



City of Columbus
Mayor Michael B. Coleman

Department of Public Utilities
Tatyana Arsh, P.E. Director

DATE: November 23, 2011

TO: Paul R. Rakosky
Director of Finance and Management

FROM: Tatyana Arsh, PE
Director of Public Utilities

RE: BID RECOMMENDATION – # SA004161
PURCHASE OF CREW CAB & MAINTENANCE BODY

The Purchasing office opened formal bids on November 10, 2011 for the purchase of a Crew Cab and Maintenance Body for the Division of Power and Water. Two (2) bids were received.

FYDA Freightliner Columbus, Inc. was the apparent low bid of \$123,697.00. They, however, did not meet the following specifications.

The unit bid failed to meet:

- 3.3.2.1.1 Our specifications called for a minimum of a 7.2 liter engine – FYDA Freightliner Columbus, Inc. offered a 6.7 liter engine.
- 3.3.2.1.6 Our specifications called for a minimum of a 1000 watt block heater – FYDA Freightliner Columbus, Inc. offered a 750 watt block heater.

The second lowest bid was Center City International Trucks, for \$130,408.00 and they are the lowest responsive, responsible, and best bidder to meet our specifications. This award is for a 2012 Crew Cab and Maintenance Body.

If additional information is needed, please contact Jim Tindle at 614-724-0128.

Pc: Rick Westerfield
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