

City Council Memorandum

City of Arts & Innovation

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL DATE: MARCH 26, 2019

FROM: FIRE DEPARTMENT WARDS: ALL

SUBJECT: BID NO. 1904 FOR PURCHASE OF BLEEDING CONTROL TRAINING

MATERIALS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$53,709.50 FROM EMERGENCY MEDICAL PRODUCTS, INC., FOR RIVERSIDE URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE

REGION

ISSUE:

Award Bid No. 1904 to Emergency Medical Products, Inc., of Dublin, Ohio, for the purchase of bleeding control materials for the Riverside Urban Area Security Initiative region, in the amount of \$53,709.50 plus tax at the applicable tax rate.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the City Council award Bid No. 1904 to Emergency Medical Products, Inc., of Dublin, Ohio, for the purchase of bleeding control materials for the Riverside Urban Area Security Initiative region, in the amount of \$53,709.50 plus tax at the applicable tax rate.

BACKGROUND:

The Riverside Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) is procuring bleeding control materials for distribution to first responders in the UASI region. Staff will assemble eight (8) training kits to enhance Active Shooter Training programs in Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. The training kits include chest seals, several different tourniquets, wound packing material, and wound cubes, so that first responders and citizen responders can practice bleeding control techniques in preparation for emergency incidents. Additionally, staff will assemble 32 bleeding control "go bags" that will be distributed to fire and police departments in the Riverside UASI region, to build resiliency and increase the region's existing cache of 42 bags.

DISCUSSION:

On February 8, 2019, the City issued Bid No. 1904, Bleeding Control Training Materials, and on February 15, 2019, four (4) responsive bids were received. After reviewing the bids, the Purchasing Division and Fire Department determined that Emergency Medical Products, Inc., of Dublin, Ohio, was the lowest and responsive bidder. Therefore, staff is recommending the award of Bid No. 1904 to Emergency Medical Products, Inc., for the purchase of the bleeding control materials.

The Purchasing Manager concurs that the recommended action is in compliance with Purchasing Resolution 23256.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The total fiscal impact for the purchase of the bleeding control training materials is \$53,709.50 plus tax at the applicable tax rate. Funds are available in the UASI FY2016 budget account number 9158110-440453.

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availability of funds: Edward Enriquez, Chief Financial Officer/Treasurer

Approved by: Lea Deesing, Assistant City Manager

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

Attachments: Bid Award Recommendation