



Request for City Council Committee Action From the Departments of Regulatory Services and Procurement

Date: March 22, 2010
To: Honorable Elizabeth Glidden, Chair Regulatory, Energy and Environment
Referral to: Honorable Betsy Hodges, Chair Ways and Means Committee

Subject: Approval of Official Publication No. 7254 Bids for South District Weed Cutting and Related Services

Recommendation:

Acceptance of the low bid of Gihl Lawn and Snow for an estimated annual expenditure of \$80,000.00 to furnish and deliver all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to accomplish weed cutting and related services as needed and directed through May 31, 2011, as follows:

Cutting Removal and disposition of weed and or plant growth

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| a. Lots up to 6,000 square feet | total cost - per lot | \$29.99 |
| b. Fractional lots up to 500 square feet maximum | total cost – per lot | \$29.99 |

Bidder offers to extend for 12 months at the sole option of the City of Minneapolis at the prices bid.

Bidder offers to extend for a 2nd 12 month period at the sole option of the City of Minneapolis at the prices bid.

Successful bidder will be required to enter into a formal contract and provide Performance Bond and Payment Bond in the minimum amount of \$25,000.00.

Further recommend proper Officers be authorized and directed to execute a contract for this service, all in accordance with our specifications.

Terms are net-30 days. F.O.B.: Destination

This has been approved by the Civil Rights Department

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Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

No financial impact - or - Action is within current department budget.
(If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information)

Action requires an appropriation increase to the Capital Budget

Action requires an appropriation increase to the Operating Budget

Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase

Action requires use of contingency or reserves

Other financial impact (Explain): Action is within Budget

Request provided to the Budget Office when provided to the Committee Coordinator

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Background/Supporting Information:

Tabulation of seven (7) bids received on Official Publication No. 7254 Bids for South District Weed Cutting and Related Services.

Attachments - Tabulation Sheet

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