



City Council Report

Date: August 22, 2022
To: City Council
Through: Michael Kennington, Deputy City Manager/Chief Financial Officer
From: Edward Quedens, Business Services Director
Kristy Garcia, Procurement Administrator
Subject: Reaward of the Purchase of Stage Curtains (Replacements) for the Mesa Arts Center, Ikeda and Piper Theaters, as requested by the Arts and Culture Department **(Citywide)**

Recommendation

Council is requested to approve the award as recommended.

The Arts and Culture Department and Purchasing recommend re-awarding the contract to the second lowest, responsive and responsible bidder, Rose Brand Wipers, Inc. dba Rose Brand at \$65,472.

Background / Discussion

This purchase is for replacement stage curtains for the Ikeda and Piper Theaters. The existing curtains are seventeen (17) years old. They currently fail the IFC 2018 fire treatment guidelines and are also dry rotting. This purchase will replace the existing curtains with new curtains that are made with inherently fire-retardant materials, bringing them up to code compliance.

Council approved the award to the lowest, responsive, and responsible bidder, IWEISS Holdings, LLC dba IWEISS on June 20, 2022. However, upon award, IWEISS was unable to meet the required specifications as submitted in their bid response, specifically the brand of curtain specified. The City terminated the contract with IWEISS on July 19, 2022.

Award is being recommended to the next lowest, responsive, and responsible bidder.

Purchase Information

Action: Re-Award
Procurement Type: Request for Bids
Contract Number: 2022175
Local Consideration: Not applicable as there were no Mesa responses
Protests Received: None
Funding Source: Arts and Culture Department General Fund

April 26, 2022 Bid Responses

IWEISS Holdings LLC dba, IWEISS
Fairview, NJ

\$48,840.00 (Awarded 6/20/2022 and
Terminated 7/19/2022)

Rose Brand Wipers, Inc. dba, Rose Brand
Secaucus, NJ

\$62,000.00 (Recommended
Re-Award 8/22/2022)

Barber Marketing, Inc. dba, BMI Supply
Queensbury, NY

\$76,766.87

No Bid response received from:

Barbizon Light of the Rockies dba, Barbizon Light of Arizona - Tempe, AZ

AWARD RECOMMENDATION	
Curtains (Soft Goods) for the MAC - Ikeda and Piper Theaters per Contract No. 2022175	
Base	\$62,000.00
5.6% Use Tax	<u>\$2,472.00</u>
Total	<u>\$65,472.00</u>