CITY OF SAN ANTONIO PURCHASING & GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT NO. 2

TO:

Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Janie B. Cantu, Director of Purchasing & General Services

SUBJECT:

Aircraft Rescue Firefighting Vehicle

DATE:

February 24, 2005

SUMMARY & RECOMMENDATION

This ordinance authorizes the Purchasing & General Services Department to accept the low bid submitted by Emergency One, Inc. to provide the City of San Antonio Aviation Department with a replacement aircraft rescue firefighting vehicle for a total of \$635,678.00. Staff recommends approval of this ordinance.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

A request for sealed bids was issued to procure a Class 2, 3000 gallon Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) vehicle for the City of San Antonio Aviation Department. A total of three bids were received. The low bid was submitted by Emergency One, Inc. for a total of \$635,678.00. This bid was advertised in the Daily Commercial Recorder, La Prensa, the San Antonio Observer, the City of San Antonio Purchasing Website, Public Access Channel 21 and Demandstar.com.

This new vehicle will replace a 1986 unit. Upon delivery of the new unit, the current vehicle will be used as a spare ARFF vehicle. The existing spare, a 1975, 1500 gallon unit will then be sold at auction. This equipment is on an average replacement cycle of 10 to 12 years, as recommended by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), and the unit being replaced has far exceeded this criteria. With this purchase, the Airport's fleet of ARFF vehicles will consist of three front line vehicles and one spare.

This ARFF vehicle is a highly mobile unit suited primarily for aviation applications. It is capable of carrying its own supply of 3,000 gallons of water, as well as 400 gallons of foam concentrate to the scene of an aircraft emergency. It is not dependent on an external source of water for initial application of fire extinguishing agent. It will also be equipped with a 460 pound capacity clean agent system which is used for extinguishing electrical fires and engine fires on aircraft which leaves no damaging residue.

Additional options being purchased with this ARFF unit include an aviation band radio and headsets, color video camera, VCR recorder, a diesel powered generator with floodlights and a high performance bumper turret. Also, a 150' booster reel with hose will be installed on the unit to allow ARFF personnel to extinguish smaller fires without requiring excessive manpower to maneuver the hose.

POLICY ANALYSIS

This rescue vehicle is designed to meet the specifications of DOT Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular 150/5220-10C, Guide Specification for Water/Foam Aircraft Rescue and Firefighting Vehicles and also the requirements of Federal Aviation Regulation Part 139, Certification and Operations: Land Airports Serving Certain Air Carriers, Section 139.317. The vehicle is covered by a standard one year warranty, parts and service along with a ten year warranty for structural and plumbing components and a lifetime warranty on the foam tank. The successful vendor is required to provide the services of a qualified technician for a period of five working days to provide training in the use, operation and maintenance of the vehicle.

FISCAL IMPACT

This ordinance establishes the budget for capital project 33-00145 entitled "ARFF Vehicle", appropriates the funds and authorizes payment to Emergency One Inc. This Capital Project was approved in the FY2005 Capital Budget. This ARFF vehicle is partly funded in the amount of \$358,695.00 by FAA Grant Number 3-48-0192-48-04 approved by Ordinance 99193 on May 13, 2004. This ordinance appropriates \$119,565.00 from the Aviation Passenger Facility Charges Fund and \$157,418.00 from the Aviation Capital Improvements Fund to constitute the Airport's matching share, for a total authorized expenditure of \$635,678.00.

COORDINATION

This item has been coordinated with the City of San Antonio Aviation Department.

Janie B. Cantu, C.P.M., Director Purchasing & General Services

Erik J. Walsh

Assistant to the City Manager

City of San Antonio Bid Tabulation

Opened: November 15, 2004 Aircraft Rescue Firefighting Vehicle 04-127 PR		Emergency One, Inc. 1601 SW 37th Ave. Ocala FL 34474	Oshkosh Truck Corporation 2307 Oregon Street Oshkosh WI 54902	Rosenbauer-General Division 5181 260th Street Wyoming MN 55092					
					Item	Description			•
					1	1 Each - Class 2, 3000 Gallon Aircraft Rescue Firefighting Vehicle			
Price Total	\$591,858.00	\$594,452.00	\$622,876.00						
	Make	E-One	Oshkosh	Rosenbauer					
	Model	P511	Striker	Panther					
	Optional Accessories								
2	1 Lot - Aviation Band Radio								
	Price Total	\$3,118.00							
	Make	Bendix		lcom					
	Model	KY97A	IC-A200M	A110					
3	1 Lot - Three Crewmember Headset System								
	Price Total	\$4,625.00							
	Make Model	Setcom 1300		Setcom 1300					
		1300	1300	1300					
4	1 Lot - High Resolution, Weatherproof Camera			******					
	Price Total Make	\$2,345.00 Intec							
	Model	CVC461	Camera	CVC461					
5	1 Lot - Console for Radio Equipment & Siren								
	Price Total	Included	Included						
	Make			Havis Shield					
	Model			C3011					
6	1 Lot - Auto Eject Air Connection								
	Price Total Make	\$363.00 Kussmaul		Included					
	Model	Connection							
7	Deleted								
8	Deleted								
9	1 Lot - 60 Hz Diesel Powered Generator								
	Price Total	\$15,494.00	\$19,847.00	\$15,263.00					
	Make	Siemens	Onan	Onan					
	Model	Generator	Generator	Generator					
10	1 Lot - Multi-Position Bumper Turret								
	Price Total	\$11,537.00							
	Make Model	Rhino Type II							
	Model	Type II	Turret	R1					

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Item	Description		_		
11	1 Lot - 150' Booster Reel, Hose & Pistol Grip Nozzle Price Total Make Model		\$3,516.00 Hannay Booster Reel	Oshkosh	
12	1 Lot - (8) LED Warning Lights Price Total Make Model		\$2,052.00 Whelen 700	Whelen	Whelen
13	1 Each - Adjustable Compartment Shelf Price Total Make Model		\$278.00 E-One Shelf	Oshkosh	
14	1 Each - Lower Compartment Rollout Tray Price Total Make Model		\$492.00 E-One Trays	Oshkosh	Rosenbauer
15	Deleted				
16	Deleted				
	Total Award	,	\$635,678.00		