



Recommendation for Action

File #: 19-1416, **Agenda Item #:** 21.

4/25/2019

Posting Language

Authorize award of a contract with WWaterTech Services, Inc., to provide phase separator dewatering roll-off containers, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$223,000.

(Note: This solicitation was reviewed for subcontracting opportunities in accordance with City Code Chapter 2-9D Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program. For the goods required for this solicitation, there were no subcontracting opportunities; therefore, no subcontracting goals were established).

Lead Department

Purchasing Office.

Client Department(s)

Austin Water.

Fiscal Note

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Operating Budget of Austin Water.

Purchasing Language:

The Purchasing Office issued an Invitation for Bids (IFB) 2200 GLB1015 for these goods. The solicitation issued on January 14, 2019 and it closed on February 5, 2019. Of the two offers received, the recommended contractor submitted the lowest responsive offer. A complete solicitation package, including a tabulation of the bids received, is available for viewing on the City's Financial Services website, Austin Finance Online. Link: [Solicitation Documents](https://www.austintexas.gov/financeonline/account_services/solicitation/solicitation_details.cfm?sid=129216)
<https://www.austintexas.gov/financeonline/account_services/solicitation/solicitation_details.cfm?sid=129216>.

For More Information:

Inquiries should be directed to the City Manager's Agenda Office, at 512-974-2991 or

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NOTE: Respondents to this solicitation, and their representatives, shall continue to direct inquiries to the solicitation's Authorized Contact Person: Georgia Billela, at 512-974-2939 or Georgia.billela@austintexas.gov <<mailto:Georgia.billela@austintexas.gov>>.

Council Committee, Boards and Commission Action:

April 10, 2019 - Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission on a 9-0 vote, with Commissioner Schmitt absent.

Additional Backup Information:

The contract is to purchase five phase separator dewatering roll-off containers for Austin Water. The containers are 25 cubic yard phase separator dewatering hard top steel roll-off containers with filters. These containers are an essential part of dewatering sludge, clarifying liquids, phase separation, material recovery

and the septage dewatering process of waste and sludge. They are utilized 24 hours a day, seven days a week to maintain compliance of landfill disposal regulations.

This purchase will replace existing containers that have been welded and repaired numerous times. The current containers have reached their end of service life.