

# CORPORATE REPORT

NO: R141 COUNCIL DATE: July 10, 2017

# **REGULAR COUNCIL**

TO: Mayor & Council DATE: July 5, 2017

FROM: General Manager, Engineering FILE: 1220-040-2017-071

SUBJECT: Award of Contract No. 1220-040-2017-071 for the Supply of Two Tandem Axle

**Dump Trucks with Winter Maintenance Equipment** 

#### RECOMMENDATION

The Engineering Department recommends that Council:

- 1. Award Contract 1220-040-2017-071 to First Truck Centre Vancouver Inc. in the amount of \$811,294.40, including GST and applicable levies, for the supply of two (2) tandem axle dump trucks including snow ploughs and salt spreaders;
- 2. Set the expenditure authorization limit for Contract 1220-040-2017-071 at \$850,000.00, including contingencies and GST; and
- 3. Authorize the General Manager, Engineering to execute Contract 1220-040-2017-071.

## **BACKGROUND**

Engineering Operations has identified two tandem axle trucks for replacement. Both trucks are at the end of their economic life and require replacement to ensure the City has 23 tandem axle trucks available to:

- Complete winter maintenance routes for the safety of the motoring public; and
- Meet our day to day operational requirements.

# **DISCUSSION**

As part of the 2017 Capital Replacement and Additions budget, Engineering Operations identified two tandem axle trucks for replacement. The proposed replacement trucks include specifications to meet our day to day requirements, as well as provide us with winter maintenance capabilities including front mount ploughs, belly ploughs and salt spreaders. The proposed trucks also meet the latest engine emission standards EPA/CARB Final GHG17.

# **QUOTATION RESULTS**

In accordance with the Purchasing and Expenditure Authorization Bylaw, the RFQ was posted on the BC Bid and City of Surrey websites. The following suppliers submitted quotes:

Supplier	Tendered Amount Including	Corrected Amount
	Taxes and Levies	
First Truck Centre Vancouver	\$811,294.40	No Correction
Pacific Coast Heavy Truck	\$865,726.40	No Correction
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#### **EVALUATION**

An evaluation team involving staff from the Engineering Department and the Finance & Technology Department reviewed the quotations for accuracy and completeness.

First Truck Centre Vancouver provided the low quotation for the full scope of the RFQ. First Truck Centre Vancouver has previously supplied similar vehicles to the City. We have found their products and service to be satisfactory. It is therefore recommended that First Truck Centre Vancouver be awarded Contract 1220-040-2017-071.

## SUSTAINABILITY CONSIDERATIONS

The purchase of the tandem axle dump trucks and winter maintenance equipment, and associated economic and environmental benefits, supports the objectives of the City's Sustainability Charter. In particular, the purchase relates to the Sustainability Charter themes of Ecosystems and Infrastructure. Specifically, the purchase supports the following Desired Outcomes:

- Water, Air and Soil DO6 Water supports healthy ecosystem;
- Water, Air and Soil DO9: Air quality meets or exceeds established standards; and
- Energy and Climate DO7: Per capita emissions are low, and align with global, national and provincial GHG reduction targets.

## **FUNDING**

Funding for this contract is available in the approved 2017 Fleet Capital Budget.

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