

**RESOLUTION 2020-51**

**TOWN OF MILLS**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF MILLS, WYOMING, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PURCHASE OF A SANITATION TRUCK AT MORE THAN THE LOWEST BID**

**WHEREAS**, a 2010 Mack sideloading sanitation truck belonging to the Town of Mills has been under repair or disabled for a considerable period of time during 2020; and

**WHEREAS** this has necessitated the use of a 2004 sanitation truck in its place; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2010 truck fulfills a necessary role with the Town of Mills and its absence stands to put unnecessary wear and tear on the 2004 truck and, moreover, it may stand to create a situation in which no truck is available; and

**WHEREAS**, the constant repair needs on the 2010 truck require it not only to be continually receiving repairs but also causing the Town to incur costs to repair it;

**WHEREAS**, repairs during the ongoing COVID 19 emergency are slower than normal due to the slow delivery of parts for the truck; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town put out a bid proposal on November 10, 2020; and received the following bids:

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| 1. | <b><u>Peterbilt of Wyoming:</u></b><br>America Tech Demo AV-27TX Stock Chassis<br>2020-520 | \$299,995.00 |
| 2. | <b><u>Peterbilt of Wyoming:</u></b><br>Sparton-Elliott 2021-520                            | \$293,995.00 |
| 3. | <b><u>Peterbilt of Wyoming:</u></b><br>2021-520 Labrie to order                            | \$286,942.00 |
| 4. | <b><u>Jacks Truck:</u></b><br>2020-2021 AutoCar McNeilus                                   | \$320,896.00 |
| 5. | <b><u>CMI-TECO:</u></b><br>Mack 2022 LR 64<br>AMREP 2020-AMHO ASL Body                     | \$278,850.00 |
| 6. | <b><u>CMI-TECO:</u></b><br>Mack 2022-LR 64 McNeilus Model 2748 ZR ASL                      | \$296,591.00 |

**WHEREAS**, it was uniformly found to be the case that any new replacement truck shall be delayed for months with said time approximating or exceeding one year, during which time the availability of the 2010 Mack would be doubtful and the wear and tear on the 2004 truck substantial; and

**WHEREAS** the role of the sanitation truck is necessary and vital to the town under ordinary circumstances, and critical during the current public health crisis which has been created by the COVID 19 Pandemic; and

**WHEREAS** the first bid truck, the same being the America Tech Demo AV-27TX Stock Chassis, was a demonstrator model which is already built and which can be made available quickly.

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved by the Governing Body of the Town of Mills declares an emergency for the purchase of a sanitation truck and will not go with the lowest bid in order that an immediate replacement can be purchased and put to rapid use.

Passed, approved and adopted on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

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Seth Coleman, Mayor

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Sara McCarthy, Council

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Darla R. Ives, Council

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James Hollander, Council

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Ronald Wales, Council

ATTESTED:

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Christine Trumbull, Town Clerk