



CITY OF DURHAM | NORTH CAROLINA

Date: July 8, 2013

To: Thomas J. Bonfield, City Manager

Through: Wanda S. Page, Deputy City Manager

From: David Boyd, Finance Director
Lynette McRae, Purchasing Supervisor

Subject: Bid Report – May 2013

Recommendation

To receive a report and to record into the minutes bids which were acted upon by the City Manager during the month of May 2013.

Apparatus, Supplies, Materials, Equipment, Construction and Repairwork:

1. **Bid:** Water Pump Motor Parts

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management with Smith & Loveless water pump motor parts for the Stage Coach Road Lift Station.

Comments: Pete Duty & Associates is the only authorized regional distributor for the Smith & Loveless brand of equipment and parts.

Opened: April 29, 2013

Bidders: Pete Duty & Associates, Inc. * \$16,611.00
Hillsborough, NC

*Awarded based on: Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	18		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	4	22%	# White Males	14	78%
Total # Males	14	78%	# Other Males	0	0%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	4	22%
			# Other Females	0	0%

2. **Bid:** **Fiberglass Catwalk Platform and Stairs**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management with a fiberglass catwalk platform and stairs for the chemical room at the Williams WTP.

Comments: Hugh Norman Enterprises, LLC is the only authorized regional distributor for the Fibergrate brand of fiberglass structural products.

Opened: May 1, 2013

Bidders: Hugh Norman Enterprises, LLC * \$18,970.00
High Point, NC

*Awarded based on: Low Bid X Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	2		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	1	50%	# White Males	1	50%
Total # Males	1	50%	# Other Males	0	0%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	1	50%
			# Other Females	0	0%

3. **Bid:** **Collector Chain Sprockets and Parts**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management with grit collector chains and parts for the South Durham WRF.

Comments:

Opened: May 1, 2013

Bidders: PMC, Inc. * \$18,406.50
Towson, MD
Holland Industrial \$18,814.00
Henderson, NC

*Awarded based on: Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	2		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	1	50%	# White Males	1	50%
Total # Males	1	50%	# Other Males	0	0%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	1	50%
			# Other Females	0	0%

4. **Bid:** **Combination Dump Truck, Salt and Sand Spreader (3 in 1)**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Street Maintenance with a new combination dump truck, salt and sand spreader for maintaining roads for use during inclement weather situations.

Comments: Pricing from the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative (BuyBoard) Term Contract #358-10.

Opened: April 22, 2013

Bidders: MHC Kenworth Company, Inc. * \$126,521.80
Durham, NC

*Awarded based on: Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	32		# Black Males	1	3%
Total # Females	4	13%	# White Males	27	84%
Total # Males	28	87%	# Other Males	0	0%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	4	13%
			# Other Females	0	0%

5. **Bid: Water Meters Fittings**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water & Sewer Operations with replacement 5/8" water meter fittings.

Comments: 100 @ \$157.50/each

Opened: May 3, 2013

Bidders: HD Supply Waterworks, Inc. * \$15,750.00
Morrisville, NC
Neptune Technology Group \$18,500.00
Tallassee, AL

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	15		# Black Males	3	20%
Total # Females	1	7%	# White Males	11	73%
Total # Males	14	93%	# Other Males	0	0%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	1	7%
			# Other Females	0	0%

6. **Bid: Roof Materials and Installation**

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Water Management Department with metal roofing materials for an existing ultraviolet disinfection facility.

Comments:

Opened: May 3, 2013

Bidders: ACCU-Steel * \$30,526.00
Raleigh, NC
Riggs-Harrod Builders \$34,619.00
Durham, NC
Crowder Construction Company \$88,800.00
Apex, NC

*Awarded based on: _____ X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	5		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	0	0%	# White Males	1	20%
Total # Males	5	100%	# Other Males	4	80%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	0	0%
			# Other Females	0	0%

7. Bid: Water Magnetic Flow Meters and Parts

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management with magnetic flow meters and parts for the Williams WTP.

Comments: These water flow meters and parts are needed to replace and interact with existing Sparling Instruments flow meters currently installed at the Williams plant.

Opened: May 1, 2013

Bidders: Sparling Instruments, LLC * \$18,028.40
El Monte, CA

*Awarded based on: Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	22		# Black Males	1	4%
Total # Females	3	14%	# White Males	5	23%
Total # Males	19	86%	# Other Males	13	59%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	1	4%
			# Other Females	2	10%

8. **Bid:** **Water Sample Testing Equipment**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management/ South Durham WRF with new Teledyne Isco refrigerated sampling and testing equipment.

Comments: Johnston, Inc. is the sole authorized regional dealer for Teledyne water sampling and testing equipment and parts.

Opened: May 8, 2013

Bidders: Johnston, Inc. * \$19,664.44
Indian Trails, NC

*Awarded based on: Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	13		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	2	15%	# White Males	9	70%
Total # Males	11	85%	# Other Males	2	15%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	2	15%
			# Other Females	0	0%

9. **Bid:** **Office Workstation Panels**

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Transportation Department with interior office workstation panels.

Comments: Pricing Based on US Communities Contract #2000000330.

Opened: May 14, 2013

Bidders: PMC Commercial Interiors *\$19,454.82
Morrisville, NC

*Awarded based on: Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	32		# Black Males	1	3%
Total # Females	19	59%	# White Males	12	38%
Total # Males	13	41 %	# Other Males	0	0%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	19	59%
			# Other Females	0	0%

10. **Bid:** **Road Side Safety Signs and Equipment**

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Public Works Department with safety signs, cones, and other safety equipment for their road-side work crews.

Comments:

Opened: May 10, 2013

Bidders:	Dillon Supply Company	* \$12,480.43
	Durham, NC	
	Northern Safety Co., Inc.	\$13,418.18
	Charleston, SC	
	Grainger Industrial Supply Co.	\$30,685.02
	Raleigh, NC	

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	274		# Black Males	34	12%
Total # Females	54	20%	# White Males	184	67%
Total # Males	220	80%	# Other Males	2	1%
			# Black Females	2	1%
			# White Females	52	19%
			# Other Females	0	0%

11. **Bid:** **Estimated Requirements for Ammonium Hydroxide**

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Water Management Department with their annual requirement for Liquid Ammonium Hydroxide. This chemical is used in the water treatment process as an antimicrobial agent.

Comments: Bids were sent to over thirty (30) bidders and only one (1) response was received.

Opened: April 30, 2013

Bidders: Brenntag Mid-South, Inc. * \$28,200.00
Durham, NC

*Awarded based on: Low Bid X Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	284		# Black Males	94	33%
Total # Females	63	22%	# White Males	123	44%
Total # Males	221	78%	# Other Males	4	1%
			# Black Females	4	1%
			# White Females	57	20%
			# Other Females	2	1%

12. **Bid:** **Chemical Storage Tanks**

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Water Management with new replacement Sodium Hypochlorite (chlorine) storage tanks for the Williams WTP.

Comments: 2 @ \$39,780.00/each

Opened: May 16, 2013

Bidders: Augusta Fiberglass Company, Inc. * \$79,560.00
Blackville, SC
Heyward Services, Inc. \$85,008.00
Charlotte, NC

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	185		# Black Males	37	20%
Total # Females	35	19%	# White Males	84	45%
Total # Males	150	81%	# Other Males	29	16%
			# Black Females	14	8%
			# White Females	13	7%
			# Other Females	8	4%

13. Bid: Estimated Requirements for Liquid Corrosion Inhibitor

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Water Management Department with their annual requirements for Liquid Corrosion Inhibitor. This chemical is used in the water treatment process for corrosion control.

Comments: 375 tons @ \$530.00/ton

Opened: April 23, 2013

Bidders:	Carus Corporation	* \$198,750.00
	Peru, IL	
	Shannon Chemical Corporation	\$222,723.75
	Malvern, PA	
	Brenntag Mid-South, Inc.	\$236,250.00
	Durham, NC	
	Sterling Water Technologies LLC	\$295,437.00
	Columbia, TN	

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	202		# Black Males	3	1%
Total # Females	70	35%	# White Males	117	58%
Total # Males	132	65%	# Other Males	12	6%
			# Black Females	1	1%
			# White Females	62	31%
			# Other Females	7	3%

14. **Bid:** **Mobile Application Software Installation and Training**

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Water Management and Public Works Departments with mobile application software for the use of Cityworks software on City smart phones and other mobile computer devices.

This will provide software installation and training and seventy-two (72) device licenses for use on various City smart phones and tablet devices.

Comments: TDC Group, Inc. is the sole provider of the Freeance Mobile application software license for the use with the Cityworks software currently in use by the City.

Opened: May 17, 2013

Bidders: TDC Group, Inc. * \$49,000.00
Dayton, OH

*Awarded based on: Low Bid Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	10		# Black Males	1	10%
Total # Females	2	20%	# White Males	6	60%
Total # Males	8	80%	# Other Males	1	10%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	2	20%
			# Other Females	0	0%

15. **Bid:** **Security Fencing at the Brown WTP**

Purpose of Bid: To provide electric security gate equipment and installation at the Brown WTP.

