

# DENVER BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Date: March 13, 2013

Board Item: V-A-5

## Tabulation of Bids for Ductile Iron Pipe Contract # 14620A

Action by Consent

Action

Information

Denver Water uses ductile iron pipe for potable and recycled water line installations and repairs including, but not limited to, capital projects, hydrant installs, system upgrades, pipe rehabilitation, and water main replacement.

The Invitation for Bids was issued via the Rocky Mountain E-Purchasing System, with three companies responding per the attached bid tabulation. HD Supply Waterworks was the lowest responsive bidder. Ductile iron pipe unit prices are firm for first 12 months of the contract period. The unit price is comprised of two components: the material price and the overhead/profit price. The contract allows for quarterly adjustments to the material price based on the U.S. Producer Price Index for 'Metals and Metal Products – Pressure Pipe and Fittings, Ductile Iron'. It also allows for annual adjustments to the overhead/profit price based on the U.S. Producer Price Index for 'Finished Goods'. Unit prices, on average, will be 36.7% higher than current prices.

The previous ductile iron pipe contract was awarded to Colorado Springs Winwater Works on April 13, 2011.

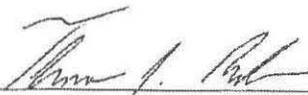
Funds for ductile iron pipe are included in the 2013 through 2015 budgets under MPC 5QA0002.

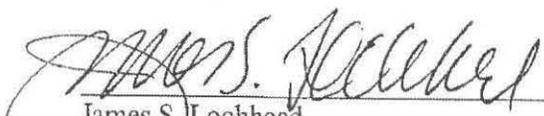
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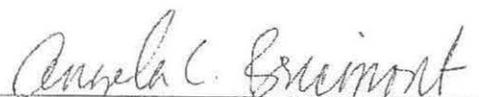
It is recommended that the Board authorize the award of Contract No. 14620A to HD Supply Waterworks, for furnishing ductile iron pipe over the contract period April 1, 2013 through March 31, 2015, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$470,000.00.

### Approvals:

Respectfully submitted,

  
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