



Broward County

Legislation Text

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Broward County Commission Regular Meeting

Director's Name: George Tablack

Department: Finance and Administrative Services **Division:** Purchasing

Information

Requested Action

MOTION TO AWARD fixed contract to single bidder, M-B Companies, Inc., for Thermoplastic Pavement Marking Long Liner Truck, Bid No. TRN2120421B1, for the Traffic Engineering Division, in the amount of \$647,312.

Why Action is Necessary

In accordance with the Broward County Procurement Code, Section 21.31.a.4, Award Authority, Board approval is required for awards exceeding \$500,000 that includes a single bidder, rejection of apparent low bidder, or protested award.

What Action Accomplishes

Provides for the purchase of a thermoplastic pavement marking long liner truck.

Is this Action Goal Related

No

Previous Action Taken

None.

Summary Explanation/Background

THE PURCHASING DIVISION AND THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT/TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DIVISION RECOMMENDED APPROVAL OF THE ABOVE MOTION.

The Office of Economic and Small Business Development did not reserve this project for Small Business Enterprises under the Sheltered Market Program or assign County Business Enterprise participation goals to this solicitation based on the review of products and services requested (Exhibit 2).

The purpose of this contract is to furnish a thermoplastic pavement marking long liner truck with a self-mounted thermoplastic application machine for the application of reflectorized thermoplastic pavement markings on Broward County's roadways.

The Traffic Engineering Division has reviewed the bid submitted by the single bidder and concurs with the recommendation for award (Exhibit 3).

The purchasing agent has researched the prices submitted by the recommended bidder, M-B Companies, Inc., and has determined that the prices submitted are fair, reasonable and aligned with market analysis for the industry when compared to the unit price of the other bidders (Exhibit 4).

The bid posted on February 6, 2020 and was scheduled to open on February 28, 2020. However, upon review of the submittals it was determined that only one vendor had submitted a bid. In order to conduct additional outreach to invite other potential bidders, the Purchasing Division extended the bid opening date by one week, the bid opened on March 6, 2020; one bid was received with one declination (Exhibit 1).

There were no protests or appeals filed regarding this procurement.

On April 9, 2020, this single bid was provided to the Office of the County Auditor.

Source of Additional Information

Brenda J. Billingsley, Director of Purchasing, (954) 357-6070

Fiscal Impact

Fiscal Impact/Cost Summary

The source of funding for this project is from Traffic and Engineering Division Capital Funding Project for Special Purpose Equipment (Trucks) in the amount of \$647,312.

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