



MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and City Councilmembers
Steve Parker, City Manager

FROM: Adam Ryals, Utility Warehouse Manager

THROUGH: Rick Cortes, Deputy City Manager

DATE: September 27, 2023

RE: Purchase of Steel Poles Bid# AF-2023-47

Bids were solicited to purchase fifty-five (55) steel poles in various sizes, as described on the attached bid tabulation for use by the City's Electric Utilities Department. The poles will be used on upcoming projects and for restocking purposes.

Seven (7) bids were received, ranging from (\$86,453.00) to (\$235,480.00). MVA Power of Quebec Canada submitted the lowest bid (\$86,453.00) but did not meet the city's specifications. They submitted a bid for multi-sided poles. The city's specification calls for a round smooth, face pole. SANPEC Inc. of Tomball Texas submitted the second lowest bid (\$89,755.00) as described on the bid tabulation, with a lead time of 18-20 weeks (126-140 days). The city has purchased numerous steel poles from SANPEC in the past.

Staff recommends approval to purchase fifty-five steel poles in various sizes from SANPEC in the total amount of (\$89,755.00)