

Legislation Text

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Ultrasonic Water Meters

Action:

- A. Approve a unit price contract to the lowest responsive bidder Consolidated Pipe & Supply Co. for the purchase of ultrasonic water meters for an initial term of two years, and
- B. Authorize the City Manager to renew the contracts for up to three, one-year terms with possible price adjustments and to amend the contract consistent with the purpose for which the contract was approved.

Staff Resource(s):

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Explanation

- This contract will provide for ultrasonic three-inch, four-inch, six-inch and eight-inch solid-state water meters, to be used as a replacement for mechanical compound meters which are not compatible with current automated reading systems.
- On April 4, 2023, the city issued an Invitation to Bid; three bids were received.
- Consolidated Pipe & Supply Co. was selected as the lowest responsive, responsible bidder.
- Annual expenditures are estimated to be \$300,000.

Charlotte Business INClusion

Per Charlotte Business INClusion Policy: Part B: Section 2.3, The city shall not establish Subcontracting Goals for Contracts where: (a) there are not subcontracting opportunities identified for the contract; or (b) there are no SBEs or MBEs certified to perform the scope of work that the city regards as realistic opportunities for subcontracting.

This contract meets the provisions of (a) - No subcontracting opportunities.

Fiscal Note

Funding: Charlotte Water Capital Investment Plan