

Agenda Report

TO:CITY COUNCILDATE:JANUARY 28, 2008

FROM: CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASADENA CONFIRMING THE AWARD OF ITS ELECTRIC REVENUE BONDS, 2008 SERIES

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council adopt a resolution confirming the award of its Electric Revenue Bonds, 2008 Series.

BACKGROUND:

On December 10, 2007 the City Council authorized the issuance of its Electric Revenue Bonds, Series 2008 to support implementation of the Power System Master Plan. In accordance with Section 1414 of the City Charter, once bids have been received, the City Council must, by Resolution, officially accept the bid and fix the interest rate or rates on the bonds. Based on this requirement, it is recommended that the City Council adopt the attached Resolution.

On Monday January 28, 2008, bids will be received for the above referenced bonds. A calculation will be done by the City's Financial Advisor to determine the lowest cost bid to the City. Since the City has 24 hours to accept (or reject) any bid, the City Council will be asked to take formal action that same evening at its regularly scheduled meeting. The attached Resolution refers to Exhibit A which are results of the bid that will be distributed at the Council meeting and become part of the official record.

In addition, Section 3 and 4 of the Resolution require financial information that will not be known until after the bids are received. This information will also be presented at the January 28th Council meeting and will be incorporated into the final official version of the Resolution.

FISCAL IMPACT

Under the anticipated results of the bids, debt service will be approximately \$3.89 million per year for the 30 year term of the bonds. This debt service has been factored into the Electric Fund fiscal year 2008 operating budget and will be included in subsequent recommended operating budgets.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASADENA CONFIRMING THE AWARD OF ITS ELECTRIC REVENUE BONDS, 2008 SERIES

WHEREAS, at the time and place fixed for the opening of bids for the City of Pasadena, California, Electric Revenue Bonds, 2008 Series (the "2008 Bonds"), bids were received by the Director of Finance of the City of Pasadena (the "City"); and

WHEREAS, the Director of Finance has previously accepted the bid of the highest responsible bidder, a copy of which bid is attached hereto as Exhibit A, and awarded the 2008 Bonds to the bidder named in such bid;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Pasadena:

Section 1. The bid attached hereto as Exhibit A, specifying the purchase price for the 2008 Bonds and the interest rates per annum for each of the maturities of the 2008 Bonds, is the highest responsible bid for the 2008 Bonds producing the lowest true interest cost to the City (which true interest cost does not exceed six percent (6%) per annum as specified as the maximum true interest cost in the Ordinance authorizing the issuance of the 2008 Bonds). The City hereby waives any irregularity and informality in such bid and awards the 2008 Bonds to the bidder named in the bid in accordance with the terms of the bid.

Section 2. All bids other than the bid accepted by the Director of Finance are rejected.

Section 3. The interest rates on the 2008 Bonds are hereby fixed at the rates as set forth in the attached bid. The exact aggregate principal amount of the 2008 Bonds to be issued and sold is \$

Section 4. The Director of Finance of the City is hereby authorized and directed to deliver the 2008 Bonds to the successful bidder upon payment therefor at the purchase price of \$______, and to undertake any and all acts necessary or desirable to accomplish the purpose of this Resolution.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council this _____ day of January, 2008, by the following vote:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ATTEST:

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City Attorney

Jane L. Rodriguez City Clerk

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