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REGULAR CALENDAR

August 17, 2016

TO THE COUNCIL:

The Water Bureau routinely requires a wide variety of water works supplies including valves, brass and copper fittings, bushings, sleeves, repair clamps, adapters, reducers, caps and plugs, along with hundreds of other components necessary to maintain the City's water works infrastructure. These supplies support all aspects of proactive and emergency repair, construction, and maintenance. In addition, an on-going source of supply is necessary to ensure timely completion of water system projects.

Over the past five years, the Water Bureau has steadily increased its pace of system maintenance and repair. The Water Bureau spent approximately \$1,900,000 on water works supplies during FY 2014-15 and anticipates this strong pace of system maintenance work continuing over the next five years.

On April 6, 2016, City Council passed Ordinance No. 187663 authorizing a competitive solicitation for the purchase for water works supplies. On May 6, 2016, the Chief Procurement Officer advertised RFP No. 00000344 and two (2) proposals were received and opened on June 7, 2016. The proposal from Ferguson Waterworks was deemed responsive to the requirements of the solicitation. The City issued a Notice of Intent to Award a Price Agreement to Ferguson Waterworks on July 29, 2016. No protests were received.

Ferguson Waterworks has a current City of Portland business tax registration account, is in compliance with the City's Equal Benefits Program, and their EEO Certification is current. The Bureau's level of confidence in the cost estimates for this project is "High" as there is good historical information regarding purchases made for these types of items.

Awarding a price agreement to Ferguson Waterworks will allow the Water Bureau to continue routine work on the City's water works infrastructure. It is requested that City Council authorize a Price Agreement with Ferguson Waterworks for a not to exceed amount of \$11,000,000 over five years.

Recommended by:

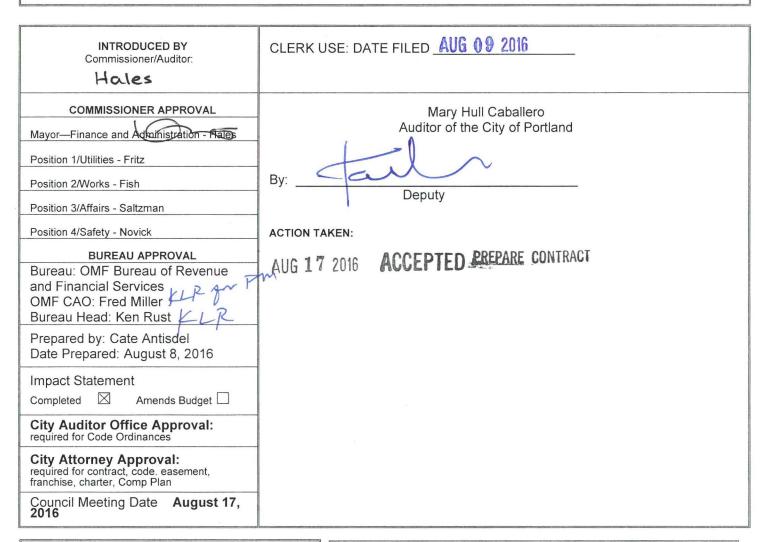
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Agenda No. REPORT Title

Authorize a five year Price Agreement for purchase of water works supplies from Ferguson Waterworks for an amount not to exceed \$11,000,000. (Procurement Report – Project#119336)



AGENDA	FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:
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Total amount of time needed: <u>5 minutes</u> (for presentation, testimony and discussion)	Hales	Hales