

December 13, 2022

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HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

City of Long Beach

California

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or designee, to execute a contract, and any necessary documents including any necessary subsequent amendments, with Bragg Investment Company, Inc., dba Coastline Equipment, a Long Beach distributor of John Deere Construction Retail Sales, of Moline, IL, for the purchase of a John Deere 310L backhoe, with related equipment and accessories, on the same terms and conditions afforded to Sourcewell (formerly the National Joint Powers Alliance), in a total amount not to exceed \$158,541, inclusive of taxes and fees. (Citywide)

DISCUSSION

City Council approval is requested to enter into a contract with Bragg Investment Company, Inc., dba Coastline Equipment for the purchase of a John Deere 310L backhoe. The purchase includes a compaction wheel and two loader buckets, which are necessary for optimal utilization by the Public Works Department. This unit is an approved Fiscal Year 2018 replacement and will be used by the Public Works Street Maintenance Division, for excavation of old pavement, transportation of construction material, and removal of construction debris. Sufficient funds have been collected for the replacement of this equipment.

The Fleet Services Bureau of the Financial Management Department researched procurement options for heavy construction equipment and discovered other agencies had completed an open, fair, transparent, and competitive procurement process. The City of Long Beach (City) reviewed the cooperative agreement options and determined that the contract between Sourcewell and John Deere Construction Retail Sales, through its Long Beach distributor, Bragg Investment Company, provided the best value to the City.

City Charter Section 1802 provides an alternative procurement method by permitting the City to purchase or otherwise obtain services, supplies, materials, equipment, and labor with other governmental agencies. This alternative procurement method can save time and reduce costs through economies of scale by purchasing under existing contracts from other government agencies on a voluntary and selective basis, when authorized by a Resolution adopted by the City Council.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Anita Lakhani on November 23, 2022, Purchasing Agent Michelle Wilson on October 27, 2022, and by Revenue Management Officer Geraldine Alejo on November 2, 2022.

SUSTAINABILITY

The backhoe has a tier-4 diesel engine with advanced emissions controls, certified by the California Air Resources Board, which significantly reduces greenhouse gas, nitrous oxide, and particulate emissions. As with other diesel-powered equipment in the City fleet, it will be fueled with renewable diesel fuel for maximum emissions reduction.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action to adopt a Resolution and award a contract concurrently is requested on December 13, 2022, to ensure that the contract is in place expeditiously.

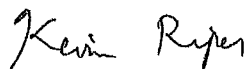
FISCAL IMPACT

The total amount of the contract will not exceed \$158,541, inclusive of taxes and fees. This purchase is budgeted in the Fleet Fund Group in the Financial Management Department. Ongoing maintenance and replacement costs for this unit are estimated at \$27,910 annually and will be billed to the General Fund Group in the Public Works Department and collected through the Fleet Services Bureau Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) process. This recommendation has no staffing impact beyond the normal budgeted scope of duties and is consistent with existing City Council priorities. This recommendation will continue to provide support to our local economy by assisting in the preservation of employment for 75 full-time employees residing in Long Beach.

SUGGESTED ACTION:


Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



KEVIN RIPER
DIRECTOR OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

APPROVED:



THOMAS B. MODICA
CITY MANAGER

1 RESOLUTION NO.
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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
4 CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY
5 MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT, AND ANY
6 NECESSARY DOCUMENTS INCLUDING SUBSEQUENT
7 AMENDMENTS, WITH BRAGG INVESTMENT COMPANY,
8 INC., DBA COASTLINE EQUIPMENT, A LONG BEACH
9 DISTRIBUTOR OF JOHN DEERE CONSTRUCTION
10 RETAILS SALES, OF MOLINA, IL, FOR THE PURCHASE
11 OF A JOHN DEERE 310L BACKHOE LOADER, WITH
12 RELATED EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES, ON THE
13 SAME TERMS AND CONDITIONS THROUGH THEIR
14 CONTRACT WITH SOURCEWELL (FORMERLY THE
15 NATIONAL JOINT POWERS ALLIANCE) IN AN AMOUNT
16 NOT TO EXCEED \$158,541, INCLUDING TAXES AND
17 FEES

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19 WHEREAS, the Charter of the City of Long Beach (the "City"), Section
20 1802, permits the City to purchase services, supplies, materials, equipment and labor
21 with other government agencies by purchasing under their contracts on a voluntary and
22 selective basis when authorized by resolution; and

23 WHEREAS, the City desires to purchase a John Deere 310L Backhoe
24 Loader, including a compaction wheel and two loader buckets and other accessories,
25 which are necessary for optimal utilization by the Public Works Department; and

26 WHEREAS, this unit is an approved FY18 replacement and will be used by
27 the Public Works Department, Street Maintenance Division, for excavation of old
28 pavement, transportation of construction material and removal of construction debris; and

1 WHEREAS, the cooperative agreement options were reviewed and it was
2 determined that the contract between Sourcewell and John Deere provided the best
3 value for the City; and

4 WHEREAS, Sourcewell has a contract for the purchase of a John Deere
5 310L Backhoe Loader, with related equipment and accessories, Contract No. 032119-
6 JDC (“Sourcewell Contract”); and

7 WHEREAS, the City’s participation in the Sourcewell Contract will facilitate
8 the City’s ability to purchase as well as provide considerable cost benefits to the City; and

9 WHEREAS, if the City had to utilize a formal bid process rather than
10 participate in the Sourcewell Contract considerably more funds would be required;

11 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as
12 follows:

13 Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated
14 herein by this reference.

15 Section 2. The City Manager or designee is hereby authorized to enter
16 an agreement with John Deere Construction Retail Sales to purchase a John Deere 310L
17 Backhoe Loader, including a compaction wheel and two loader buckets and other
18 accessories, of the same type and kind identified in the Sourcewell Contract except as
19 modified by mutual agreement of the City and John Deere Construction Retail Sales, and
20 the purchase by the City shall be on the same terms and conditions afforded to
21 Sourcewell in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Eight Thousand Five Hundred
22 Forty-One Dollars (\$158,541) including tax and fees.

23 Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
24 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of _____, 2022, by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: _____

Noes: Councilmembers: _____

Absent: Councilmembers: _____

Recusal(s): Councilmembers: _____

City Clerk