



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE City Commission Agenda Memo REGULAR MEETING

TO:	Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
FROM:	Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager
DATE:	September 1, 2015
TITLE:	Motion to Approve Service Saddle Clamps – Ferguson Enterprises, Inc \$104,795 (estimated two-year cost \$209,590)

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission award a two-year contract for the purchase of service saddle clamps to the lowest cost, responsive and responsible bidder, Ferguson Enterprises, Inc., in the estimated annual amount of \$104,795 (estimated two-year cost of \$209,590); and authorize the City Manager to approve two, one-year renewal options, contingent upon appropriation of funds.

Background

Daily operation and maintenance of the City's 770 miles of water distribution main piping and 62,000 service lines and meters requires a constant supply of service saddle clamps and associated repair products. These parts are used routinely by the Public Works Department in the distribution and collection system to connect various sizes of pipes and a variety of fittings of similar and dissimilar materials. This contract will be used on an as-needed basis and the cost of the purchases will be charged against individual projects. The initial purchases will provide for an adequate supply to be maintained in the City's pipe yard inventory.

The Procurement Services Division issued Invitation to Bid No. 452-11636 and received six bids. The bid submitted by Ferguson Enterprises, Inc. has met all specifications and has been deemed the lowest cost, responsive bid recommended for award.

Resource Impact

There will be no current fiscal year impact to the City. There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the estimated amount of \$104,795 for Fiscal Year 2016 and \$104,795 Fiscal Year 2017. Future expenditures are contingent upon approval and appropriation of the annual budget

<u>Strategic Connections</u> 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 5: Improve air and water quality and out natural environment.
- Objective 6: Secure our community's water supply.

This item advances the Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We are Ready.

<u>Attachment</u>

Exhibit 1 – Bid Tabulation

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