



Legislation Text

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**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM**

**ACTION REQUESTED:**

Approve the award of Bid 23-026, Biosolids Removal Services, to Stewart Spreading, Inc. for an amount not to exceed \$588,380 and for a 22-month term

**DEPARTMENT:** Water Utilities

**SUBMITTED BY:** Darrell Blenniss, Director

**BOARD/COMMISSION REVIEW:**

N/A

**BACKGROUND:**

In January 2023, the Water Utilities issued Bid 23-026, Biosolids Removal Services, to contract with a qualified licensed biosolids hauling contractor to remove, transport, and land apply residual solids generated by the wastewater treatment process. The biosolids will be hauled from the Springbrook Water Reclamation Center (SWRC) to agricultural farmland and/or sod farms and applied in accordance with United States Environmental Protection Agency (40 Code of Federal Regulations Part 503) and other federal, state, and local regulations.

**DISCUSSION:**

Advertisement Date: 1/10/2023

Notices Sent: 286

Opening Date: 2/2/2023

Planholders: 9

Proposals Received: 2

Bids were received from the following vendors:

Vendor Name	Proposed Cost	Unit Price per Cubic Yard
Stewart Spreading Inc.	\$588,380	\$22.63
Synagro Central, LLC	\$845,520	\$32.52

Stewart Spreading is the incumbent contractor. Staff recommends this award based on procurement history for this service and current market conditions. The term of this contract is 22-months from March 1, 2023 through December 31, 2024, with two, one-year options to extend.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

CIP #: N/A

Contractual services for biosolids removal are expensed to the account number listed below. A total of \$274,500 is budgeted for these services in 2023. The remainder of the agreement will be budgeted

appropriately during each budget period.

<b>Account Number</b>	<b>Fund Description</b>	<b>Total Budget Amount</b>
41251530-531308	Water Utility Fund	\$374,500