Comments:

Opened: May 10, 2013

Bidders: Dickerson's Fencing Co. * \$14,570.00
 Durham, NC
 Seegars Fence Co. \$14,991.00
 Durham, NC

*Awarded based on: _____ X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	11		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	2	18%	# White Males	7	64%
Total # Males	9	82 %	# Other Males	2	18%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	2	18%
			# Other Females	0	0%

16. Bid: Industrial Work Uniforms

Purpose of Bid: To provide the Public Works Department with industrial work uniforms for field staff.

Comments:

Opened: May 21, 2013

Bidders: J & E Uniforms * \$13,802.82
 Sanford, NC
 G & K Uniform \$18,530.43
 Graham, NC

*Awarded based on: _____ X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	13		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	7	54%	# White Males	3	23%
Total # Males	6	46%	# Other Males	3	23%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	6	46%
			# Other Females	1	8%

17. **Bid: Safety Handrail Parts and Accessories**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management with safety railing parts and accessories for the drying beds at South Durham WRF.

Comments:

Opened: May 17, 2013

Bidders: Grainger, Inc. * \$13,492.68
Lake Forest, IL
Hagemeyer, Inc. \$14,170.64
Alpharetta, GA

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	15,437		# Black Males	1,061	7%
Total # Females	5,393	35%	# White Males	7,198	47%
Total # Males	10,044	65%	# Other Males	1,785	11%
			# Black Females	624	4%
			# White Females	3,904	25%
			# Other Females	865	6%

18. **Bid: Copper Sulfate Solution**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management/Water Supply & Treatment with copper sulfate to correct the taste and odor in the City's water reservoir.

Comments: 10,890 gallons @ \$1.67/gallon

Opened: May 17, 2013

Bidders: Univar USA, Inc. * \$18,186.30
Morrisville, PA
Siemens Industry, Inc. \$21,453.30
Canton, GA

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	39		# Black Males	13	33%
Total # Females	11	29%	# White Males	14	35%
Total # Males	28	71%	# Other Males	1	3%
			# Black Females	1	3%
			# White Females	10	26%
			# Other Females	0	0%

19. **Bid:** **Water Treatment Analytical Equipment**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management with new Turbidimeters to measure drinking water turbidity (clarity) for the Brown WTP.

Comments: 9 @ \$2,651.00/each

Opened: May 17, 2013

Bidders: Hach Company, Inc. * \$23,859.00
 Loveland, CO
 Temperature Instrumentation, Inc. \$24,858.00
 Burlington, VT

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	1,419		# Black Males	21	2%
Total # Females	456	32%	# White Males	865	61%
Total # Males	963	68%	# Other Males	77	5%
			# Black Females	2	1%
			# White Females	392	27%
			# Other Females	62	4%

20. **Bid:** **Trencher/Boring Equipment Parts and Accessories**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water & Sewer Maintenance with parts and accessories for a McLaughlin Boring Machine used to dig trenches for water and sewer pipes.

Comments:

Opened: May 17, 2013

Bidders: Vermeer Mid-Atlantic, Inc. * \$11,817.90
Garner, NC
Vermeer Carolinas, Inc. \$11,983.50
Charlotte, NC

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	53		# Black Males	0	0%
Total # Females	3	6%	# White Males	49	92%
Total # Males	50	94%	# Other Males	1	2%
			# Black Females	0	0%
			# White Females	3	6%
			# Other Females	0	0%

21. **Bid: Magnetic Water Flow Meters and Parts**

Purpose of Bid: To provide Water Management with Magnetic Flow Meters and parts for the Brown WTP.

Comments:

Opened: May 22, 2013

Bidders: Siemens Industry, Inc. * \$24,628.80
Spring House, PA
CITI, LLC \$28,321.62
Charlotte, NC
Revere Control Systems, Inc. \$33,205.00
Birmingham, AL

*Awarded based on: X Low Bid _____ Other (See Comments)

WORKFORCE STATISTICS
CORPORATION STATISTICS

Total Workforce	21,039		# Black Males	1,145	6%
Total # Females	3,867	18%	# White Males	13,262	63%
Total # Males	17,172	82%	# Other Males	2,765	13%
			# Black Females	434	2%
			# White Females	2,778	13%
			# Other Females	655	3%

The Small Disadvantaged Business Enterprise data base was used in the solicitation of bids for these items.

Sufficient funds were available at the time of the award. The Administration recommends acceptance of the above bids denoted by an asterisk (*).