

**EVALUATION OF BID
PROPOSALS**

FOR: REQUIREMENTS CONTRACT FOR ASPHALT CONCRETE MATERIAL

Bid File No. 12300991
Bid Opening: 02/21/2023

<u>BIDDERS</u>	<u>TOTAL NET BID AMOUNT</u>
1. Vulcan Materials Co. 3570 W. Ashlan Ave. Fresno, CA 93727	\$5,826,127.50
2. Martin Marietta 114 E. Shaw Ave. Suite 100 Fresno, CA 93710	\$6,697,636.60 *Non-Responsive

*Bidder did not turn in required documents.

Each bidder has agreed to allow the City ninety (90) 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, 2023 5:00 P.M.

The current contract pricing is 54 % above the previous contract pricing. If the overage is greater than 10% or only one bid was received, give explanation:

The 54% increase in the bid amount can be mainly attributed to two factors. The primary factor is a need by the Division for an increase in contracted materials. This contract represents a 22% increase in material quantity over the previous contract. The second factor is due to industry wide price increases related to the cost of oil, which is used in the production of asphalt materials.

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

The Department of Public Works Street Maintenance Division uses asphalt concrete materials for various street repair operations, such as paving, pothole repairs, and localized asphalt patching. These materials are used by City crews throughout the year and are transported to various jobsites around the city. The execution of a requirements contract establishes a firm price, secured through competitive bidding, for a specified time and allows the City to make material purchases as needed.

The specifications for the new requirements contract, for bidding purposes, was based on the average annual quantities of fourteen separate asphalt concrete products. A Notice Inviting Bids was faxed to multiple Building Exchanges, sent directly to prospective bidders, and posted on the PlanetBids website. Two (2) proposals were received and opened in a public bid opening on February 21, 2023. Vulcan Materials Co. was the lowest responsive

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and responsible bidder based on total amount of the base bid and deduct alternate bid combined.

Funding for this contract is included in the FY2023 budget. It will be partially funded by Measure C and SB1 Gas Tax, as well as funding from projects funded by HUD Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program and the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA).

DEPARTMENT CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATION:

Award a contract in the amount of \$ 5,826,127.50
to Vulcan Materials Co.
as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

Remarks:

Reject all bids. Reason:

Department Head Approval



Title: Assistant Director of Public Works

Date 3-16-23
