



Interoffice Memorandum

**APPROVED
BY ORANGE COUNTY BOARD
OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

August 12, 2015

SEP 15 2015 *JLBS*

TO: Mayor Teresa Jacobs
and the Board of County Commissioners

FROM: *[Signature]* Johnny Richardson, Manager, Procurement Division

CONTACT: Jim Becker, Manager, Solid Waste Division
407-254-9660

SUBJECT: Award of Invitation for Bids Y15-619-JS, Hydraulic Excavator

ACTION REQUESTED:

Approval to award Invitation for Bids Y15-619-JS, Hydraulic Excavator, to the low responsive and responsible bidder, GSX, Inc. dba Great Southern Construction Equipment Company, in the contract award amount of \$364,583.

PROCUREMENT:

The hydraulic excavator is used to dig, load and transport dirt for use as a covering at the landfill. This covering is mandated by the State of Florida and a combination of dirt and tarps is used to accomplish the requirement. Additional uses for the excavator include ditch, trench maintenance and improvements. A single hydraulic excavator is being purchased.

FUNDING:

Funds are available in account number 4410 038 1015 6430.

APPROVALS:

The Solid Waste Division and the Business Development Division concur with this recommendation.

DISCUSSION:

Seven bids were received in response to Invitation for Bids Y15-619-JS, and were evaluated for responsiveness, responsibility and price. The bid of Bobcat of Orlando, LLC did not include the cost of a total maintenance and repair agreement as required by the solicitation and was determined to be non-responsive. The bid of Hertz Equipment Rental Corporation did not meet the bid specifications for several requirements and was determined to be non-responsive. The bid of Ring Power Corporation took exception with the terms and conditions of the solicitation and was determined to be non-responsive. The low bidder, GSX, Inc. d/b/a Great Southern Construction Equipment Company, meets all specifications and requirements of the solicitation. Therefore, recommendation for award is made to GSX, Inc. dba Great Southern Construction Equipment Company.

The bid tabulation is attached.

BID TABULATION
IFB Y15-619-JS
HYDRAULIC EXCAVATOR

Description	Quantity	GSX, Inc. d/b/a Great Southern Construction Equipment Company	Flagler Construction Equipment, LLC	Nortrax, Inc.	Trekker Tractor, LLC
HydraulicExcavator	1	\$364,583.00	\$370,773.00	\$376,190.00	\$391,955.00
The bids of Bobcat of Orlando, LLC, Hertz Equipment Rental Corporation and Ring Power Corporation are non-responsive					




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BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

September 1, 2015

TO: Jim Schell, Senior Purchasing Agent
Procurement Division

FROM: Kesi Warren, Senior Contract Administrator 
Business Development Division

SUBJECT: Business Development Division Bid Evaluation

PROJECT: IFB #Y15-619-JS, Hydraulic Excavator

The Business Development Division evaluated the **4 bids** submitted for this project and found that **none** of the bidders are Orange County Certified Minority Women Business Enterprises. Hence, the bid preference program in accordance with the County's M/WBE Ordinance, Section 17-324 cannot be applied.

c: Sheena Ferguson, Acting Manager, Business Development Division

