



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

REQUESTED COUNCIL MEETING DATE 09/04/07

SUBJECT: Bid Award, Cooperative Purchase of Bulk Chemicals

DEPARTMENT: Public Utilities

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Approve bid award to the low bidder (vendor indicated in brackets) for each of the bulk chemicals listed, and authorize the Mayor and City Manager to execute contract documents on behalf of the City.

SUMMARY: The City of Port Orange has again, this year, joined several local municipalities in a cooperative bid for the purchase of bulk chemicals. Bid tabulations are attached. A comparison of bid prices versus current prices is as follows:

<u>Chemical</u>	<u>Current Price</u>	<u>Bid Price (Vendor)</u>
<u>Chlorine</u>		
150 Lb. Cylinders	\$57.00/cyl.	\$58.05/cyl. (Brenntag Mid South)
<u>Liquid CO2</u>	\$140.00/ton	\$142.00/ton (Airgas Carbonic)
<u>Bulk Quicklime</u>	\$131.14/ton	\$135.44/ton (O-N Minerals)
<u>Anionic Polymer</u>	\$0.82/lb.	\$310.50/drum (Polydyne)
<u>Liquid Sulfur Dioxide</u>	No Bid Requested	
<u>Hydrofluosilicic Acid</u>	\$330.00/ton	\$472.00/ton (Harcross)
<u>Ammonia</u>		
Bulk Tank Delivery	\$0.319/lb.	\$0.319/lb. (Tanner Industries)*
150 Lb. Cylinders	No Bid Requested	
<u>Sodium Hypochlorite</u>	\$0.714/gal. GWP	\$0.697/gal. (Allied Universal)
	\$0.714/gal. RWP	\$0.697/gal. (Allied Universal)
<u>Methanol</u>	\$1.539/gal.	\$1.93/gal. (Brenntag Mid South)
<u>Aluminum Sulfate</u>	No bid solicited this year.	

Staff recommends award as listed above representing the most responsible, responsive bidder.
 *The bid request for bulk Ammonia includes the cost of tank rental and was for three years. We are now in the third year of that purchase agreement.

ATTACHMENTS: Ordinance Resolution Budget Resolution

Other Support Documents/Contracts Available for Review in Manager's Office

DEPARTMENT HEAD *Rogge* Richard E. Skeens *Richard E. Skeens* Date *8-13-07*

FINANCE DEPARTMENT *[Signature]* Approved as to Budget Requirements Date *8/14/07*

CITY ATTORNEY N/A Approved as to Form and Legality Date

CITY MANAGER *[Signature]* Approved Agenda Item For: Date *09.04.07*

COUNCIL ACTION: Approved as Recommended Disapproved Tabled Indefinitely
 Continued to Date Certain Approved with Modification:

