

Williams/Via

## RESOLUTION NO. 6478

WHEREAS, sealed bids were requested and advertised, as required by law, for the

following:

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) NO. 5925 161KV SUBSTATION ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION

**WHEREAS,** bids were received and opened at the time and place mentioned in the published notices and the Director – Supply Chain Management supervised the tabulations, which have been submitted to this Board; and

*WHEREAS,* the Board of Directors has carefully considered the bids submitted, as well as the recommendations of the District's Management and General Counsel.

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Directors of the Omaha Public Power District that the proposal of Highmark Erectors, Inc. in the amount of \$777,777.00 for construction services to erect and assemble equipment for a new 161kV substation in Sarpy County pursuant to Request for Proposal No. 5925 is hereby accepted, and the form of payment and performance bond of such bidder is approved.



## **Board Action**

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

December 14, 2021

## ITEM

Award RFP No. 5925 161kV Substation Electrical Equipment Installation

## <u>PURPOSE</u>

Board of Directors authorization to award RFP 5925 for construction services to erect and assemble equipment for a new 161kV substation to support load growth and reliability in the Sarpy County area.

## FACTS

- a. Development of this substation supports load growth and reliability in the Sarpy County area.
- b. Construction labor includes installation of 161kV steel supports with associated insulators, breakers and switches, measurement and metering equipment, and equipment wiring from field device to the control building.
- c. Four (4) proposals were received; four (4) are legally and three (3) technically responsive.
- d. Construction will begin in January 2022 and conclude in May 2022.
- e. Highmark Erectors, Inc. proposal was evaluated as the lowest and best bid.

## <u>ACTION</u>

Authorization by the Board to award RFP No. 5925, 161kV Substation Electrical Equipment Installation to Highmark Erectors, Inc. in the amount of Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Dollars (\$777,777.00).

## **RECOMMENDED:**

DocuSigned by:

Troy R. Via 181167221FA24AF

Troy R. Via Chief Operating Officer and Vice President – Utility Operations

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Attachments: Analysis of Proposals Tabulation of Bids Legal Opinion Resolution APPROVED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:

DocuSigned by:

Javier Fernandes AC399FDCE56247E

L. Javier Fernandez President and Chief Executive Officer



## **MEMORANDUM**

DATE: December 1, 2021

**FROM:** D. D. Buelt

TO: T.R. Via

RFP No. 5925 "161kV Substation Electrical Equipment Installation"

#### Analysis of Proposals

## 1.0 <u>GENERAL</u>

RFP No. 5925 was advertised for bid on October 11, 2021.

This contract will procure construction services to erect and assemble equipment and structures to support a new 161kV substation in Sarpy County.

Construction is scheduled to begin January 4, 2022 and conclude by May 20, 2022.

One (1) Letter of Clarification and three (3) addendums were issued. Letter of Clarifications address twelve (12) questions related to contractor's responsibility, material deliveries, and scope of work. Addendums included pre-bid walk-down meeting instructions, manufacturer part number, and updated Construction Services Contract Terms and Conditions.

Bids were requested and opened at 2:00 p.m., C.S.T., Tuesday, November 9, 2021.

Four (4) total proposals were received. The proposals received are summarized in the table below:

| Bidder                  | Proposal Price              | Legally<br>Responsive | Technically<br>Responsive |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Altitude Energy, LLC    | 763,025.96*                 | Yes                   | No                        |
| Highmark Erectors, Inc. | \$777,777.00                | Yes                   | Yes                       |
| IES Commercial Inc.     | \$1,068,089.67 <sup>*</sup> | Yes                   | Yes                       |
| The L.E. Myers Company  | \$1,889,545.34 <sup>*</sup> | Yes                   | Yes                       |

<sup>\*</sup>Corrected from Bid Tab (Altitude Energy, LLC - \$763,014.08, IES Commercial Inc. - \$1,068,139.67, and The L.E. Myers Company - \$1,871,362.60) due to unit pricing calculation error.

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## 2.0 <u>COMPLIANCE WITH CONTRACT TERMS AND GENERAL REQUIREMENTS</u>

In the opinion of the District's legal counsel the proposal of Altitude Energy, LLC includes clarifications and exceptions to the contract documents that are subject to the District's technical and economic evaluation. The other proposals do not contain exceptions or clarifications.

Subject to the foregoing comments and the District's technical and economic evaluation, all of the proposals received in response to RFP No. 5925 may be considered by the Board of Directors for the award of this contract. The form of performance and payment bond for the successful bidder also must be approved by the Board.

## 3.0 COMPLIANCE WITH TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

Three (3) proposals received are technically responsive and one (1) proposal is technically non-responsive as the bid excluded American Welding Society (AWS) Certification.

