

BID AWARD RECOMMENDATION

To: Council Chair
Through: Dave Somers, County Executive
From: Purchasing Division
General Legislative Session: July 14, 2021
Product/Service: Eductor-Sewer Cleaning Truck Bodies
Owner/User Department: Fleet Management

Date: July 8, 2021
Bid No: 039-21BC
Award Amount:
\$ 342,063.00 (each plus tax)
Contract Term: Three years with
option to extend one additional
two-year term.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

A competitive Invitation to Bid was issued to obtain pricing for two or more Eductor-Sewer Cleaning Truck Bodies that are used for storm sewer maintenance. The terms of the bid allow for the purchase of additional Eductor-Sewer Cleaning Truck Bodies over a three-year period, Fleet anticipates purchasing two additional truck bodies.

Fleet funds will be used to purchase the initial order of two (2) Eductor-Sewer Cleaning Truck Bodies.

Bidders:

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| 1. SWS Equipment | \$684,126.00 |
| 2. Western Systems | \$720,220.00 |
| 3. Owen Equipment | non-responsive |

Owen Equipment was deemed non-responsive for bidding an alternative unit which did not meet bid specifications. SWS Equipment offered a Sewer Equipment of America 900-ECO 12-yard Truck Mounted Combination Sewer Cleaner, which meets all required specifications.

AWARD AUTHORITY:

This contract award recommendation is before the County Council for approval to award in accordance with Snohomish County Code section 3.04.120, "Competitive bidding," and section 3.04.140(3) and (8), "Award, execution, by whom," which establish the County Council as the award authority for contracts subject to bidding requirements greater than \$250,000.

AWARD RECOMMENDATION:

The Purchasing Manager and the County Executive have, in turn, reviewed this award recommendation to **SWS Equipment** for two or more Eductor-Sewer Cleaning Truck Bodies in the amount of \$342,063.00 each, plus Washington state sales tax, and hereby recommend approval by the County Council. The Fleet Manager has also endorsed the award recommendation.

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Dave Somers, County Executive

Stephanie Wright
Council Chair / Date

7/14/2021