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**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM**

**ACTION REQUESTED:**

Approve the award of Bid 18-129, 72.5Kv Circuit Breaker, to Universal Utility Supply Company for an amount not to exceed \$119,697

**DEPARTMENT:** Electric Utility

**SUBMITTED BY:** Mark Curran, Director

**BOARD/COMMISSION REVIEW:**

N/A

**BACKGROUND:**

In May 2018, the Electric Utility issued Bid 18-129 seeking to procure three 72.5kV circuit breakers for its Ogden Substation. These circuit breakers will replace nearly 30-year-old equipment that requires a considerable amount of maintenance on an annual basis.

The circuit breakers are designed to interrupt fault current thereby protecting critical assets of the Utility including cable and power transformers. Installation of these circuit breakers will be completed by Electric Utility crews and all relay upgrades and protection settings will be designed by Electric Utility engineers. Completion of this work will enhance reliability of service to customers along Ogden Avenue and to the downtown area.

**DISCUSSION:**

Advertisement Date:	5/11/18	Notices Sent:	74
Opening Date:	5/29/18	Planholders:	10
		Bids Received:	2

The following bids were received:

COMPANY	BID AMOUNT
Universal Utility Supply	\$119,697
Engineers Estimate	\$120,000
CED/Efengee Electric	Non-Responsive

CED/Efengee Electric was found to be non-responsive because the vendor did not include the required executed paperwork with their submittal.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

CIP#: EU22 - Substation Emergency Repair/Replacement Items

The purchase of circuit breakers is budgeted under CIP# EU22, Substation Emergency Repair/Replacement Items. A total of \$150,000 is budgeted in the infrastructure account listed below. The award of \$119,697 is within budget.

<b>Account Number</b>	<b>Fund Description</b>	<b>Total Budget Amount</b>
40251300-551502	Electric Utility Fund	\$10,612,000