

## **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – JUNE 23, 2009**

### **AWARD OF TENDER T09-162 SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF THREE (3) CURRENT YEAR MODEL MULTI-PURPOSE SIDEWALK TRACTORS WITH ARTICULATING CHASSIS STRUCTURE AND COMPLETE WITH SANDER, SNOW BLOWER, AND MULTI POSITION SNOW PLOW**

#### **Recommendation**

The Commissioner of Community Services, in consultation with the Director of Building and Facilities, the Director of Purchasing Services, and the Director of Reserves and Investments recommends:

1. That Tender T09-162, for the Supply and Delivery of three (3) Current Year Model Multi-Purpose Sidewalk Tractors with Articulating Chassis Structure and complete with Sander, Snow Blower and Multi Position Snow Plow is awarded to G.C. Duke Equipment Inc. for a total price of \$557,299.05; and,
2. That the Mayor and the City Clerk be authorized to sign the necessary documents.

#### **Contribution to Sustainability**

This report is consistent with the priorities previously set by Council in the Green Directions, Vaughan, Community Sustainability Environmental Master Plan, Goal 1, Objective 1.2:

- To promote reduction of greenhouse gas emissions in the City of Vaughan.

#### **Economic Impact**

Project FL-5125-09 was approved in the 2009 Capital Budget and funded from the City Wide Development Charges and Taxation.

#### **Community Plan**

N/A.

#### **Purpose**

To award Tender T09-162 for the Supply and Delivery of three (3) Current Year Model Multi-Purpose Sidewalk Tractors with Articulating Chassis Structure and complete with Sander, Snow Blower and Multi Position Snow Plow.

#### **Background – Analysis and Options**

Council approved funds for projects FL-5125-09, to purchase the multi-purpose sidewalk tractors as part of the ongoing equipment program, and is funded from the City Wide Development Charges and Taxation.

This Tender was advertised in Vaughan Today, ETN (Bidding) and the Ontario Public Buyers Association (OPBA). Four (4) bids were picked up and two (2) bid submissions were submitted to Purchasing Services on closing date June 1, 2009. One (1) bid was declared non-compliant for not meeting the technical specifications and the only compliant bid is as follows:

**Supplier**

**Bid Price (Includes G.S.T and P.S.T)**

1. G.C. Duke Equipment Inc.

\$557,299.05

**Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2020**

In consideration of the strategic priorities related to Vaughan Vision 2020, the project will provide:

- STRATEGIC GOALS:  
Service Excellence – Providing service excellence to citizens.
- STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:  
Pursue Excellence in Service Delivery and Enhance and Ensure Community Safety, Health and Wellness – To deliver high quality services and to promote health and wellness through design and program.

This report is consistent with the priorities previously set by Council and the necessary resources have been allocated and approved.

**Regional Implications**

N/A.

**Conclusion**

Staff have reviewed the submissions and based on the quote results, and the ability of the manufacturers to supply the required sidewalk tractors, it is recommended that the tender be awarded to G.C. Duke Equipment Inc.

There are sufficient funds available in the approved capital budget to complete the project.

**Attachments**

None

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Respectfully submitted,

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