DENVER BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Date: April 14, 2010

Board Item V-A-13

Tabulation of Bids for Dry Barrel Fire Hydrants

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Dry-barrel fire hydrants are used for new installations and replacements in the distribution system.

Requests for bids were downloaded by twenty-five potential bidders, and faxed to eight SBE organizations, with three responding per the attached tabulation. None of the respondents were SBE's. The low bid submitted by American Flow Control is, on average, 23% higher than the most recent contract price.

The previous contract for dry-barrel fire hydrants was awarded to American Flow Control on December 12, 2006.

Funds are included in the 2010 Budget and will be included in the 2011 Budget for these expenditures (MPC 5QA0002).

Recommendation:

It is recommended the Board authorize award of Contract No. 12884A to American Flow Control for dry-barrel fire hydrants and extension kits for the contract period April 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011, for a total contract amount not to exceed $425,000.00.

Approvals:

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Respectfully submitted,

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