

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – NOVEMBER 13, 2001

AWARD OF TENDER, T01-167 FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SIX (6) CURRENT YEAR MULTI-PURPOSE SIDEWALK TRACTORS, COMPLETE WITH SANDER AND ANGLE PLOW.

Recommendation

The Commissioner of Community Services, in consultation with the Executive Director of Buildings, Facilities & Parks, the Director of Purchasing, and the Director of Reserves & Investments, recommends:

That Tender T01-167, for the supply and delivery of six multi-purpose sidewalk tractors, complete with sander and angle plow, be awarded to Champion Road Machinery Sales for a total cost of \$420,210.00

Purpose

To Award Tender T01-167, for the supply and delivery of six multi-purpose sidewalk tractors, complete with sander and angle plow.

Background

Council approved funds to replace snowplow equipment as part of the Capital Budget process. As such, Tender T01-167 was issued for the supply and delivery of a total of six (6) sidewalk tractors complete with sander and angle plow. These were funded from the Vehicle Reserve Fund Project #4925-0-00

This tender was advertised in the Liberal and the Electronic Tendering Network (ETN), with three (3) bid documents issued and two (2) received on closing date, October 29th 2001. The result of the bids including GST and PST are as follows:

<u>Supplier</u>	<u>Bid</u>
1) Champion Road Machinery Sales	\$420,210.00
2) Joe Johnson Equipment Inc	\$446,340.30

Project 4925-0-00 was approved for \$480,000 in 2000, to replace seven (7) snowplows, through the vehicle/equipment reserve fund. This equipment has reached its life expectancy and repairs are frequent and costly. Due to the increase in equipment cost, only six (6) units were tendered to be purchased.

Conclusion

Based on the tender results, and the ability of the manufacturer to supply the required equipment, it is recommended that the tender be awarded to Champion Road Machinery Sales, as noted in the recommendations contained at the beginning of this report.

Attachments

None

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Respectfully submitted,

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