

City Council
Agenda Memo



City Council
Meeting Date: Sep 25, 2014

TO: Larry D. Gilley, City Manager

FROM: Rodney Taylor, Assistant Director of Water Utilities

SUBJECT: Oral Resolution Awarding Bid for the Wastewater Interceptor Line Cleaning and Inspection Project.

GENERAL INFORMATION

On June 19th, 2013 the City of Abilene entered into the Sanitary Sewer Overflow Agreement (Agreement) with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality. The Agreement is a long term plan of action by the City of Abilene with the goal of reducing the occurrence of Sanitary Sewer Overflows (SSOs). The Agreement requires that by December 31, 2015 the City of Abilene shall complete Item 4, the interceptor cleaning project No. 1 as described in the Agreement package. The Project will satisfy Item 4. The Agreement also requires additional interceptor cleaning projects in subsequent years.

On August 20, 2014 the City of Abilene received bids for the Wastewater Interceptor Line Cleaning and Inspection Project CB-1437 (Project). The Project was advertised in the Abilene Reporter News on August 3 and August 10, 2014. Three bids were received. The low bid was submitted by Interra Hydro Inc. (Interra) of Austin, TX. The Engineer, after evaluating the bid submittal and the contractor references, does recommend awarding the bid to Interra in the amount of \$84,075.00.

The Project provides that Interra complete the Cleaning and CCTV Inspection of the designated portion of the 15-inch Southwest Interceptor as specific in the contract documents. The cleaning shall be sufficient to restore flow capacity to a minimum of 95% of the original carrying capacity. After cleaning is complete, the CCTV inspection shall identify and document the condition of the piping for the length of the project. Enprotec/Hibbs & Todd, Inc. is contracted to assist the City in developing the interceptor cleaning and inspection Project, prepare contract documents and specifications, supervise the Project, and compile the data and report the results to City staff.

FUNDING/FISCAL IMPACT

Funds for the Wastewater Interceptor Line Cleaning and Inspection Project are available as part of the 2012 CIP Budget, Project 8060-01-12

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Council award the bid for the Project to Interra in the amount of \$84,075.00, and to authorize the City Manager or his designee to execute all necessary documents related to the contract.

ATTACHMENTS

Engineer's letter of recommendation
Bid Tab Sheet CB-1437

Prepared by: Name <u>Rodney Taylor</u> Title <u>Asst. Water Director</u>	Item No. <u>6.18</u>	Disposition by City Council <input type="checkbox"/> Approved Ord/Res# <input type="checkbox"/> Denied _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ City Secretary
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September 2, 2014

Via Email; Original via Mail

City of Abilene
209 East Highway 80
Abilene, TX 79601
Attn: Mr. Rodney Taylor, Assistant Director of Water Utilities

**Re: Recommendation of Award
Wastewater Interceptor Line Cleaning and Inspection
Abilene, Texas**

Dear Mr. Taylor:

Bids for the referenced project were opened on Wednesday, August 20, 2013. A total of three (3) bids were received, and I have attached a copy of the Bid Tabulation. The apparent low bidder was the Interra Hydro, Inc. (Interra Hydro) out of Austin, TX.

Enprotec / Hibbs & Todd, Inc. (eHT) has evaluated the responsiveness of Interra Hydro for conformity with all material conditions of the Advertisement for Bids and the Information for Bidders. Additionally, we have evaluated the responsibility of Interra Hydro from information and references provided by Interra Hydro with their bid packet.

Based on our evaluation, eHT recommends award of the contract to Interra Hydro, for the Wastewater Interceptor Line Cleaning and Inspection Project, as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Interra Hydro's base bid totaled \$84,075.00.

We look forward to working with the City of Abilene as this project moves into the construction phase.

Sincerely,

Enprotec / Hibbs & Todd, Inc.

BJ Prichard, P.E.



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Attachment: Bid Tabulation

c: Tommy O'Brien, P.E., Director of Water Utilities
Project File: 5768

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**CITY OF ABILENE
PURCHASING DIVISION
TABULATION OF BIDS**

DEPARTMENT: WATER
 BID NO.: CB-1437
 TIME OF OPENING: 11:00 A.M.
 DATE OF OPENING: AUGUST 20, 2014

INTERRA HYDRO, INC.

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CLEAN SERVE, LLC

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT	INTERRA HYDRO, INC.		SEWER SERVICES OF TEXAS		CLEAN SERVE, LLC								
				UNIT PRICE	EXTENSION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENSION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENSION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENSION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENSION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENSION	
1.	WASTEWATER INTERCEPTOR LINE CLEANING & INSPECTION				*84,075.00		84,856.30		122,500.00							
BASE BID					*84,075.00		84,856.30		122,500.00							
DISCOUNT																
TOTAL BID					*84,075.00		84,856.30		122,500.00							

*NOTES: INDICATES RECOMMENDED AWARD