AGENDA HEADING:

Approving the purchase of a replacement rubber tired end loader with snow plow for use by the Department of Public Works

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of a replacement rubber tired end loader with snow plow and various accessories for use by the Department of Public Works, according to specifications in Bid Number V15-058 to Star Equipment, Ltd, 1401 2nd Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50314, Bruce Bowman, Owner/President, in the amount of $104,139.43 including a 5-year extended warranty.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: $104,139.43

Funding Source: E151 PW250433 Solid Waste Enterprise, Private Property Cleanup FY 2015 budget page 229

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Ten bids were mailed and three (3) responses were received. The low bid from Star Equipment Ltd was non-compliant in two (2) critical areas. The control system offered was a dual lever design and was not compliant with a single lever control system. The loading capacity of the low bid equipment was 8,000 pounds and did not meet the minimum 9,000 pound requirement; therefore, recommendation is for the second low compliant bid also from Star Equipment Ltd. The included equipment accessories include a front mounted snow plow and is an addition to the snow plow fleet.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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