



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE  
City Commission Agenda Memo  
REGULAR MEETING**

**#13-1491**

**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** December 3, 2013

**TITLE:** Motion to approve the purchase of electronic control panels – Invitation to Bid (ITB) 442-11313 - \$30,345

**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve the purchase of electronic control panels from the single bidder, Atlantic Environmental Systems, Inc., in the amount of \$30,345.

**Background**

The Distribution and Collection Division operates 204 sanitary sewer pump stations throughout the City, as well as additional sewage stations in the treatment facilities. Electronic control panels facilitate the operation of the pumps and motors both locally and remotely. While the equipment is providing better than adequate service, the around the clock operation in an abrasive and corrosive atmosphere rapidly wears the equipment.

The Procurement Division sent an ITB to three pre-qualified vendors and received one response. The other two pre-qualified vendors chose not to respond to this solicitation. Staff will reach out to these vendors to encourage their response to future ITBs.

**Resource Impact**

There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$30,345.

**FUNDS AVAILABILITY LOCATION:**

FY	FUND	SUB FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	SUB OBJ #	SUBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2014	450	01	Water & Sewer	PBS660101	Distribution and Collections	6499	Other Equipment	\$30,345.00
<b>TOTAL</b>								<b>\$30,345.00</b>

**Strategic Connections:**

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the **Infrastructure Cylinder of Excellence**, specifically advancing:

- **Goal 2:** Be a sustainable and resilient community.
- **Objective 1:** Proactively maintain our water, wastewater, road, and bridge infrastructure.

**Attachment**

Exhibit 1 – Bid Tabulation 442-11313

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