

EVALUATION OF BID PROPOSALS

FOR: TRAFFIC SIGNAL IMPROVEMENTS AT TULARE AND "N" STREETS-REBID

Bid File No. 3520
Bid Opening: 2/21/17

<u>BIDDERS</u>	<u>BID AMOUNT</u>
1. Madco Electric, Inc. 2135 E Front St. Selma, CA 93662	\$459,830.00* BY PASS Vendor failed to submit GFE/DBE documentation
2. American Paving Co. PO Box 4348 Fresno, CA 93744	\$526,143.00
3. Davis Moreno Construction Inc. 4720 N. Blythe Ave Fresno, CA 93722	\$579,228.70

Each bidder has agreed to allow the City sixty-four (64) days from date bids are opened to accept or reject their bid proposal. Purchasing requests that you complete the following sections and return this bid evaluation to the Purchasing Division at the latest by Monday, March 13, 2017 by 5:00 P.M.

The Engineer's Estimate for this expenditure is \$ 431,200. The contract price is 22 % above the Engineer's Estimate. If the overage is greater than 10% or only one bid was received, give explanation:

The current low bidder Madco Electric, Inc. is being by passed because they have been determined to be non-responsive due to not filing the required Disadvantage Business Enterprise (DBE/GFE) with lack of the good faith effort documentation that is necessary as required by the project funding authority. American Paving Co. therefore becomes the next lowest responsive, responsible bidder. Their bid is higher than the Engineer's Estimate due to the abundance of work in the project's electrical requested discipline. Current projects have Electrical Contractors tied up with downtown street improvements for the Fulton Mall, the Bus Rapid Transit (BRT), High Speed Rail (HSR) and other similar projects. With the amount of work currently being requested the City is experiencing an increase in electrical contractor work.

BACKGROUND OF PROJECT (To be completed by Evaluating Department/Division. Explain need for project/equipment):

The downtown has seen rise to new businesses, government offices and restaurants causing a numerous influx of pedestrians to the area. To the south of the intersection is a parking garage, businesses and restaurants that require pedestrians cross busy Tulare Avenue to the north and south, subsequently causing traffic conflicts with vehicles that currently do not have a stop sign. This project seeks to alleviate these types of conflicts with dedicated pedestrian and traffic phases that a modern traffic signal provides.

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DEPARTMENT CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATION:

Award a contract in the amount of \$526,143.00
to American Paving Co. PO Box 4348. Fresno, CA 93744
as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

Remarks:

Reject all bids. Reason:

Department Head Approval



Title ASST. DIRECTOR

Date 3/1/17

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A DBE goal of 15% was established for this project. The recommended Contractor complied with the DBE requirements pursuant to the bid specifications.

Jan Yonkers-Kunsel 3/2/17
DBE Program Coordinator Date

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approve Dept. Recommendation | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approve Finance/Purchasing Recommendation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disapprove | <input type="checkbox"/> Disapprove |
| <input type="checkbox"/> See Attachment | |

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

CITY MANAGER

[Signature] 3-2-17
Purchasing Manager Date

[Signature] 3/3/17
City Manager or Designee Date

[Signature] 3/2/17
Finance Director Date