8.Q. Utilities Department - PC Construction Company dba PCEO, Inc. in FL – Bid No. 20403 – Westside Regional Water Reclamation Facility (WRF) Biosolids Dewatering System Improvements - Lowest Best Responsive Bid Award (pp. 396-416)

Resolution awarding Bid No. 20403 to PC Construction Company dba PCEO, Inc. in FL, 193 Tilley Drive, South Burlington, VT 05403, for improvements to the biosolids dewatering system (including bid alternatives) in the amount of \$3,343,086. The purpose of this request is to commence construction of the Westside Regional Water Reclamation Facility (WRF) Biosolids Dewatering System Improvements in order to improve the reliability and efficiency of dewatering operations. The Westside Regional WRF utilizes belt filter presses to dewater biosolids as an essential part of the permitted treatment process. Currently there are three operational belt filter presses (BFPs) that were placed into operation in the mid-1990's and, after continuous use, have reached the end of their useful life and need to be replaced. A fourth BFP was previously taken out of service and has since been used for spare parts for the remaining BFPs.

The City advertised Bid No. 20403 for the Westside Regional WRF Biosolids Dewatering System Improvements Project on March 30, 2020, and received five bids on May 15, 2020. Based upon a review of the bids submitted, the recommendation is to construct the base bid and additive alternates. PC Construction Company DBA PCEO, Inc. in FL was found to be the lowest, best responsive bidder. Funds are available in State Revolving Loan – Water & Sewer Construction Account.

Recommendation: Utilities Director recommends adoption of the Resolution.

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