

CITY OF BETHLEHEM
INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

SUBJECT: Heavy Duty Truck Lift Replacement
Project No. MS-15-W04
Bid Request No. 2015-11

Request for City Council Approval per Article 121.05

TO: City Council

FROM: Michael Alkhal, P.E., Director of Public Works / City Engineer

DATE: July 1, 2015

We have advertised the above referenced project in the newspaper and on the City of Bethlehem website and received two (2) bids. One (1) from Turner Hydraulics Inc. and one (1) from Alan Tye Associates. After review of their qualifications and pricing, we recommend award of the contract to Turner Hydraulics Inc.

We request review and approval of a resolution authorizing entering into the referenced contract be added to Council's agenda for the upcoming meeting on July 21, 2015.

- New Contract, Renewal Contract or Amendment to increase by 10% or more (check appropriate box):

- New Contract
- Renewal Contract
- Amendment to increase by 10% or more

- Contractor Name and Address:

Turner Hydraulics, Inc.
1605 Industrial Dr.
Carlisle, PA 17013

- Description of project or scope of services to be provided:

This project is for the purchase and installation of a Heavy Duty Vehicle Lift, Rotary Lift Model EFX-60-17 with 60,000 lb. capacity, at the City of Bethlehem, Mechanical Bureau located at 540 Stefko Blvd. This will replace a 25 year old in ground lift with 30,000 lb. capacity.

- Term of contract or estimated completion date, subject to standard extensions:

Installation completed 45 calendar days from Notice to Proceed.

- Price to City for initial term:

\$127,800.00

- Reasons for recommendation of Administration and Council approval of contract:

Two (2) bids were received. The competing bid was substantially higher. Turner Hydraulics references were reviewed. We inspected and were given a demonstration of a Turner lift installation at a local transportation authority, all to our satisfaction. Turner Hydraulics, Inc. is a qualified firm who has completed multiple installations that match our specification.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

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cc: Mayor
Business Administrator
Law Bureau
Purchasing Bureau
Director of Budget and Finance
File/xc

By: 
Title: Director of Public Works / City Engineer

RESOLUTION NO. _____

Authorization for Contract or Amendment under Article 121.05(a)

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Bethlehem that the Mayor and the Controller and/or such other City officials as deemed appropriate by the City Solicitor, are hereby authorized to execute a Contract or Amendment and such other agreements and documents as are deemed by the City Solicitor to be necessary and/or related there to, with the following named contractor, for the uses and purposes indicated in the supporting Recommendation of Award of Bid or Contract dated _____:

1. Name of Contractor: Turner Hydraulics, Inc.
2. Project or Contract Reference: Heavy Duty Vehicle Lift, Rotary Lift Model EFX-60-17

Sponsored by _____

ADOPTED by Council this _____ day of _____, 2015_.

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk