

RESOLUTION NO. 85-2022

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, AWARDED THE REBID FOR THE PURCHASE OF BULK ALUM AND LAS CHEMICALS USED BY WATER AND WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS IN FISCAL YEAR 2022.

WHEREAS, on September 23rd, 2021 the Abilene City Council awarded the bid for various bulk chemicals used for water and wastewater treatment processes during fiscal year 2022; and

WHEREAS, due to unforeseeable economic conditions affecting the price of raw products used in the production of Liquid Aluminum Sulfate (Alum) and Liquid Ammonium Sulfate (LAS), the originally awarded vendor for CB-2144 is not able to continue to supply Alum and LAS at the then awarded bid prices thus requiring City staff to initiate a rebidding process for bulk Alum and LAS; and

WHEREAS, multiple vendors submitted bids, and the originally awarded vendor Chameleon Industries submitted the lowest rebid unit price for each of Alum and LAS as described in the table below:

CHEMICAL	RECOMMENDED VENDOR	UNIT PRICE	PRICING UNIT	PRO RATED 4 MONTH COST
Alum	Chameleon Industries Inc.	\$495.00	Dry Ton	\$624,690.00
LAS	Chameleon Industries Inc.	\$1,060.00	Dry Ton	\$63,600.00

The rebid of Alum resulted in a cost increase of about \$107,270.00 above the originally budgeted annual cost. The rebid of LAS resulted in a cost increase of about \$27,000.00 above the originally budgeted annual cost, and


WHEREAS, City staff, after evaluating the two bid submittals for fiscal year 2022, does recommend awarding the bids to the low bidders identified herein; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a contract with Chameleon Industries, Inc. in the amount of the above listed unit prices for the remainder of fiscal year 2022.

ADOPTED this 26th day of May, 2022.

ATTEST:


Kaitlin Richardson, Deputy City Secretary


Anthony Williams, Mayor

APPROVED:


Stanley E. Smith, City Attorney