

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action (Purchasing)

Austin City Council	Item ID:	27651	Agenda Number	30.
Meeting Date:	October 3, 2013			
Department:	Purchasing			
Subject				
Authorize award and execution of a contract with DREHER & ASSOCIATES INC., for the purchase of cooling tower fan decking and eight high-efficiency fans at Austin Energy's Paul Robbins District Cooling Plant in an amount not to exceed \$195,146.				
Amount and Source of Funding				
Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Capital Budget of Austin Energy.				
Fiscal Note				
A fiscal note is attached.				
Purchasing Language:	Sole Source			
Prior Council Action:				
For More Information:	Oralia Jones, Senior Buyer, 512-322-6594			
Boards and Commission Action:	September 16, 2013 - Recommended by the Electric Utility Commission.			
Related Items:				
MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with City Code Chapter 2-9D (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). No subcontracting opportunities were identified; therefore, no goals were established for this solicitation.			
Additional Backup Information				

This contract is with Dreher & Associates Inc. for the purchase of cooling tower fan decking and eight high efficiency fans for Austin Energy's Paul Robbins District Cooling Plant facility. The fan assemblies are designed and manufactured by SPX and are only available through authorized Marley/SPX distributors. Dreher & Associates Inc. represents Marley and SPX in the Central Texas area and is the exclusive supplier of Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) equipment and parts for all SPX brands in the Central Texas territory.

This contract is for the purchase of the materials only. The installation will be bid and performed under a separate contract.