

EVALUATION OF BID PROPOSALS

FOR: TRAFFIC SIGNAL IMPROVEMENTS AT NORTH GATES AND WEST SAN JOSE AVENUES

Bid File No. 3705
Bid Opening: 11/5/19

<u>BIDDERS</u>	<u>BID AMOUNT</u>
1. A-C Electric Company 2560 South East Avenue Fresno, CA 93706	\$532,550.00 <i>MP</i>
2. Madco Electric, Inc. 2135 East Front Street Selma, CA 93662	\$536,500.00 <i>MP</i>

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, November 18, 2019, by 5:00 P.M.

The Engineer's Estimate for this expenditure is \$546,000.00. The contract price is 3% below the Engineer's Estimate. If the overage is greater than 10% or only one bid was received, give explanation:

BACKGROUND OF PROJECT:

The scope of work for the proposed Traffic Signal Improvements at North Gates and West San Jose Avenues includes new traffic signal foundations, poles, arms and heads, conduit and conductors, video detection equipment for signal actuation, traffic signal controller cabinet, new ADA-compliant concrete curb ramps, a camera for remote monitoring, and Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) facilities. The project will also provide pedestrian amenities such as count-down heads, accessible pedestrian signals and safety lighting to assist pedestrians crossing both Gates and San Jose Avenues, and provide protected left turning for vehicles in all directions. The Gates and San Jose intersection is currently unsignalized.

The RSTP grant funding for the Gates and San Jose Traffic Signal Project was awarded in Fiscal Year 2016, and the project was budgeted in the adopted Fiscal Year 2018 Capital Budget by City Council. The engineering design took approximately 16 months to complete.

Staff prepared a Notice Inviting Bids, which was published in the Fresno Business Journal on October 9, 2019, posted on the City's website, and faxed to eight (8) building exchanges. Project plans and specifications were also distributed to thirty-eight (38) prospective bidders. Two (2) sealed bid proposals were received and opened in a public bid opening on November 5, 2019 with bid amounts of \$532,550 and \$536,500. A-C Electric Company of Fresno, CA, with their bid of \$532,550, was determined to be the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

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DEPARTMENT CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATION:

Award a contract in the amount of \$532,550.00 to A-C Electric Company of Fresno, CA as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

Remarks:

Reject all bids. Reason:

Department Head Approval



Title: Assistant Director

Date: 11/19/19

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A DBE goal of 22% was established for this project. The recommended Contractor complied with the DBE requirements pursuant to the bid specifications.



DBE Program Coordinator



Date

Approve Dept. Recommendation

Approve Finance/Purchasing Recommendation

Disapprove

Disapprove

See Attachment

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

CITY MANAGER


Purchasing Manager


Date



City Manager or Designee


Date


Finance Director


Date