



Legislation Text

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Resolution Authorizing a Contract with Premier Truck Sales & Rental, Inc. for the Rental of Eight Rear-Load Refuse Trucks (\$117,200.00)

Please find attached for your consideration a resolution that authorizes a contract with Premier Truck Sales & Rental, Inc. for the rental of eight rear-load refuse trucks for use in the City’s yard waste collection.

In the fall, the amount of leafs exceeds the capacity of City’s fleet of three side-load compost trucks. Rental trucks are used to meet the peak demand. The rear-load rental trucks have larger capacity than the side-load trucks, resulting in greater efficiency in collection of leafs.

The Fleet and Facilities Unit of the Public Services Area solicited bids for the truck rentals. Four requests were sent out and two vendors were able to supply all eight trucks during the specified time period.

<u>BIDDER</u>	<u>COST</u>	<u>#TRUCKS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Premier Truck Sales & Rental, Inc.	\$11,880.00 per Truck	8	\$95,040.00
Bell Equipment Company	\$12,000.00 per Truck	8	\$96,000.00
Rantoul Truck Center, LLC	No Bid / No Trucks Available		
Big Truck Rental, LLC	No Bid / No Trucks Available		

Funds were budgeted and are available in the FY 2015 operations & maintenance budget of the Solid Waste Enterprise Fund.

Included in this resolution is a contingency of \$22,160.00 for two additional weeks of rental based on a weekly rental rate of \$1,385.00 per truck. The base bid covers a period of eight weeks.

Premier Truck Sales & Rental, Inc. received Human Rights approval on August 22, 2014.

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Approved by: Steven D. Powers, City Administrator

Whereas, The City of Ann Arbor will need to rent rear-load refuse trucks for use in the fall yard waste collection program;

Whereas, Competitive bids were solicited by the Fleet and Facilities Unit of the Public Services Area and Premier Truck Sales & Rental, Inc. was the lowest responsible bidder;

Whereas, Premier Truck Sales & Rental, Inc. received Human Rights approval on August 22, 2014; and

Whereas, Sufficient funds are budgeted in the Public Services Area Solid Waste Enterprise Fund adopted FY 2015 budget;

RESOLVED, That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to execute a rental contract with Premier Truck Sales & Rental, Inc. after approval as to substance by the City Administrator and as to form by the City Attorney; and

RESOLVED, That the City Administrator be authorized to take all necessary administrative actions to implement this resolution.