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RESOLUTION NO. 6680

WHEREAS, sealed bids were requested and advertised, as required by law, for the

following:

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) NO. 6170 TRAVELING WATER SCREEN REPLACEMENT NORTH OMAHA & NEBRASKA CITY STATIONS

WHEREAS, no bids were received in response to the published notices and the Director – Supply Chain Management has submitted this information to the Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors has carefully considered the recommendations of the District's Management and General Counsel; and

WHEREAS, Section 70-637 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes specifies that sealed bidding requirements do not apply when no responsive bids are received for a publicly noticed sealed bid project and authorizes the District's Board of Directors to authorize Management to pursue a negotiated contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Omaha Public Power District that since no proposals were received in response to Request for Proposal No. 6170, Management is authorized to negotiate and enter into a contract or contracts for this project, subject to review and approval of the final contract or contracts by the District's General Counsel.



MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 6, 2024

UO-2024-022

FROM: S. A. Eidem

TO: T. R. Via

- **SUBJECT:** Modified Traveling Water Screen Installation, Nebraska City and North Omaha Stations (Labor and Material)
- 1.00 <u>GENERAL</u>

Request for Proposal (RFP) No. 6170 is for the labor and material contract for replacement of traveling water screens at the District's Nebraska City and North Omaha Stations cooling water intake structures. A separate materials contract was previously awarded for procurement of the (17) modified traveling screens. Installation is planned to occur during the 2025 calendar year.

Replacement of the existing traveling water screens with "modified traveling screens" reducing potential environmental impacts at the Nebraska City and North Omaha (B&C) cooling water intake structures no later than January 1, 2026, is a requirement for compliance with environmental regulations.

There were no proposals submitted in response to RFP 6170. The sealed bid opening date was November 19, 2024. The Engineer's Estimate at the time of bid opening was \$7,000,000.

2.00 COMPLIANCE WITH CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

No proposals were received in response to RFP 6170.

3.00 COMPLIANCE WITH TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

No proposals were received in response to RFP 6170.

4.00 RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of Directors authorize District Management to enter into a negotiated contract, or contracts, for labor and materials to replace the traveling screens, supporting work and associated equipment.

-DocuSigned by:

Scott U. Eidem, P.E.

S.A. Eidem, P.E. Director, Engineering Services Utility Operations

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TABULATION OF BIDS Opened at 2:00 p.m., C.S.T., Tuesday, November 19, 2024, in Omaha, Nebraska Anticipated Award Date December 19, 2024 ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE		REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NO. 6170 TRAVELING WATER SCREEN REPLACEMENT NORTH OMAHA & NEBRASKA CITY STATIONS		Signed by: Stew Palmer C171422F76E422 Director Supply Clains Management Supply Clains Management Supply Clains Management Sec SBA6907EF4E6 Compiled by and Certified Correct
\$7,000,000.00		NO BID WAS RECEIVED		
		BIDDER'S NAME & ADDRESS		
	BID ITEM	SUPPLIER'S BID	SUPPLIER'S BID	SUPPLIER'S BID
1.	Proposal Price(S)			
2.	Lump Sum Firm Price (Exhibit C1 Work) Lump Sum Firm Price (Exhibit C2 Work) Lump Sum Firm Price (Exhibit C3 Work) Lump Sum Firm Price (Exhibit C4 Work) Total Lump Sum Firm Price (Exhibit C1Through C4 Work) <u>Completion Guarantee(s)</u> Exhibit C1 (NOS TWS Installation) April 30, 2025 Exhibit C2 (NOS External trough installation) May 30, 2025 Exhibit C3 (NCS TWS Installation) May 30, 2025 Exhibit C4 (NCS TWS Installation) June 30, 2025	\$ \$ \$ Guaranteed Completion Date	\$ \$ \$ \$ <u>Guaranteed Completion Date</u>	\$ \$ \$ <u>\$</u> <u>Guaranteed Completion Date</u>



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December 6, 2024

Omaha Public Power District 444 South 16th Street Omaha, NE 68102

> RE: Request for Proposal No. 6170 – Modified Traveling Water Screen Installation, Nebraska City and North Omaha Stations (RFP No. 6170)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The District solicited proposals for the above-referenced project per RFP No. 6170. No bids were received at the public opening.

Section 70-637(5) of the Nebraska Revised Statutes specifies that sealed bidding requirements do not apply when no responsive bids are received for a publicly-noticed sealed bid project. Therefore, the District's Board of Directors may authorize management to pursue and enter into a negotiated contract for the work scope set for the in RFP No. 6170.

Very truly yours,

Stephen M. Bruckner FOR THE FIRM

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

December 17, 2024

<u>ITEM</u>

Modified traveling water screen installation at Nebraska City and North Omaha Stations (labor and materials)

PURPOSE

Board of Directors' authorization for the District to enter into a negotiated contract, or contracts, for labor and materials to replace (17) traveling water screens, supporting work and associated equipment for the District's Nebraska City and North Omaha Stations.

FACTS

- a. OPPD is required to install new traveling water screens per the Clean Water Act that feature the best technology available for reducing potential environmental impacts at the District's Nebraska City Station and North Omaha Station (B&C) intake structures. These new traveling water screens are required regardless of fuel type.
- b. OPPD intends to complete installation of the modified traveling screens by January 1, 2026.
- c. Purchase of the new traveling water screen assemblies has been completed separate from this contract.
- d. No bids were received in response to RFP 6170 (Traveling Water Screen Replacement, North Omaha & Nebraska City Stations). RFP 6170 was advertised for public sealed bid in accordance with Nebraska Statute 70-637.

<u>ACTION</u>

Authorization by the Board of Directors to allow District Management to enter into a negotiated contract, or contracts, for installation of traveling water screens, supporting work and associated equipment for the District's Nebraska City and North Omaha Stations.

RECOMMENDED:

-Signed by:

Iroy Via

APPROVED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:

Board Action

Signed by: 1. Javier Fernandez

L. Javier Fernandez President and Chief Executive Officer

Troy R. Via Vice President – Utility Operations and Chief Operating Officer

TRV:sae

Attachments: Letter of Recommendation Tabulation of Bids Legal Opinion Resolution