## 4.0 <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>

On the basis of compliance with the legal and technical requirements of the specifications, cost evaluations performed and guaranteed completion dates, it is recommended that RFP No. 5925, "161kV Substation Electrical Equipment Installation" be awarded to Highmark Erectors, Inc. in the amount of Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-Seven Dollars and Zero Cents (\$777,777.00).

-----DocuSigned by:

Dannie D. Buelt

Dannie Buelt, PE Director, Engineering Utility Operations

| TABULATION OF BIDS         Opened at 2:00 p.m., C.S.T., Tuesday,         November 9, 2021, in Omaha, Nebraska         Anticipated Award Date         December 16, 2021         ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE         \$_1,750,000.00 | <b>REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NO. 5925<br/>161kV Substation Electrical Equipment</b>       |  | DocuSigned by:<br>Tim McUreavey<br>9426AD61477AD5rector<br>Supply Chain Management<br>DocuSigned by:<br>Une Welener<br>Comfifthed BY Antid Certified Correct |  |
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|  | Page 1 of 2 BIDDER'S NAME & ADDRESS  |  |  |  |
| BID ITEM   | Altitude Energy, LLC<br>26400 I-76 Frontage Rd<br>PO Box 359<br>Keenesburg, CO 80643 | Highmark Erectors, Inc.<br>14667 139th Place<br>Piedmont, SD 57769 | IES Commercial Inc.<br>120 S Lincoln Street<br>PO Box 27<br>Holdrege, NE 68949   |  |
|  | SUPPLIER'S BID   | SUPPLIER'S BID   | SUPPLIER'S BID   |  |
| 1. <u>Price Proposal:</u><br>Total Price of Combined Sums of Extended Unit Prices<br>for Items 1 - 32  | <u>\$_763,014.08</u>   | <u>\$777,777.00</u>  | <u>\$1,068,139.67</u>  |  |
| 2. <u>Completion Date Guarantee(s):</u>  | <b>Guaranteed Completion Date</b>  | <b><u>Guaranteed Completion Date</u></b>                           | <b>Guaranteed Completion Date</b>  |  |
| 161kV Sub 1362 Mobilization: January 4, 2022   | January 4, 2021  | <u>January 4, 2022</u>   | <u>January 4, 2022</u>   |  |
| 161kV Sub 1362 Electrical Equipment Complete: April 29, 2022   | <u>April 29, 2022</u>  | <u>April 29, 2022</u>  | <u>April 29, 2022</u>  |  |
| 161kV Sub 1362 Electrical Equipment Punch List: May 2,<br>2022 - May 20, 2022  | <u>May 2, 2022 - May 20, 2022</u>  | <u>May 2, 2022 - May 20, 2022</u>                                  | <u>May 2, 2022 - May 20, 2022</u>  |  |
| OPPD Desired Final Completion Date: May 20, 2022   | <u>May 20, 2022</u>  | <u>May 20, 2022</u>  | <u>May 20, 2022</u>  |  |

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|  | BIDDER'S NAME & ADDRESS  |                                   |   |  |
| BID ITEM   | The L.E. Myers Company<br>1405 Jackson Street<br>Marshalltown, IA 50158                      |                                   |   |  |
|  | SUPPLIER'S BID   | SUPPLIER'S BID                    | SUPPLIER'S BID  |  |
| 1. <u>Price Proposal:</u><br>Total Price of Combined Sums of Extended Unit Prices<br>for Items 1 - 32  | <u>\$_1,871,362.60</u>   | <u>\$</u>                         | <u>\$</u>   |  |
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November 18, 2021

Omaha Public Power District 444 South 16<sup>th</sup> Street Omaha, NE 68102

> RE: Request for Proposal No. 5925-161kV Substation Electrical Equipment Installation ("RFP No. 5925")

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have reviewed the four (4) proposals received in response to RFP No. 5925 and provide the following legal opinion.

The proposal of Altitude Energy, LLC includes clarifications and exceptions to the contract documents that are subject to the District's technical and economic evaluation. The other proposals do not contain exceptions or clarifications.

Subject to the foregoing comments and the District's technical and economic evaluation, all of the proposals received in response to RFP No. 5925 may be considered by the Board of Directors for the award of this contract. The form of performance and payment bond for the successful bidder also must be approved by the Board.

Very truly yours,

Stephen M. Bruckner FOR THE FIRM

SMB:jmp 2703005



## **RFP 5925 – 161kV Electrical Equipment** Installation

Board of Directors All Committees Meeting December 14, 2021



# **161kV Electrical Equipment**





