

Date July 25, 2011

WHEREAS, the Street Maintenance Division of the Public Works Department, along with the cities of West Des Moines, Waukee, Johnston and Windsor Heights, as well as Dallas County wished to solicit joint bids for deicing chemicals for the 2012 fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the City of West Des Moines through its Public Works Department, on behalf of such above described entities, solicited invitations for bids by advertisement and mailing to sixteen (16) potential bidders with five (5) bids received; and

WHEREAS, the low dollar compliant bid for calcium chloride was received from Jerico Services, 1506 N. 14th Street, Indianola, IA 50125, John Marshall, General Manager, at \$0.668/gallon; and

WHEREAS, the low dollar compliant bid for Geomelt was received from Smith Fertilizer and Grain, 1650 Quebec Street, Knoxville, IA 50138, Galen Smith, General Manager, at \$1.13/gallon; and

WHEREAS, Municipal Code section 2-726(f) authorizes the procurement of goods and/or services from contracts that have been competitively established through cooperative group contracting consortiums for state government departments, institutions, agencies and political subdivisions, without conforming to the competitive bidding requirements of the Procurement Division; and


WHEREAS, funding is available from PWK040400/Public Works Street Maintenance at an estimated amount of \$56,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Procurement Administrator and the Public Works Department recommend approval of the low dollar compliant bids;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Des Moines City Council hereby accepts and approves the aforementioned low dollar compliant bids for deicing chemicals for the 2012 fiscal year as submitted by Jerico Services and Smith Fertilizer and Grain.

Moved by _____ to adopt

Approved as to form:


Ann DiDonato
Assistant City Attorney

(Council Communication No. 11-478)

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE				
COLEMAN				
GRIESS				
HENSLEY				
MAHAFFEY				
MEYER				
MOORE				
TOTAL				

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED

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.

_____ Mayor

_____ City Clerk