

TOWNSHIP OF LUMBERTON

Resolution 2015-05-106

RESOLUTION REJECTING LOW BID AND AWARDING BID TO SECOND LOW VENDOR FOR POLICE CREW CAB VEHICLE

WHEREAS, the Township of Lumberton solicited bids for the purchase of a 2014, 2015 or 2016 Pickup Crew Cab (4 doors) with a 5.5' or 6', Four Wheel Drive Utility Vehicle or comparable with specific upgrades for police services; and

WHEREAS, the bid also valued the trade-in of two older vehicles no longer fit for police services including a 2004 Ford PCV (VIN# 2FAFP71W34X179617, 132,848 miles) and a 2002 Chevrolet Impala (VIN# 2G1WF55K029313504, 103,123 miles); and

WHEREAS, at the time and place for receiving bids, the Township received two bids as follows:

	Total Cost	Trade-In Value
TriStar Motors	\$32,628.00	\$1000 & \$800
Winner Ford	\$34,267.00	\$500 & \$500

WHEREAS, the Township Solicitor was asked to review the bid and determined that the apparent low bidder failed to submit several mandatory item with its bid including a stockholder certification, Affirmative Action compliance notice, Americans with Disabilities Notice, statement of compliance, business registration certificate and New Jersey Debarred List affidavit; and

WHEREAS, the stockholder submission is not subject to cure or waiver, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.2(c); and

WHEREAS, the remainder of the missing items were specifically called for and identified in the bidder checklist; and

WHEREAS, a review of the second vendor's bid determined it was compliant; and

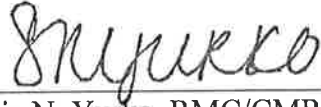
WHEREAS, Winner Ford took exception to the bid at Section 16.2 by indicating that its model vehicle was only offered with a rear seat which is a vinyl bench; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Lumberton as follows:

1. The TriStar Motors bid for the Police Crew Cab is rejected as non-responsive pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.2; and
2. The Township accepts the exception regarding Section 16.2 as identified above; and
3. The Bid is awarded to Winner Ford for \$34,267.00.
4. The Township authorizes the trade-in vehicles as part of the transaction.

5. A copy of this Resolution shall be provided to the vendors.

Adopted: May 12, 2015

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'S. Yurko', written over a horizontal line.

Stephanie N. Yurko, RMC/CMR
Municipal Clerk