

CITY COUNCIL

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Agenda Item No.: 11

Date: June 13, 2012

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM: Gilbert Rojas, Director of Finance

SUBJECT: Award Bid for Two 2012 Dump Trucks

RECOMMENDATION:

It is requested that Council adopt Resolution No. 2012-89 approving the bid award for two dump trucks to Dion International Trucks LLC in the amount of \$254,433.64. The purchase of these dump trucks will replace the existing units as follows: Unit number 3240, 1991 GMC dump truck with 102,591 miles and unit number 3256, 1991 GMC with 87,862 miles. Unit 3240 has been out-of-service since November 2011 due to various mechanical hazards, such as, internal axle failure and nonrepairable hoist cylinder. Unit 3256 has extensive internal engine problems and severe cab and body damage. The standard life expectancy of these units is fifteen years; however, these units were extended for an additional six years due to budgetary reasons.

FISCAL ANALYSIS:

Sufficient funds are budgeted in the Fleet Services Vehicle Replacement Fund.

BACKGROUND:

Requests for bids were mailed to five vendors on April 30, 2012 and two bids were received and opened on May 23, 2012. The bid results are as follows:

Vendor	Amount
Dion International Trucks LLC	\$254,433.64
Hawthorn Power Systems	\$335,545.00

Joe Goulart, Fleet Services Superintendent, reviewed the bids and recommends the bid award to Dion International Trucks LLC as the lowest most responsive and responsible bidder who met the City's bid requirements.

Respectfully submitted,


Gilbert Rojas,
Director of Finance

DATE 05/24/2012

TO: Blanca Wolf, Purchasing Supervisor

FROM: Joe Goulart, Fleet Maintenance Superintendent

SUBJECT: Approval of Dion International Bid.

After review of the Bids submitted by Hawthorne Power Systems and Dion International to replace two existing dump trucks owned by the City of Escondido. Bob Blackburn and I agree that Dion International complies in all areas of the bid specifications. Dion International was the lowest bidder of the two bids that were received. It is my recommendation that we approve the bid submitted by Dion International.

Sincerely
Joe Goulart

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-89

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO, CALIFORNIA,
AUTHORIZING CITY COUNCIL TO
APPROVE THE BID AWARD FOR TWO
2012 DUMP TRUCKS TO DION
INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS LLC

WHEREAS, sufficient funds are located in the Fleet Services Vehicle Replacement Fund; and

WHEREAS, a notice inviting bids was duly published; and

WHEREAS, on April 30, 2012, request for bids for two 2012 Dump Trucks were mailed to vendors; and

WHEREAS, two bids were opened and evaluated on May 23, 2012; and

WHEREAS, the apparent low bid, submitted by Dion International Trucks LLC, was determined to be the lowest most responsive and responsible bidder who met the City's bid specifications; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends awarding the bid to Dion International Trucks LLC in the amount of \$254,433.64; and

WHEREAS, this City Council desires at this time and deems it to be in the best public interest to award the bid to Dion International Trucks LLC.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Escondido, California, as follows:

1. That the above recitations are true.
2. That City Council accepts the recommendation of staff and finds Dion International Trucks LLC to be the lowest most responsive and responsible bidder who met the City's bid specifications.
3. That the City Council is authorized to approve on behalf of the City, the bid award with Dion International Trucks LLC for two 2012 Dump Trucks in the amount of \$254,433.64.