



City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
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R-2005-0089 Resolution In Committee

Resolution relative to accepting the proposal of SEFAC Corp. for furnishing and delivering one (1) (set of 4) Mobile Lifts and one (1) pair of Jack Stands and freight for a net sum of \$21,800.00

Introduced: 3/15/2005

Controlling Body: Public Works Committee
Administration & Finance

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION *adopt*

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
MAR 15 2005			Barczak	✓			
			Czaplewski	✓			
			Dobrowski	✓			
			Kopplin	✓			
			Lajsic	✓			
			Narlock	✓			
			Reinke	✓			
		✓	✓	Sengstock	✓		
		✓	✓	Vitaie	✓		
		✓	Weigel	✓			
			TOTAL	5	5	-	-

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chair *[Signature]* Vice-Chair _____ Member _____

COMMON COUNCIL ACTION *adopt*

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3-15-05			Barczak	✓			
			Czaplewski	✓			
			Dobrowski	✓			
			Kopplin	✓			
		✓		Lajsic	✓		
				Narlock	✓		
				Reinke	✓		
			✓	Sengstock	✓		
			✓	Vitaie	✓		
			Weigel	✓			
			TOTAL	10			

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CITY OF WEST ALLIS COMMON COUNCIL
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Final Action:
MAR 15 2005

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WHEREAS, The Purchasing/Central Services Division has reported that it has received a proposal for one (1) (set of 4) Mobile Lifts and one (1) pair of Jack Stands and freight for the Public Works Department of the City of West Allis; and,

WHEREAS, The Common Council deems it to be in the best interests of the City of West Allis that the proposal of SEFAC Corp. be accepted; and,

WHEREAS, the Equipment Division of the Public Works Department has determined that this contract is inappropriate for competitive selection due to the durability, versatility and the safest lift on the market. The Department of Public Works presently is using SEFAC Lifts and Jacks, which has given the Department of Public Works the ability to acquire training and experience thru standardization of this manufacturer's products.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of West Allis that the proposal dated February 17, 2005 submitted by SEFAC Corp. for furnishing and delivering one (1) (set of 4) Mobile Lifts and one (1) pair of Jack Stands and freight for a net sum of \$21,800.00 be and is hereby accepted.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Purchasing/Central Services Division be and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the aforesaid equipment.

ADOPTED

March 15, 2005

Paul M. Ziehler, City Admin. Officer, Clerk/Treas.

APPROVED

March 17, 2005

Jeannette Bell, Mayor



CITY OF WEST ALLIS

WISCONSIN



Public Works Department

MICHAEL PERTMER
Director

To: Gene Baietto, Manager of Purchasing

From: Mike Pertmer, Director of Public Works *mp*

Date: March 9, 2005

Re: Sole Purchase of Mobile Lift Jacks

In its 2005 budget, the Public Works Department has allocated \$25,000 for the purchase of another set of four (4) mobile lifts for the Equipment Repair Division. At present, the Equipment Repair Division has four sets of these lifts in use. The Division has six repair bays and with all four sets often in use at any one time, there is a need for an addition set of these lifts.

When the Department purchased its first set of lifts, it did extensive research on the different models available. The Department concluded that the lifts manufactured by SEFAC were far superior to other lifts on the market. We have not been disappointed by their performance. We believe that the SEFAC lift continues to be the most durable, versatile and safest lift on the market.

Given the fact that we currently have four sets of these lifts in operation, we have an obvious need to assure that the next set of lifts purchased is compatible and interchangeable with our existing lifts. In addition to the durability and versatility of the SAFCO lift noted above, the mechanics who use these lifts have a good working knowledge of the lift and, most importantly are comfortable and confident working under equipment supported by the lifts. Finally, with four sets of the lifts already in place, we include spare parts in our inventory for these lifts. A different vendor would necessitate the purchase and warehousing of additional parts.

Working with your department, we have been able to arrange for a direct purchase of the lifts from SEFAC thus assuring the best possible price for the lifts - more than \$3,000 below the budgeted amount. I respectfully request that the City proceed with a direct purchase of this item from SEFAC for the reasons enumerated above.

Cc: Gordy Paprocki