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Legislation Text

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The Board of Water Commissioners for the City of Detroit, Water and Sewerage Department authorizes the Director to **secure a purchase from Jack Doheny Companies for two (2) Mobile Industrial Vacuum & High Pressure Jet Rodders (Fan Type) and one (1) Mobile Industrial Vacuum & High Pressure Jet Rodders (Positive Displacement type) at a cost of \$1,384,024. 79**, and also authorizes the Director to take such other action as may be necessary to accomplish the intent of this vote.

Agenda of February 6, 2017

Item No. 17-0030

Purchase of 2+1 Mobile Industrial Vacuum & High Pressure Jet Rodders Units

Amount: \$1,384,024. 79

TO: The Honorable
Board of Water Commissioners
City of Detroit, Michigan

FROM: Gary Brown, Director
Water and Sewerage Department

RE: Mobile Industrial Vacuum & High Pressure Jet Rodders (two Fan type & one Positive Displacement (PD) type) - Purchase

MOTION

Upon recommendation of Marcus Hudson, Chief Finance Officer, the Board of Water Commissioners for the City of Detroit, Water and Sewerage Department authorizes the Director to **secure the purchase of**

- 1. Two Mobile Industrial Vacuum & High Pressure Jet Rodders (Fan type) \$921,349. 86**
- 2. One Mobile Industrial Vacuum & High Pressure Jet Rodders (PD type) \$462,674. 93** and also authorizes the Director to take such other action as may be necessary to accomplish the intent of this vote.

The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department (DWSD) - Purchasing Division established a total fifteen (15) vendor views and received total Four (4) bids for the above referenced items. Following the review of the bids, DWSD fleet staff recommends that a contract be awarded to Jack Doheny Companies of Northville, Michigan, the lowest responsive, responsible bidder, that meets specifications, in the amount of **\$1,384,024. 79**.

JUSTIFICATION

These units are utilized to clean sewer lines and catch basins throughout the City of Detroit. Due to the emergency response nature of these vehicles, DWSD tries to keep the entire fleet of jet rodders as up-to-date as possible. Any of our operators may be required to operate any jet rodder in adverse conditions including darkness, so they must be in good working order. These vehicles will be used to replace current vehicles that are in ill-repair which are no longer cost-effective to repair. Purchasing recommends awarding the Single Purchase Order to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder, **to meet the specifications as required**, of the

bids received from RFQ #16KM659 & #16KM660 needed fund in the amount of **\$1,384,024. 79.**

PROCUREMENT METHOD

This requirement was competitively solicited from fifteen companies in BIDSYNC on RFQs #16KM659 and 16KM660, which yielded 4 responsive, responsible bids.

This item was recommended for approval by the Finance Committee.