

Agenda Report

June 10, 2013

TO:

Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Water and Power Department

SUBJECT:

AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT

WITH ATLAS-ALLIED, INC. TO PROVIDE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE EASTSIDE WELL COLLECTOR PIPELINE SURGE

PROTECTION PROJECT

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

- 1. Find that the project described in this report was subject to adequate environmental review in the Initial Environmental Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration and corresponding Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program, which were adopted by the City Council on October 29, 2012, and that there are no changed circumstances or new information which could trigger additional environmental review; and
- Accept the bid dated April 11, 2013 submitted by Atlas-Allied, Inc., in response to Specification WD-12-09 for providing labor and materials for the Eastside Well Collector Pipeline Surge Protection Project for the Water and Power Department ("Department"); reject all other bids received, and authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with Atlas-Allied, Inc. for an amount not to exceed \$520,256 for the period from July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014.

BACKGROUND:

The Eastside Well Collector Pipeline Surge Protection Project will add surge tanks and related piping to five of the Eastside well sites. These improvements will protect the Eastside Well Collector Pipeline from damage due to possible pressure surges resulting from pump power failure and/or startup of the Eastside wells. This project is separate from the construction of the Eastside Well Collector Pipeline, which will be built under a separate contract approved by City Council on April 8, 2013.

The proposed work includes installation of five new surge tanks at the Chapman Well, Well 58 (Twombly), Well 59 (Wadsworth), Woodbury Well, and Monte Vista Well sites, which will be anchored to new reinforced concrete foundations; construction of new pipelines at each site connecting the surge tanks to existing well discharge piping; and

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demolition and restoration of existing paved surfaces, where required, for construction of the surge tanks and related piping.

The Notice Inviting Bids ("Notice") was published in the Pasadena Journal on March 21, 2013. In response to the Notice, ten companies requested the Specifications. On April 12, 2013, bids were received from the following three contractors:

<u>Bidders</u>	Amount
Atlas-Allied Inc., Anaheim, CA	\$472,960
Fleming Environmental, Fullerton, CA	\$539,955
Environmental Construction, Inc., Woodland Hills, CA	\$567,412
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Engineer's Estimate	\$550,000

Atlas-Allied,Inc. is the lowest responsive bidder and complies in all respects with the requirements of the Specification. Staff recommends that the City Council award a contract to Atlas Allied,Inc. for an amount not to exceed \$520,256. The award includes the bid price and a ten percent contingency of \$47,296 to accommodate any necessary change orders.

Award of the contract to Atlas-Allied, Inc. is in compliance with the Competitive Bidding and Purchasing Ordinance P.M.C. 4.08.

The work is anticipated to start in August 2013, with completion expected in December 2013. Construction management and inspection services will be provided by Department staff.

COUNCIL POLICY CONSIDERATION:

The proposed contract is consistent with the Public Facilities Element of the General Plan and supports the City Council's goal to improve, maintain and enhance public facilities infrastructure and to implement capital improvements that will maintain and rehabilitate infrastructure.

ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS:

In compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), an Initial Environmental Study ("Study") was prepared for the Eastside Well Collector and Centralized Disinfection Facility project. A Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration was published on August 6, 2012. The public comment period closed on September 5, 2012.

On October 29, 2012 City Council approved the Study and adopted a Mitigated Negative Declaration and a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Eastside Well Collector project. Since this approval, there have been no changed circumstances or new information that could trigger additional environmental review.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost of this project will be \$560,256. Funds are available in the Adopted FY 2014 CIP, Water System Capital Improvement Program Budget Number 1044 – Cross Town Well Collector Pipeline. It is anticipated that the total cost will be spent in fiscal year 2014.

The following table presents the contract summary:

Total Fiscal Impact	\$560,256
Contract Admin/Inspection	\$40,000
Subtotal	\$520,256
Contingency	\$47,296
Contract Amount	\$472,960

The anticipated impact to other operational programs or capital projects as a result of this action will be none.

Respectfully submitted,

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