

Date March 23, 2009

WHEREAS, the Community Development Department requested the Finance Department Procurement Division to solicit bids for an annual contract with two (2) additional one year renewal options to furnish junk vehicle towing services for use by the Neighborhood Inspection Division; and

WHEREAS, the Procurement Division solicited bids by advertisement and mailing Invitation to Bid V09-076 to eight (8) potential bidders with three (3) bids received; and

WHEREAS, the award is based upon the highest amount paid to the City to transfer or demolish a vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the highest revenue-generating compliant bid was received from Swifts Auto Salvage, 1720 E Washington Ave., Des Moines, IA 50316, at an annual estimated amount of \$126,500.00; and

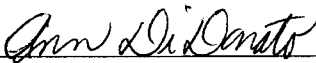
WHEREAS, the Des Moines City Council on March 9, 2009, requested additional information from the City manager's Office regarding details of the bid, which have been provided in the attached blue letter; and

WHEREAS, the Procurement Administrator and the Community Development Department recommends approval of the low dollar bid for junk vehicle towing services; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESLOVED, that the Des Moines City Council hereby accepts and approves the award to Swifts Auto Salvage and, and further authorizes the Procurement Administrator to enter into annual agreements renewable for two (2) additional twelve (12) month periods.

Moved by _____ to adopt

Approve as to form:


Ann DiDonato
Assistant City Attorney

(Council Communication No. 09-186)

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
HENSLEY				
KIERNAN				
MAHAFFEY				
MEYER				
VLISSIS				
TOTAL				

MOTION CARRIED APPROVED

Mayor

CERTIFICATE

I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

City Clerk

CITY OF DES MOINES - DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE - PURCHASING DIVISION

Bid No. V09-76

Community Development

Annual Agreement for Towing/Storage of Junk Vehicles

Req. # -

Opened by: mv

Opened: 02/16/09

Des Moines Automotive Parts Co.
4100 Vandalia Rd. PO Box 975
Des Moines, IA 50304

Swifts Auto Salvage
1720 E. Washington
Des Moines, IA 50316

Yaws Auto Salvage
919 SE 21st Street
Des Moines, IA 50317

Bidder
Address
City
Terms
FOB:
Delivery:

Dollar amount paid to the City for Authority to Transfer and/or Demolish a Vehicle Certificate	\$111.00	
Towing Charge to the Owner of a Vehicle Released by the City	\$125.00	\$50.00
Daily Storage Charge to the Owner of a Vehicle Released by the City	\$50.00	\$10.00
Charge to the City to Move or Retain any Vehicle		
Towing Charge	\$45.00	\$25.00
Daily Storage Charge	\$10.00	\$5.00
Per Hour Moving Charge	\$200.00	\$50.00

NO RESPONSE FROM:

- American Towing
- Carroll Auto Wrecking
- Don's Auto & Truck Salvage
- Smitty's Auto Parts
- Sunset Beach Auto Salvage