 2016, bids were solicited for the procurement of the two tanks through the City's electronic bidding system. The bidding period was open for sixteen days and on July 29, 2016, one bid was received for the two (2) 20,000 gallon tanks. The one responsive bid was from Edwards FRP Tank and Repair, Inc., of Sedalia, Missouri, in the amount of \$121,768.40, which includes manufacturing and delivery of the two tanks to the WQCP.

There are three known companies that can manufacture chemical tanks to City specifications. One is located in California and the other two are in Missouri and Arkansas, respectively. All three companies were solicited for bids.

The Purchasing Services Manager concurs with the recommendation above.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no impact to the General Fund. Sufficient funds are available in the Public Works Department Plan Support Facilities/System Rehabilitation Account No. 9881023203 – 440301 to award the Purchase Order for this Project.

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Approved as to form: Gary G. Geuss, City Attorney

Attachment: Bid Recommendation