

# **City Council Report**

Date:	January 9, 2017
To:	City Council
Through:	Mike Kennington, Chief Financial Officer
From:	Edward Quedens, MPA, C.P.M., CPPO, Business Services Director Matt Bauer, MBA, CPPO, CPPB, CPSM, Procurement Administrator
Subject:	Purchase of Replacement Grinding Equipment for the Dobson Ranch Golf Course as Requested by the Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities (Districts 3)

#### **Purpose and Recommendation**

Council is requested to approve the Purchase of Replacement Grinding Equipment for the Dobson Ranch Golf Course as recommended.

The Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities (PRCF) Department and Purchasing recommend authorizing purchase from the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder, Textron, Inc. at \$49,247.26.

## **Background / Discussion**

This purchase will provide one Angle Master 4000 bedknife grinder and one Express Dual 4000 reel grinder. This replacement equipment is part of the Golf Lifecycle Plan and necessary due to safety, age and the inability to repair the current equipment which is 20 years old. These grinders are needed to maintain the quality of our reel mowers ensuring the City has properly maintained mowers for the highest cut quality possible. This in turn provides the turf the health it needs to perform during our peak golf seasons.

After reviewing bids, PRCF determined it is in the City's best interest to purchase used reel and bedknife grinders from Textron, Inc.

Based on the cost to have our reels ground at a dealership, the City can cost recover the price of the grinders within four to five years and they also hold the highest resale value of any grinding equipment sold. The City will coordinate the sale of the Department's current Angle Master 2000 Bedknife Grinder and Bernhard Duel Express 2000 Reel Grinder.

#### Alternatives

Council may choose not to authorize the purchase and responses will be solicited.

## **Fiscal Impact**

The purchase is funded by the Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities Department Lifecycle Program budget.

Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities and Purchasing

#### **PURCHASING INFORMATION**

Action: Initial Award
Procurement Type: Request for Bids
Solicitation Number: 2017034
Advertising: ProcureAZ and Purchasing Website
Downloads: 11
Responses: 2
Local Consideration: Not applicable as there were no Mesa responses
Protests Received: None
Additional Purchases: The City reserves the right to purchase additional maintenance equipment at the bid price for twelve months after the bid award date
Prices: Future price increases are capped by the Index – N/A
Pricing Available to Other Cooperative Agencies: Yes

# September 20, 2016 Responses

Simpson Norton Corporation Goodyear, AZ New - \$58,034.00 Used - No Bid

Textron dba Jacobsen, a Division of Textron Tempe, AZ New - \$53,911.80 Used - \$45,389.18 (Recommended)

# AWARD RECOMMENDATION

Textron dba Jacobsen, a Division of Textron Tempe, AZ

Description		
	Grinder, Angel Master 4000 at <u>\$14,342.93;</u> and spress Dual 4000 at <u>\$31,046.25</u>	
per Contract No. 2017034, Exhibits – Scope of Work/Technical Specifications; Pricing; and Mesa Standard Terms and Conditions; Other Exhibits; Solicitation including any addenda; and Contractor Response		
Base 8.10% Sales Tax <b>Total</b>	\$45,389.18 <u>\$3,676.52</u> <b>\$49,065.70</b>	