Blue Sheet No. 20150216

Lee County Board Of County Commissioners Agenda Item Report Meeting Date: 5/19/2015

Item No. 18

TITLE:

Provide the County with qualified contractors for Electrical Contractors Continuing Contract.

ACTION REQUESTED:

- A) Concur with the selection by the Qualifications Selection Committee for RFQ150161, ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS CONTINUING CONTRACT, and authorize staff to negotiate on a project-by-project basis with the following seven (7) Contractors: A+ Electric LLC; Brittania Electric, Inc.; Cheslosky Electric, Inc.; Cogburn Bros, Inc.; Gulf States Electric, Inc.; Technical Management Associates, Inc.; and Simmonds Electrical of Naples Inc.; with a total annual expenditure amount not-to-exceed \$900,000.00, cumulatively for all awarded contractors, for a contract period of one year with an option to renew for four additional one-year periods, upon mutual agreement of both parties.
- B) Delegate authority, solely to the County Manager, to approve project awards in excess of \$100,000 provided the cumulative annual expenditure for all projects does not exceed the annual total \$900,000.00.
- C) Projects will only be awarded under this contract if the estimated construction cost is less than \$300,000; projects of \$300,000 or more must be subject to a separate sealed bid process per statutory requirements.
- D) Grant the Procurement Director with County Administration approval the authority to renew this agreement for four additional one-year periods, at the same terms and conditions, if doing so is in the best interest of Lee County.
- E) Authorize the Chair to execute contracts on behalf of the Board upon receipt.

FUNDING:

LCU estimates annual expenditures of approximately \$900,000 for this project. These services are funded from the Enterprise Fund, and they are included in the LCU FY14/15 Operating and Capital Improvements Budgets.

The annual contract may be renewed for up to four additional one-year periods, with an total expenditure limit of \$900,000 each year. Funds will be available each year from the LCU Operating and Capital Improvements Budgets.

Funds: Lee County Utilities Operating and Capital Improvements Funds; Programs – Water Treatment Plants, Wastewater Treatment Plants, Wastewater Collection and Capital Projects; Other Contracted Services, Furniture and Equipment.

Funds are available in account strings: OD5360148700.503490, OD5360448700.503490, OD5360548700.503490, OD5361848700.503490, OD5361948700.503490, OD5362048700.503490, OD5362448700.503490, OD5362748700.503490, OD5362848700.503490, OD5363148700.503490, OD5365148700.503490, 20713848730.506410, 20714948730.506410, 20726848730.506410, 20744448730.506410, 40731748720.503490, 40743948730.503490, 40760348720.503490.

WHAT ACTION ACCOMPLISHES:

This item provides Lee County Utilities with seven (7) contractors to perform work on an "as needed" basis. The contractors will be performing electrical installations and repairs at LCU's water, waste water,

Required Review:						
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distribution, collections, or other designated County systems. This contract will include minor electrical materials to complete the electrical repair or installation. This is an annual contract with the option to renew for up to four additional one-year periods, and has an annual expenditure not-to-exceed \$900,000.

MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATION:

Approve

Requirement/Purpose: (specify)	Request Initiated		
☐ Statute	Commissioner:		
☐ Ordinance	Department:	UTILITIES	
	Division:	No Divisions	
☐ Other	Ву:	Pam Keyes	

Background:

Letters of Qualifications were solicited on behalf of the Board of County Commissioners for RFQ150161, ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS CONTINUING CONTRACT.

The deadline for receipt of the Qualification Submittals was March 23, 2015. A total of seven (7) submittals were received by the established date. All seven (7) submittals were considered at the Qualification Selection Committee meeting held on April 6, 2015. The Qualification Selection Committee consisted of the following staff members: Pam Keyes, Director of Public Utilities, Non-Voting Chair; Hank Barroso, Utilities Plant Operations; Doug Meyer, Utilities Electrical and Instrumentation Manager; and John Post, Utilities Electrical Superintendent.

After reviewing the seven (7) submittals it was determined by the Selection Committee that all contractors meet the minimum qualification requirements. Therefore on the basis of the information submitted by the Contractors in their Qualification Statements, and after ranking the submittals by compliance with the requirements of the RFQ and the project, it was the consensus of the Committee to recommend award to and authorize staff to negotiate on a project-by-project basis with the following seven (7) Contractors: A+ Electric LLC; Brittania Electric, Inc.; Cheslosky Electric, Inc.; Cogburn Bros, Inc.; Gulf States Electric, Inc.; Technical Management Associates, Inc.; and Simmonds Electrical of Naples, Inc.; with an anticipated annual expenditure amount of \$900,000.00 for a contract period of one year, and with an option to renew for four additional one-year periods, upon mutual agreement of both parties.

A+ Electric LLC and Brittania Electric, Inc. only wish to be considered for projects not exceeding \$200,000.00, as stated in their Qualifications Statements and consistent with the minimum submittal requirements.

- 1) Sample Contract
- 2) Short List Meeting minutes dated April 6, 2015