



INTERDEPARTMENTAL
MEMORANDUM

TO: Robert Gordon, Director, Fleet
FROM: Tammy Shew, Senior Procurement Agent, Team B
SUBJECT: Sourcewell CA#032119-JDC-Compact Track Loaders with Bucket & Attachments

March 7, 2023

It is requested that you do the following:

1. Please review the attached bids associated with the above referenced solicitation and provide your award recommendation. You are looking for the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder. Your review should ensure that you are confident that your recommended supplier(s) can in fact provide the goods and services required.
2. Please provide the following information in the space provided on page two:
 - a. Specific justification why in your professional opinion the recommended vendor should be awarded the contract.
 - b. Advise of any problems in connection with the selected vendor(s), if any exist.
 - c. If you find bidders who offer lower prices than your recommended supplier(s), then you must provide specific justification why they are either non-responsive* (did not follow the instructions found in the solicitation) or non-responsible** (not able to perform/deliver as minimally required according to the scope of work found in the solicitation).

**Note – The Department of Purchasing and Contracting is ultimately responsible in determining if a bidder is non-responsive, but input/feedback from the user department is always important to us.*

***Note – The user department and the Department of Purchasing and Contracting must mutually agree before determining if a bidder is non-responsible.*

3. Return required documents within 10 business days.

If you have any questions, please call me at 404-687-2796.



User Department's Recommendation : Sourcewell CA#032119-JDC-Compact Track Loaders with Bucket & Attachments

Recommended Bidder: Dobbs Equipment meets our approval.

Funding: Vehicle Replacement Fund

General Enterprise 3 Digit Fund Code #621

CIP Line Item No. (if applicable): _____

Disbarment and Suspension checks completed-Yes

Project Amount This Term: \$ 204,931.00

Justification:

It is recommended that Dobbs Equipment, be approved as the vendor for these Compact track loaders, as to they have already been awarded the bid through the Source Well Cooperative for the State Contract. Since it's already gone through the bidding process, buying off the Source Well Cooperative Contract is more economical.

The Storm Water Department, needs this equipment to maintain all inlets in functioning order and prevent contamination due to unclean discharges to storm drains.

Tommy Corley 3/9/2023
Name, Title Date
Fleet Specification Analyst

Robert Gordon 3/9/23
Department Director Date