



CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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November 13, 2007

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the attached Resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a contract with Ray Gaskin Service for the purchase of three (3) Wayne Curbtender Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) alternative fueled refuse trucks per quote dated August 2, 2007, on the same terms and conditions afforded to the County of Sacramento, in an amount not to exceed \$772,570.50 including tax, with a ten percent contingency for additional equipment if necessary and if funds are available. (Citywide)

DISCUSSION

City Council approval is being requested to enter into a contract for the purchase of three (3) Wayne Curbtender LNG refuse trucks for the Long Beach Department of Public Works, Environmental Services Bureau, Refuse Collection Division.

The Refuse Collection Division is currently utilizing three (3) refuse trucks for sections of the City's automated alley refuse collection map route that are scheduled to be replaced in fiscal year 2011. It is necessary to accelerate the replacement of the current refuse trucks to meet the specific purpose for alley collection pick-ups. The current trucks have automated arm extensions that cause deficiencies in the operation. The design for the new refuse collection trucks have arm extensions that move up and down rather than up and out that will result in reduced property damage claims. In addition, the trucks will operate more efficiently as their load capacity is 2-3 tons greater than existing vehicles. This will reduce the number of trips needed to dispose of collected waste at SERRF.

Extensive research and truck demonstrations have taken place over the past year and these trucks were the best suited for the City's need. It is anticipated that the resale price of the three (3) existing trucks and the replacement funds will offset the purchase price of the three (3) new Wayne Curbtender refuse trucks causing minimal charges to the Refuse Fund.

The City Charter provides an alternative procurement method by permitting the City to purchase or otherwise obtain services, supplies, materials, equipment and labor with other governmental agencies by purchasing under their contracts on a voluntary and selective basis when authorized by a Resolution of the City Council.

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The Department of Public Works, Fleet Services Bureau, investigated procurement options and learned that the County of Sacramento had completed a competitive bid process for Wayne Curbtender refuse trucks and has a purchase order with Ray Gaskin Service, that meets the City's needs. This cooperative purchase agreement will facilitate the timely acquisition of the refuse trucks and provide cost benefits to the City.

Ray Gaskin Service has agreed to sell three (3) Wayne Curbtender LNG refuse trucks to the City of Long Beach under the same terms and conditions as are afforded to the County of Sacramento in an amount not to exceed \$772,570.50 with an option for 10 percent contingency if necessary and if funds are available. The Matrix Fleet Review Study also supports the use of cooperative purchase agreements and adherence to a long-term replacement plan.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Lori A. Conway on October 31, 2007 and Budget Management Officer Victoria Bell on November 01, 2007.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action is requested on November 13, 2007, to ensure that the refuse trucks are built and placed into service in 2008. The expected build and delivery time of these new refuse trucks is 240-270 days.

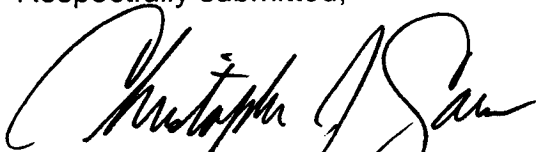
FISCAL IMPACT

The cost of this contract, in the amount of \$772,570.50 (including tax of \$58,879.50), with a ten percent contingency for additional equipment if necessary and if funds are available, is included in the Fleet Services Fund (IS 386) in the Department of Public Works (PW). Proceeds from the resale of the three (3) existing trucks combined with accumulated replacement funding will offset the purchase price of the three (3) new Wayne Curbtenders LNG trucks.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



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ACTING DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

APPROVED:


for CHRISTINE J. SHIPLEY
PATRICK H. WEST
CITY MANAGER

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RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACQUIRE THREE (3) WAYNE CURBTENDER AUTOMATED REFUSE TRUCKS, THROUGH THE PURCHASE ORDER BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO AND RAY GASKIN SERVICE

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

WHEREAS, the City desires to purchase three (3) Wayne Curbtender automated refuse trucks; and

WHEREAS, the County of Sacramento has a purchase order for the purchase of these refuse trucks from Ray Gaskin Service, PO Number PA80680329 ("County Purchase Order"); and

WHEREAS, the City's participation in the County Purchase Order will facilitate acquisition of these refuse trucks as well as provide considerable cost benefits to the City; and

WHEREAS, if the City had to go to formal bid rather than participate in the County Purchase Order considerably more funds would be required;

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

1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.
2. The City Manager of the City is hereby authorized to enter an

1 agreement with Ray Gaskin Service to purchase three (3) Wayne Curbtender automated
2 refuse trucks, of substantially the same type and kind purchased by the County of
3 Sacramento pursuant to the County Purchase Order, except as modified by mutual
4 agreement of the City and Ray Gaskin Service, and the purchase by the City shall be on
5 the same terms and conditions afforded to the County of Sacramento in an amount not to
6 exceed \$772,570.50, including tax, with a 10% contingency for additional equipment, for
7 a period extending until the warranty on the refuse trucks expires.

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

10 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City
11 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of _____, 20__ by the
12 following vote:

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14 Ayes: Councilmembers: _____

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18 Noes: Councilmembers: _____

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20 Absent: Councilmembers: _____

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City Clerk

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