

RESOLUTION NO. 2020- 126

A RESOLUTION AWARDED AN OPEN-END CONTRACT
TO KANE COMMUNICATIONS, LLC, TRENTON, NJ FOR
DIRECTIONAL DRILLING SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland has heretofore advertised for bids for Directional Drilling Services for the Vineland Municipal Electric Utility, for a period of one year commencing on the date of contract award, with option to renew for one (1) additional year, in accordance with specifications on file in the office of the Purchasing Agent; and

WHEREAS, on February 11, 2020, bids were received, duly opened and read aloud, being referred to the Business Administrator for tabulation, evaluation, report and recommendation; and

WHEREAS, the Business Administrator has, under date of March 3, 2020 submitted a written report and tabulation of the bids received and has recommended that an open-end contract for Directional Drilling Services for the Vineland Municipal Electric Utility, be awarded to Kane Communications, LLC, Trenton, NJ, in the amount not to exceed \$151,100.00, said bid being the lowest bid received and considered in the best interest of the City of Vineland; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Vineland that said contract for Directional Drilling Services for the Vineland Municipal Electric Utility, for a period of one year commencing on the date of contract award, with option to renew for one (1) additional year, be and the same is awarded to Kane Communications, LLC, Trenton, NJ, in the amount not to exceed \$151,100.00, said bid being the lowest bid received and considered in the best interest of the City of Vineland, and the Purchasing Agent be and the same is hereby authorized and directed to issue purchase order contract for the same in behalf of the City; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer has certified that the funds for the contract to be awarded herein are available.

Adopted:

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk

VINELAND MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY

BID EVALUATION FORM

2/24/2020

1. Bid Title: Open-Ended Contract for Directional Drilling Services

2. Amount to be Awarded: \$151,100.00

Encumber Total Award

Encumber by Supplemental Release

3. Engineer's Estimate: \$122,000.00

4. Amount Budgeted: \$180,000

5. Account Numbers to be Charged:
0-05-55-512-9003-52000 E366 \$131,100.00

0-05-55-502-9003-53384 E594 \$20,000

Capitol Improvement Authorization Ordinance No. _____

6. Date Received: 2/11/2020

7. To Be Awarded: 3/10/2020

8. Recommended Vendor: Kane Communications, LLC

9. Is Recommended Vendor the Apparent Lowest Bidder? Yes No

10. Comments:

11. Evaluation Performed by: Jeriotte Ragsdale, Senior Engineer *JR*

12. Approved by: John Lulbi - 2-24-2020 *JL*

13. Attached: (Checkoff List)

- Tabulation of Bids
- Plans and Specifications
- Justification for Vendor Recommendation
- Evaluation Data

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TABULATION OF BIDS
DIRECTIONAL DRILLING SERVICES COV BID 2020-02
FEBRUARY 11, 2020

Engineers estimate \$122,000.00

	Kane Communications, LLC 572 Whitehead Rd., Ste 201 Trenton, NJ 08619	Arthur R. Henry, Inc. 3031 Ocean Heights Ave. Egg Harbor Twp., NJ 8234
BB, CAC, CEC	BB 10%	BB 10%
Surety	YES	YES
Ownership Discl.	YES	YES
Affirm. Action Reg.	YES	YES
Check List	YES	YES
Proposal	YES	YES
Ack. Addenda	YES	YES
Discl. Iran	YES	YES
Total	\$151,100.00	\$213,777.00

Specifications also sent to the following:

Crown Pipeline Construction Co.
 Oliver Communications Group, Inc.
 Aaron Enterprises Inc.
 Trench Technologies LLC
 Directional Drilling Inc.
 Prime Vendor

KMA Consulting Engineers, Inc.
 CIS
 DE & P Technical Services LLC
 Shore Sys. Group LLC
 Deltek

PURCHASING AGENT REVIEW
COV BID # 2020-02

Proposals were received and opened Tuesday, February 11, 2020 at 2:00 PM for Direction Drilling Services from the following:

Kane Communications, LLC:	\$151,100.00
Arthur R. Henry, Inc.:	\$213,777.00

Comments: All bidders submitted all the mandatory documents.

Recommendation: If using department agrees, recommend award to Kane Communication, LLC as they provided the lowest, responsive & responsible bid.


Miguel A. Mercado, QPA
Purchasing Agent