

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION (RCA)**

DEPARTMENT: Department of Aviation
AGENDA DATE: July 28, 2009
CONTACT PERSON/PHONE: Monica Lombrana, Director of Aviation - 780-4793;
Terry Freiburg, Purchasing Manager - 541-4308
DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: ALL

SUBJECT:
Award Best Value Procurement for Solicitation 2009-152R "PROPRIETARY PEAVEY UPGRADE PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM EQUIPMENT for DEPARTMENT OF AVIATION" to Sound & Signal Systems of Texas, Inc. 3621 Mattox St, El Paso, TX 79925

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:
The Department of Aviation makes public announcements through this system which is nearly 20 years old. Some components of the system have reached the end of their useful life and need to be upgraded to maintain the reliability of the system and therefore allow us to make emergency announcements in times of emergency.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:
N/A

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:
The funding to be used is Airport Operating Funds in the amount of \$71,401.00. Funding is available in 62620020 - 508010 - 41022.

BOARD / COMMISSION ACTION:
N/A

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****

LEGAL: (if required) _____ **FINANCE:** (if required) _____

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Monica Lombrana _____

(Example: if RCA is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)
Information copy to appropriate Deputy City Manager

APPROVED FOR AGENDA: _____

CITY MANAGER: _____

DATE: _____

PROJECT FORM

DATE: July 14, 2009

PROJECT: Proprietary Peavey Upgrade
Public Address System Equipment
SOLICITATION NO: 2009-152R DEPARTMENT: Aviation
BUDGET NO: 62620020 - 508010 - 41022-P500004
FUNDING SOURCE: Airport Operating Funds
REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT(S): All

RECOMMENDATION: Vendor: Sound & Signal Systems of Texas, Inc.
El Paso, Texas
Item(s): All
Total Award: \$71,401.00

The award of Solicitation No. 2009-152R, Proprietary Peavey Upgrade Public Address System Equipment, to Sound & Signal Systems of Texas, Inc. for a total amount of \$71,401.00.

This is a fixed-price, single (one-time) purchase. No prompt payment discount was offered.

The Departments of Financial Services, Purchasing Division, and Aviation recommend award as indicated. The review committee based on evaluation factors identified in the RFP, established for this procurement, recommend award to the sole proposer as indicated.

TOTAL RECOMMENDED AWARD: \$71,401.00

COUNCIL APPROVED / REJECTED MUNICIPAL CLERK _____

APPROVED:

COUNCIL MEETING DATE: July 28, 2009


Terrence Freiburg
Purchasing Manager

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DATE: JULY 23, 2009
TO: Terry Freiburg, Purchasing Manager
FROM: Jerry Bettendorf, Deputy Director of Aviation, Operations & Security
SUBJECT: Replacement public address system

The Department of Aviation needs to replace the current public address system. The system, almost twenty years old, is a Peavey mainframe public address system that operates on a DOS based platform and software upgrades are no longer available. Additionally, replacement parts for the CPU are also obsolete. This system is used by all tenant airlines as well as airport operations dispatch. The public address system is used to relay flight information to passengers and is vital for public safety issues concerning airport safety and security. The cost for the system upgrade is \$71, 401. The Department of Aviation has utilized the current system beyond its useful life and believes the upgrade necessary to bring the system in line with other components of the Operations Dispatch section. The upgrade of this system to a Windows based operating platform will allow compatibility with our card access control module as well as our closed circuit camera system. This system is a cornerstone of communication at El Paso International and is a necessary upgrade at this time.

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CITY OF EL PASO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

TITLE: PROPRIETARY PEAVEY UPGRADE PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM EQUIPMENT DATE: JUNE 17, 2009	RFP #: 2009-152R DEPARTMENT: AVIATION
SOUND & SIGNAL SYSTEMS OF TEXAS, INC.	EL PASO, TEXAS
RFPs SOLICITED: 7	RFPs RECEIVED: 1
RFPs LOCAL: 7	NO RFPs: 0

APPROVED: *Mary Jane Lopez*
 DATE: 6-22-09

HOWELL ELECTRONICS
2873 PERSHING DR.
EL PASO, TX 79903

DU MOTION AUDIO-VISUAL-VIDEO,
INC.
1601 MONTANA AVE.
EL PASO, TX 79902

EL PASO SOUND SYSTEMS
8768 ALAMEDA AVE.
EL PASO, TX 79907

H B ELECTRONICS
6000 GATEWAY EAST
EL PASO, TX 79905

SOUND & SIGNAL SYSTEMS, INC.
3621 MATTOX ST.
EL PASO, TX 79925

DANTEK SYSTEMS
1462 VANDERBILT DR.
EL PASO, TX 79935

SECURITY INTEGRATORS &
CONSULTING
1445 BESSEMER DR.
EL PASO, TX 79936