

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-291

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

May 22, 2007

REJECT BID, SUSPEND COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND AWARD CONTRACT FOR THE COMBINED WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (CWTP) MOTOR CONTROL CENTER "F" REPLACEMENT PROJECT (PN: XN36)

BACKGROUND

- A. The CWTP Motor Control Center "F" Replacement project will update part of the electrical system of the facility which will improve reliability and reduce maintenance costs.
- B. The project was competitively bid, and the City Clerk received and opened only one bid on April 18th, 2007.
- C. The one bid received significantly exceeded the engineer's estimate and project fund balance, so that a contract cannot be awarded for the bid price.
- D. Subsequent negotiations with the bidder resulted in a reduction of \$100,000 of the bid price. The negotiated amount of \$535,577 would allow this project to be constructed with the available funding. In order to award a contract for such reduced bid amount, it is necessary for the City Council to reject the bid received and suspend competitive bidding based on a finding that this is in the City's best interests.
- E. These actions would serve the City's best interests because this will enable the project to be accomplished with the available project budget and within this year's construction window.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. The bid received for the CWTP Motor Control Center "F" Replacement Project (PN: XN36) is rejected.
- Section 2. In the best interests of the City, competitive bidding is suspended for this Project.
- Section 3. The contract plans and specifications for the CWTP Motor Control Center "F" Replacement Project (PN: XN36) are approved, and the City Manager is authorized to execute a negotiated contract for the Project with Interstate Construction for an amount not to exceed \$535,577.

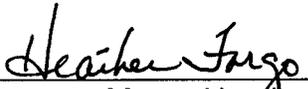
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on May 22, 2007 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers, Cohn, Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Pannell, Sheedy, Waters and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: Councilmember Tretheway.



Mayor Heather Fargo

Attest:



Dawn Bullwinkel, Assistant City Clerk