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Public Comment for Meeting on June 1, 2020 about Agenda Item 1

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Comments:

It would be fiscally irresponsible for the Council to waive the Competitive Selection process for purchase of 2 street sweepers manufactured from TYMCO. TYMCO is known throughout the industry to set its own pricing so that dealers have little to no margin to discount, and is further known to be the highest priced machines on the market. It seems very short-sighted and not in the community's best interest to green light such a large purchase from such a manufacturer without looking into other options. The most obvious to consider would be Global Sweeper who is based in the City of San Bernardino and who is the brand used by CalTrans and the entire city of New York. Global makes multiple types of sweepers, including regenerative, mechanical, hydrogen fuel and electric. TYMCO makes one type only, so your options are limited. I'm sure there are other worthy contenders aside from Global to consider as well. Please show us that Pasadena can take good fiscal care of its constituents by completing proper due diligence on this purchase. I know it's possible because I found all of this out in my own 30 minutes of research. Thank you in advance.

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Public Comment for Meeting on June 1, 2020 about Agenda Item 1 street sweepers

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Comments:

Seriously folks, we don't need street sweepers right now and if we did, open bidding gets the best price. Unless of course there is a personal reason to pass this thru right away without bids???!!!!! \$\$\$\$\$

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Name: Stephanie Address: Pasadena, CA 91106

Comments:

We would like you to look into other options for the street sweepers as that money could be used better else where. Many of our people will not be returning back to work because our economy isn't up and yet your spending a ridiculous amount without looking into other options. Think about the people and the people's needs please before making such a big decision on something that won't be benefiting the people directly

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Public Comment for Meeting on June 1, 2020 about Agenda Item #1

Public Comment for Meeting on June 1, 2020 about Agenda Item #1

Name: Natalia Govoni Address: Pasadena, CA 91107

Comments:

Dear Mayor and Councilmembers:

What in the hell are all of you thinking in trying to push for an exception from the Selective Bidding Process?? And, more egregious is the act of attempting to pass it during this time when the majority of residents are preoccupied with other more important things such as surviving!

Purchasing 2 street sweepers at over \$735k would be one of the most FINANCIALLY FOOLISH decisions this city has made in a LONG TIME! Please use your brains wisely and do NOT pass this without getting other bids!

Thank you!

Natalia Govoni