



Wylie City Council

AGENDA REPORT

Department: Purchasing
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Subject

Consider, and act upon, the approval of the purchase of a 2023 John Deere 60G Excavator from RDO Equipment Company in the amount of \$120,349.53 through a cooperative purchasing contract with Sourcewell Purchasing Cooperative, and authorizing the City Manager to execute any necessary documents.

Recommendation

Motion to approve Item as presented.

Discussion

The John Deere model 60G mid-size excavator will allow the equipment operator to maneuver in tight restricted areas to make waterline repairs and will help reduce the amount of damage replacement of concrete panels, and sod. Waterline repairs would be completed more efficiently and in a timely manner. The existing piece of equipment has limited working area capacity due to its size. Also, the current backhoe requires frequent maintenance and repairs due to its extensive usage and the age of the equipment (14 years old). The City would reduce expenditure costs on equipment maintenance and repairs, concrete panels, and sod replacement.

Staff recommends the purchase of a John Deere model 60G mid-size excavator from RDO Equipment Company through Sourcewell Cooperative as providing the best overall value to the City. The City is authorized to purchase from a cooperative purchasing program with another local government or a local cooperative organization pursuant to Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code and Section 271 Subchapter F of the Local Government Code; and by doing so satisfies any State Law requiring local governments to seek competitive bids for items.

Wylie Agreement #W2023-38-I / Sourcewell Cooperative #032119-JDC