



Item: Three New 2012 Three Quarter Ton Pickups
From: Tom Hugg, Vehicle Maintenance Supervisor
Initiated By: Public Works Department
Presented By: Jim Rearden, Public Works Director
Action Requested: Award Bid

Suggested Motion:

1. Commissioner moves:

“I move that the City Commission (approve/reject) the bid award for three new 2012 GMC Sierra 2500 HD pickups to Bennett Motors of Great Falls for \$57,897.”

2. Mayor calls for a second, discussion, inquiries from the public, and calls for the vote.

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends that the City Commission award the bid for three new 2012 GMC Sierra 2500 HD pickups to Bennett Motors of Great Falls for \$57,897.

Background:

Purpose

These units will be used in the Street Division for street maintenance.

Evaluation and Selection Process

The specifications were advertised two times in the Great Falls Tribune, placed on the City of Great Falls website, and mailed to five prospective bidders. The bids were opened on January 4, 2012, with four bidders responding.

Staff recommends rejecting the trade-in offers by Bennett Motors of \$1,000 for the City's 2001 Dodge Ram 2500, VIN # 3B7KC26Z81M544018, 102,000 miles, \$1,000 for the City's 2001 Dodge Ram 2500, VIN #3B7KC26ZX1M544019, 106,000 miles, and \$1,000 for the City's 2000 Chevrolet ¾ ton, VIN #1GCGC24R9YF456596, 108,000 miles. These units will be sold at a later date.

Conclusion

The bid by Bennett Motors of Great Falls meets specifications for the three new 2012 three quarter ton pickups.

Fiscal Impact: Funds for their purchase were provided in the FY 2012 Central Garage Division Budget. The amount of funds available for these pieces of equipment is \$88,770.

Alternatives: Reject the bids for three new 2012 three quarter ton pickups.

Attachments/Exhibits: Bid List, Bid Tab.

Bidders List

City Motor Company
Attention Leslie Oakland
PO Box 6727
Great Falls MT 59406

Bison Ford
500 10th Avenue South
Great Falls MT 59405

Bennett Pontiac GMC Subaru
#26 9th Street South
Great Falls MT 59405

Jamieson Motors
100 Pennsylvania Street
Chinook MT 59523

Karl Tyler Chevrolet
Attention Toby English
3663 North Reserve Street
Missoula MT 59808

Lithia Dodge
4025 10th Ave. South
Great Falls MT 59406

CITY OF GREAT FALLS
PO BOX 5021
GREAT FALLS MT 59403

THREE NEW 2012 ¾ TON PICKUPS

Project Number
Bids Taken at Civic Center
Date: January 4, 2012
Tabulated By: Debbie Kimball
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NAME OF BIDDER	Bid Security	Affidavit of Non- Collusion	Initial Bid Price for Three Units	Trade-in Allowance	Net Bid Price with any Trade-ins	Make	Model
City Motors Great Falls	CC \$6285.00	√	\$62,845.00	2001 Dodge (1) \$1,700 2001 Dodge (2) \$1,700 2000 Chev ¾ Ton \$1,000	\$58,445.00	Chevrolet	¾ Ton 2WD Silverado
Karl Tyler Chevrolet Missoula, Montana	No Bid Security Bid Not Read			2001 Dodge (1) \$ 2001 Dodge (2) \$ 2000 Chev ¾ Ton \$			
Bennett Motors Great Falls	CC \$5790.00	√	\$57,897.00	2001 Dodge (1) \$1,000 2001 Dodge (2) \$1,000 2000 Chev ¾ Ton \$1,000	\$54,897.00	GMC	Sierra 2500 HD
Bison Ford Great Falls	CC \$6857.25	√	\$68,242.47	2001 Dodge (1) \$500 2001 Dodge (2) \$500 2000 Chev ¾ Ton \$500	\$66,742.47	2012 Ford	F150 4X2 Regular Cab
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