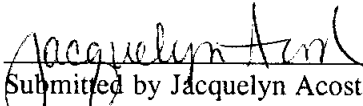


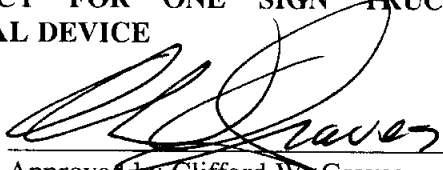


City of Carson Report to Mayor and City Council

January 18, 2011
New Business Consent

**SUBJECT: AWARD OF PURCHASE CONTRACT FOR ONE SIGN TRUCK WITH
TELESCOPING ARTICULATING AERIAL DEVICE**


Submitted by Jacquelyn Acosta
Administrative Services General Manager


Approved by Clifford W. Graves
Interim City Manager

I. SUMMARY

The Acting Purchasing Manager has received bids for the purchase of one replacement sign truck with telescoping articulating aerial device for the Public Works Division. Since the cost of this purchase exceeds the amount that the Interim City Manager may approve, the City Council is being asked to approve the award of purchase contract.

II. RECOMMENDATION

TAKE the following actions:

1. AWARD a purchase contract, in the amount of \$99,853.84, to Altec Industries, Inc. for the purchase of one sign truck with telescoping articulating aerial device.
2. AUTHORIZE the Acting Purchasing Manager to dispose of, through public auction, vehicle #743 which is being replaced.

III. ALTERNATIVES

TAKE any other action the City Council deems appropriate.

IV. BACKGROUND

On December 29, 2010, the City Clerk received bids for the purchase of one replacement sign truck with telescoping articulating aerial device for use by the Public Works Division sign crew, as described by the city of Carson Bid Specification No. B10-06. The City Clerk posted the Notice Inviting Bids as required by the Carson Municipal Code. The bid was also posted on the city's website and published in the *Our Weekly* newspaper on November 25, 2010. Bids were solicited from 11 vendors (Exhibit No. 2). Five responses were received as follows:

<u>Company</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Total Bid</u>
Altec Industries, Inc.	Dixon, CA	\$ 99,853.00
Power Ford Torrance	Torrance, CA	\$101,213.15

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Wondries Fleet Group	Alhambra, CA	\$106,717.61
South Bay Ford	Hawthorne, CA	\$115,176.79
Terex Utilities	Fontana, CA	\$122,317.47

The bids were reviewed by Purchasing staff and the Public Works Superintendent. The bid provided by Altec Industries, Inc. was considered to be the lowest overall responsible bid with a delivery time frame consistent with the other vendors who provided a bid.

The new sign truck replaces city unit no. 743 that was acquired in 1996 and is fully depreciated. The sign truck will be used by the sign crew to replace and install overhead street name signs throughout the city.

A copy of city Bid Specification No. B10-06 is available in the office of the Acting Purchasing Manager, and an informational copy has been previously provided to the Mayor and City Councilmembers.

Once the city acquires the new vehicle, staff proposes to dispose of the existing vehicle through public auction. Proceeds will be received as revenue for the General Fund.

V. FISCAL IMPACT

Funds for the sign truck were included in the FY 2010/11 Capital Asset Replacement Fund budget under account no. 38-80-999-003-8002.

VI. EXHIBITS

1. Vendor list. (pg. 4)

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Reviewed by:

City Clerk	<u>City Treasurer</u>
<u>Administrative Services</u>	<u>Development Services</u>
<u>Economic Development Services</u>	<u>Public Services</u>

Action taken by City Council	
Date _____	Action _____

BID NO. B10-06
SIGN TRUCK
VENDORS LIST

AMERICAN TRUCK & TRAILER
ATTN: QUINT GARNER
100 WEST VAL PICO RD., BLDG. D
TRACY, CA. 95376
800-499-8985
209-836-1871 FAX

L.A. FREIGHTLINER
ATTN: TOM CHRISTMAN
2429 S. PECK ROAD
WHITTIER, CA. 90601
562-447-1200
562-695-2697 FAX

NESCO
ATTN: JEREMY ZIMMER
3112 E. STATE RD., #124
BLUFFTON, IN. 46714
800-252-0043
260-824-6350 FAX

POWER FORD TORRANCE
ATTN: ROLAND BELIKOW
3311 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY
TORRANCE, CA. 90505
888-865-8564 or 310-849-6123
310-784-4738 FAX or 310-784-4753

SOUTH BAY FORD LINCOLN MERCURY INC.
ATTN: TRUMAN WILLIAMS
5100 W. ROSECRANS AVENUE
HAWTHORNE, CA. 90250
310-706-6082
310-706-6083 FAX

WONDRIES FLEET GROUP
ATTN: CLARK COOPER
1247 WEST MAIN ST.
ALHAMBRA, CA. 91801
626-457-5590
626-457-5593 FAX

HOBLOT MOTORS
ATTN: DWANE GALATTI
P.O. BOX 910
WOODLAND, CA. 95776
530-666-7931
530-666-7992 FAX

M & M LIFTS
ATTN: BYRAN BUSBEE
6880 ORANGETHORPE AVE. #F
BUENA PARK, CA. 95776
714-736-9210
714-736-9006 FAX

PACIFIC FORD
ATTN: ALLEN RICH
3600 CHERRY AVENUE
LONG BEACH, CA. 90807
562-426-3301
562-997-8837 FAX

REYNOLDS BUICK/GMC TRUCKS INC.
ATTN: DON SLAVIN
675 S. CITRUS AVENUE
COVINA, CA. 91723
805-963-1448
805-963-0448 FAX

WESTRUX INTERNATIONAL, INC.
ATTN: DON KENNY
15555 VALLEYVIEW AVENUE
SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90670
310-549-4110
562-404-2103 FAX
***Updated Info. 11/29/10 (td)**

