

ITB No. 24-101687 Sanitary Sewer Chemical Root Control (Three (3) Year Multiyear Contract)

**User Department's Recommendation**

User Department Name Department of Watershed Management

**Recommended Bidder(s) meets our approval.**

Duke's Root Control, Inc. (\$19,685,670.00)

Bidder 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Bidder 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name/Amount Name/Amount

Bidder 3: \_\_\_\_\_ Bidder 4: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name/Amount Name/Amount

Project Amount This Term: \$19,685,670.00 ( 3 years total)

Funding:  
General  Enterprise  3 Digit Fund Code 511  
CIP Line Item No. (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**Justification:**

The Department of Watershed Management (DWM) recommends Duke's Root Control Inc. as the recommended bidder based on the total from bid tabulation form. The bidder is the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder according to the price quoted. This contract is utilized to treat portions of the Count's gravity sewer system with a chemical root control herbicide agent to eliminate root growth present within the system without permanently damaging the vegetation producing the roots. Duke's Root Control met and exceeded all County expectations in the previous contract. More funding is needed this term compare to previous term because this new contract will incorporate the maintenance aspect of sanitary root control that DWM haven't been able to address during the past years. This increases footages per year while also treating new lines. Please note that this is a multi-year contract, and the amount of \$19,685,670.00 reflects the total for 3 years:

1st Year - \$6,561,890.00  
2nd Year - \$6,561,890.00  
3rd Year - \$6,561,890.00

David Hayes - Director , DWM  
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