



CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE COMMUNICATION

MEETING DATE: 05/20/2025

PRESENTER: Patricia D. B. Redfearn, Director of Solid Waste and Recycling

TITLE: Rescind award for litter fence purchase for the Grand Prairie Landfill to Hawaii Drillers, Inc. dba Coastal Netting Systems of Bakersfield, California and award purchase to Metta Technologies of Jackson, Michigan in the amount of \$80,500.

REVIEWING COMMITTEE: (Reviewed by the Public Health, Safety and Environment Committee on 02/10/2025)

SUMMARY:

<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Annual Cost</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
Metta Technologies	\$80,500	\$80,500

PURPOSE OF REQUEST:

Current Solid Waste regulations place a heavy responsibility on landfills to reduce fugitive windblown materials. Large industrial-strength litter fencing can be moved with the blade of either a dozer or a compactor. This allows operators to surround the active face of the landfill daily, preventing small wind-blown items from disbursing to the surrounding areas. These fences typically last approximately 10 years. This purchase will replace fencing from 2013 while providing some additional fencing for improved coverage.

Notice of Bid #25028 was advertised in the Fort Worth Star Telegram and Planet Bids. It was sent to 49 vendors, 23 of whom were HUB/MWBE vendors, and 3 local vendors. Two vendors responded with Hawaii Drillers, Inc. Db a Coastal Netting Systems of Bakersfield, California being the lowest bidder at \$70,990, after shipping, followed by Metta Technologies at \$80,500, after shipping. On February 10, 2025, City Council approved award of the purchase to Hawaii Drillers, Inc., db a Coastal Netting Systems, however, to date they have been unable to complete this transaction. Staff is requesting the award for purchase to Hawaii Drillers be rescinded and that the award for purchase be approved for Metta Technologies in the amount of \$80,500.

PROCUREMENT DETAILS:

Procurement Method: ☒ RFB #25028 Number of Bidders: 2

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION:

Budgeted?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fund Name:	Solid Waste CIP Fund
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If Capital Improvement:					
Total Project Budget	\$81,600	Proposed New Funding:	\$0	Remaining Funding:	\$1,100

ATTACHMENTS / SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

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