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BO. OF CITY COMMISSIONERS
LEE COUNTY
PURCHASING DEPT.

LEE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY BLUE SHEET NO: 912224

1. REQUESTED MOTION:

Respectfully request Board approval of Bid Waiver
BW-92-02, Purchase of Detroit Diesel Engine and
Transmission repair parts from the authorized
distributor for south Florida, Florida Detroit
Diesel, based on " Fleet price x .90"(10%) from the
current Detroit Diesel parts price Schedule, for the
Department of Transportation and Engineering /Lee
County Transit Division on an as needed basis. Funds
are available

2. SUBJECT CATEGORY:

Budget, Purchases,
Contracts & Agreements

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3. MEETING DATE:

1-15-92

4. AGENDA

CONSENT
ADMINISTRATIVE
APPEALS
PUBLIC
TIME REQUIRED:

5. REQUIREMENT/PURPOSE:

(Specify)
STATUTE
ORDINANCE
 ADMIN. CODE AC-4-1
OTHER

6. REQUESTER OF INFORMATION

A. (ALL REQUESTS) Janet Sheehan for
NAME George Crawford, Director
DEPT. DOT & E
B. (PUBLIC ONLY)
CITIZEN NAME
CITIZEN PHONE

7. BACKGROUND

On October 29, 1991, the Purchasing Division received a request from the Department
of Transportation to waive the formal sealed quotation procedure for the purchase
of Detroit diesel engine and Allison transmission repair parts from Florida
Detroit Diesel, 2305 Rockfill Road, Fort Myers, Florida.

Florida Detroit Diesel is a division of Florida Detroit Diesel of Miami who is
the sole authorized distributor of Detroit diesel engines and Allison transmission
parts for South Florida. Simply, this means that when a Detroit diesel engine or
Allison Transmission part is desired it will have to be purchased from Florida
Detroit Diesel of Miami or one of their divisions.

Lee County will find it beneficial to purchase directly from an authorized
distributor as there will not be a retail markup involved.

In some situations, it will be necessary to purchase only Genuine DDC parts in
order to maintain warranty protection and comply with emission regulations as
outlined in the United States Clean Air Act. Detroit Diesel Engines were designed,
built and tested using genuine DDC parts and the engine is certified as being in
conformity with applicable regulations of the U.S. Environmental Protection
Agency and the California Air Resources Board. California Air Controls are
the most stringent in the nation.

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8. STANDING COMMITTEE REVIEW:

Reviewed by ___ Board Management & Planning Committee Date(s):

COMMITTEE REVIEW NOT REQUIRED

9. RECOMMENDED APPROVAL

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| DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR | PURCH | OMB | OTHER | ADMINISTRATOR | COUNTY ATTORNEY |
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10. COMMISSION ACTION:

- APPROVED
- DENIED
- DEFERRED
- OTHER

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The Purchasing Division has on record expenditures of \$15,234.39, by Lee Transit Division through purchase orders to Florida Detroit Diesel, for various repairs for fiscal year 1990-91.

Florida Detroit Diesel-Allison has extended to Lee Transit a discount of 10 % off their current Detroit Diesel parts price schedule.

Because response to a competitive request for a quote from only authorized distributors for Detroit Diesel Engines and Allison Transmission parts will be limited to only one vendor a request is being made that Board waive the formal sealed quotation procedure and allow the Lee Transit Division to purchase Detroit Diesel Engine and Allison transmission repair parts from the authorized distributor, Florida Detroit Diesel, on as needed basis.

Funding is available in account # 486-1540-544010-4670-000-0000-41
486-Transit System Operating Fund 1540-DOT&E Transportation Enterprise Division
544010-Fixed Route Service 4670-Vehicle and Equipment Repair Parts
41-Vehicle and Equipment Maintenance

Attachments:

- (1) Request for Bid Waiver received from the Department of Transportation
- (2) Account Narrative Received from DOT/Lee Transit Division
- (3) Letter from Detroit Diesel explaining distributorships by their firm
- (4) Letter from Detroit Diesel, Ft. Myers branch, explaining warranty qualifications
- (5) Letter from Detroit Diesel, Miami Branch, explaining distributor structure and territory

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