

MEMORANDUM

TO: City Council

FROM: David J. Deutsch
City Manager

SUBJECT: Well #6 - Repairs
R-52-09

DATE: July 23, 2009

Legal notices were placed and bid packages were sent to selected firms for the installation of a City supplied pump and motor and repairs to the pipe column in Well #6 located at 12215 Foxhill Lane. At the close of bidding at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 22, 2009, four (4) bid proposals were received. Below is a tabulation of the bid proposals:

Modern Pump & Equipment, Inc. Millerstown, Pennsylvania	\$17,900
Sydnor Hydro, Inc. Richmond, Virginia	\$28,990
AC Schultes of Maryland, Inc. Edgewater, Maryland	\$34,500
City Construction, LLC Washington, DC	\$68,733

Well #6 failed on March 17, 2009. The pump and motor were pulled and inspected and it was determined that the pump could be rebuilt, but the motor was irreparable. However, the Water Plant has a spare rebuilt motor. In addition, the pipe columns showed signs of corrosion after 19 years of operation under water. The Water Division, Machinery and Equipment account has a budget item of \$50,000 for these types of unexpected emergency repairs to well pump and motor equipment.

The Public Works Department recommends that the bid proposal from Modern Pump and Equipment, Inc., in the amount of \$17,900, be accepted.

I concur with the above recommendation to award to Modern Pump and Equipment, Inc. in the amount of \$17,900, and request your approval of R-52-09.

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R E S O L U T I O N

**OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BOWIE, MARYLAND
ACCEPTING BID FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A CITY SUPPLIED PUMP AND
MOTOR AND REPAIRS TO THE PIPE COLUMN IN WELL #6 LOCATED AT 12215
FOXHILL LANE**

WHEREAS, advertisements were placed in local newspapers and requests for bid proposals were sent to selected firms for the installation of a City supplied pump and motor and repairs to the pipe column in Well #6 located at 12215 Foxhill Lane; and

WHEREAS, at the close of bidding at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 22, 2009, the City received four (4) bid proposals; and

WHEREAS, after a careful review of the bid proposals submitted, it was determined that Modern Pump and Equipment, Inc. of Millerstown, Pennsylvania had submitted the most responsible and responsive bid proposal of \$17,900.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of Bowie, Maryland, that the Council hereby accepts the bid proposal of Modern Pump and Equipment, Inc. for a total amount of \$17,900 and hereby directs the City Manager to sign a contract with Modern Pump and Equipment, Inc..

INTRODUCED AND PASSED by the Council of the City of Bowie, Maryland, at a Regular Meeting on August 3, 2009.

G. Frederick Robinson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Fleming, City Clerk