

DENVER BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Date: April 13, 2011

Board Item: V-A-6

Tabulation of Bids for PVC Pipe

Action by Consent

Action

Information

Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) pressure pipe is used by Denver Water for potable and non-potable water line installations and repairs. This can include capital projects, hydrant installs, system upgrades, pipe rehabilitation activities, and water main replacement

Requests for bids were accessed by forty-one potential bidders, and faxed to eight SBE organizations, with four bidders responding per the attached tabulation. Two SBE's placed bids neither were the low bid. The low bid submitted by HD Supply Waterworks is, on average, approximately 6.4% higher than the previous contract. This increase is most likely due to rising oil and feedstock costs. Unit prices are firm for the entire contract period.

The previous contract for PVC pipe was awarded to HD Supply Waterworks on March 10, 2010.

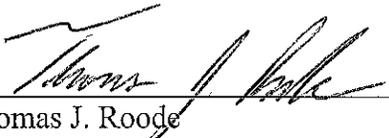
Funds are included in the 2011 Budget and will be included in the 2012 Budget for these expenditures. Because pipe is used in capital projects and for routine maintenance various MPC's will be used.

Recommendation:

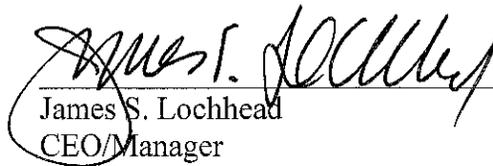
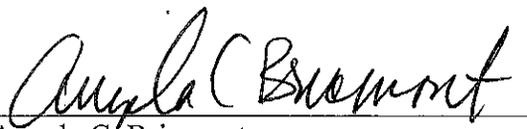
It is recommended the Board authorize award of Contract No. 13430A to HD Supply Waterworks, to furnish PVC pressure pipe, for the period May 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$295,000.00.

Respectfully submitted,

Approvals:



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