

COUNCIL ACTION FORM

SUBJECT: FLEET REPLACEMENT PROGRAM – DUMP BODIES & ACCESSORIES

BACKGROUND:

Replacement of these 2 dump trucks is scheduled in FY 07/08 at \$95,000 each, or \$190,000 for 2 trucks. This bid is for the dump bodies, hydraulics etc. The chassis will be bid next and are estimated to cost around \$60,000 each, or \$120,000 for 2 ea. The fleet replacement fund has \$182,000 available for this purchase.

These trucks are assigned to the street maintenance division for routine street maintenance and are also snow plow trucks. One of the trucks being replaced, was wrecked (totaled) in January and will be sold as salvage, while the other truck will be sold on the internet.

Bids were received on February 19, 2008 as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Unit Price</u>	<u>Total Amount – 2 Ea.</u>
Eddy-Walker Equip. Co.	\$31,289.00	\$62,578.00
Aspen Equip. Co.	\$32,055.38	\$64,110.76
Truck Equip. Co.	\$35,938.00	\$71,876.00
Hawkeye Truck Equip.	\$41,028.00	\$82,056.00

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Award this bid to Eddy-Walker Equipment Co. for two dump bodies and accessories for a total of \$62,578.00.
2. Reject bids and rebid.

MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION:

The Director of Fleet Services and the Public Works Department agree that the low bid from is acceptable and meets the bid specifications.

Therefore, it is the Manager's recommendation that Council adopt Alternative #1, to award the bid to Eddy-Walker Equipment Co. for two dump bodies and accessories for a total of \$62,578.00.

CAF APPROVAL

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