



Item: 2014 Traffic Counters
From: Jerry McKinley, Traffic Supervisor
Initiated By: Public Works Department
Presented By: Jim Rearden, Public Works Director
Action Requested: Reject Bids

Suggested Motion:

1. Commissioner moves:

“I move that the City Commission (reject/not reject) the bids for the 2014 traffic counters.”

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

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends that the City Commission reject the bids for the 2014 traffic counters for non-compliance.

Background:

Purpose

These units will be used by the Traffic Division to collect traffic data which is provided to the City Planning Department and the State Department of Transportation. The data collected is used for planning future transportation projects.

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 with two bidders responding. The bids were opened on May 21, 2014. None of the bids received contained a bid security.

Staff will be requesting quotes from the list of bidders. The total of this purchase will be under \$80,000. The purchase will then be placed on a future Consent Agenda.

Fiscal Impact: Funds for their purchase are Metropolitan Planning Funds provided by the State Department of Transportation.

Attachments/Exhibits: Bid List, Bid Tab

**TRAFFIC COUNTERS
BIDDERS LIST**

1. Jamar Technologies, Inc.
1500 Industry Road, Suite C
Hatfield, PA 19440

2. Peek Traffic Corporation
2906 Corporate Way
Palmetto, FL 34221

3. TimeMark Incorporated
PO Box 12947
Salem, OR 97309-0947

4. Diamond Traffic Products
76433 Alder Street
P.O. Box 1455
Oakridge OR 97463

5. MetroCount USA, Inc
11820 West Market Place
Suite M
Fulton MD 20759

CITY OF GREAT FALLS
 PO BOX 5021
 GREAT FALLS MT 59403

NEW 2014 TRAFFIC COUNTERS

Project Number
 Bids Taken at Civic Center
 Date: May 21, 2014
 Tabulated By: Debbie Kimball
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NAME & ADDRESS OF BIDDER	<u>Bid Security</u> Affidavit of Non- Collusion	User's List for Counters and Software	Unit Bid Price 24 Units	Unit Bid Price Software	Total Bid	Make	Model
VehicleCounts.com	NO BID						
IRD International Road Dynamics	NO BID						
Jamar Technologies	NO BID						