COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Fleet	Presenter(s):	Bill Lackey
Meeting Date:	Thursday, October 13, 2011	Type of Request:	Consent

Wording for the Agenda:

Approval of staff's recommendation to award Bid #794 to low bidder Wade Ford Inc. for the purchase of a Ford F-450 Cab and Chassis for the Water System in the amount of $34,765.

Background/History/Details:

Sealed bids were solicited by the Purchasing Department for the purchase of a Ford F-450 Cab & Chassis to replace a similar vehicle in the Water System fleet. A total of eight vendors responded, with Wade Ford Inc. being the overall lowest bidder at $34,765.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

Approval of staff's recommendation to award Bid #794 to low bidder Wade Ford Inc. for the purchase of a Ford F-450 Cab and Chassis for the Water System in the amount of $34,765.

If this item requires funding, please describe:

Funds were approved in the Water System FY 2012 budget for the purchase of this vehicle.

Has this request been considered within the past two years?	No	If so, when?	
Is Audio-Visual Equipment Required for this Request?	No	Backup Provided with Request?	Yes

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Approved by Finance	Yes	Reviewed by Legal	Yes
Approved by Purchasing	Yes	County Clerk's Approval	Yes
Administrator's Approval	Yes		

Staff Notes:

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To: Jack Krakeel

From: Ted L. Burgess

Date: September 16, 2011

Subject: Ford F-450 Replacement for Water System

The Water System's Fiscal Year 2012 budget includes replacement of a 2001 Ford F-450 with a new Ford F-450. The Purchasing Department sent invitations to bid to twelve dealers, as well as posting notices in the newspaper and on the internet.

Eight dealers submitted bids (please see attached). The best bid was $34,765 from Wade Ford, Inc. I concur with the Fleet Maintenance proposal to accept this bid.

If additional information is needed, please contact me.

Attachment

BID #794 FORD F-450 CREW CAB & CHASSIS - TALLY SHEET

RESPONDENT NAME:	TOTAL BID PRICE	EXCEPTIONS TO SPECIFICATIONS
ALLAN VIGIL FORD LINCOLN, INC.	$35,780.00	FRONT TIRES ARE ALL SEASON. FRONT ALL TERRAIN TIRES ARE NOT AVAILABLE ON A 4X2. ALTERNATOR IS 200 AMP. ADD $315.00 TO THE QUOTED PRICE IF DUAL ALTERNATORS (357 AMPS TOTAL) WOULD BETTER MEET YOUR NEEDS.
BRANNEN MOTOR COMPANY	$35,561.00	
COUNTRY FORD	$35,045.08	NONE
GWINNETT PLACE FORD	$39,126.90	*NO EXTERNAL TRANSMISSION COOLER*
HARDY FAMILY FORD	$35,672.00	TIRES 225-70R 19.5G FRONT ALL SEASON - REAR TRACTION TIRES. WITHOUT AUXILIARY IDLE CONTROL KIT.
MALL OF GEORGIA FORD	$35,840.00	REAR TIRES ARE ALL TERRAIN. FRONT TIRES ARE ALL SEASON.
ROUNTREE-MOORE FORD	$35,774.00	ALL TERRAIN TIRES ARE ONLY ON THE REAR DUAL WHEELS SERVICE BODY AVAILABLE FOR $5,370 INSTALLED.
WADE FORD INC.	$34,765.00	FORD DOES NOT OFFER AN "ALL TERRAIN" TIRE FOR THIS VEHICLE. WE BID "ALL SEASON" TIRES