

Meeting Date
May 17, 2016



AGENDA	
Section	CONSENT
Item No.	II.A.16

**AGENDA REPORT**  
**BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

<b>SUBJECT:</b>	Standardized Purchasing of Road & Bridge Equipment (Countywide)		
<b>DEPT/OFFICE:</b>	Public Works Department		
<b>Requested Action:</b>	<p>It is requested that the Board renew the standardized purchasing (as required by BCC-25) approved by the Board on February 8, 2011, for the equipment noted on the attached list, with the understanding that an existing State, Sheriff's Association or other Florida Public Entity government contract pricing will be sought specific to this equipment with the intent of purchasing from the low bidder. (Note: both the terms "particular" and/or "specific" will be defined in the terms of the brand noted.) In addition, staff seeks a five (5) year renewal period for the equipment attached.</p> <p><b>Summary Explanation &amp; Background:</b></p> <p>Brevard County Road &amp; Bridge currently administers an inventory of heavy equipment acquired at more than \$15.8 million. Included are dump trucks, graders, backhoes, loaders and pumps. In light of the considerable investment this inventory represents, Road &amp; Bridge approaches the maintenance and replacement of this heavy equipment with extreme care.</p> <p>When purchasing new equipment, Road &amp; Bridge diligently works to seek the best value for the tax-paying public. This is often accomplished through competitive bid. In some instances, however, standardized purchasing (on identified/predetermined pieces of equipment) offers substantial benefits such as reduced operating costs, repair and maintenance costs, and reduced equipment downtime.</p> <p>While purchase price is certainly an important element, there are additional considerations that play an important role in determining the overall value/cost associated with a piece of equipment. These factors become all the more important when reviewing the value of a piece of equipment over the life of its operation. They include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Operating Cost</li> <li>• Repair Cost</li> <li>• Familiarity of Repair among current Mechanics</li> <li>• Reliability</li> <li>• Parts Availability and current parts inventory</li> <li>• Resale Value</li> </ul> <p>Additional savings and benefits are realized through standardization through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limiting the value and quantity of inventory parts to one manufacture</li> <li>• Focusing staff training to repair and maintenance of standardized equipment</li> <li>• Limiting the requirements for specialized tools and equipment to perform maintenance and repair</li> </ul> <p><b>Fiscal Impact:</b> Funds for the purchase of equipment are included within the Road &amp; Bridge Budget.</p> <p align="center">Contact Person: john.denninghoff@brevardcounty.us 321-617-7202</p>		
<b>Clerk to the Board Instructions:</b>			
<b>Exhibits Attached:</b>	List of standardized equipment		
<b>Contract /Agreement (if attached):</b>	<b>Reviewed by County Attorney</b>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>County Manager</b>	<b>Assistant County Manager</b>	<b>Department Director / Extension</b>	
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May 18, 2016

MEMORANDUM

TO: John Denninghoff, Public Works Director

RE: Item II.A.16., Renewal of Standardized Purchasing of Road and Bridge Equipment

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on May 17, 2016, renewed the standardized purchasing, as required by BCC-25, approved by the Board on February 8, 2011, for the equipment noted on the attached list, with the understanding that an existing State, Sheriff's Association or other Florida Public Entity government contract pricing will be sought specific to this equipment with the intent of purchasing from the low bidder. Enclosed is a copy of the List.

Your continued cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

*Tammy Rowe*

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

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Encl. (1)

cc: Contracts Administration  
Finance  
Budget

Mack	Tandem/Tri-Axis Dump Truck
Gradall	Telescope Boom-Excavator
Caterpillar	Motor Grader Wheel Loader Loader Back Hoe
Kobelco	Hydraulic Excavator
Menzl Muck	Walking Backhoe
Complete	4", 6", 8" Trash Pump Well Point Pump Hydraulic Pump
Massey Ferguson	Heavy Agricultural Tractors
John Deere	Light Agricultural Tractors & Mowers
Bush Hog	Heavy Agricultural Mowers
Stihl	Power Tools
Kubota	Heavy Agricultural Tractors & Mowers
Thompson Pump	4" Double Diaphragm Pumps Well Point & Trash Pumps
Holland Pump	Hydraulic Pump
Alamo	Vertical Mowers
Terrain King	Vertical Mowers
Freightliner	Medium Duty Dump Truck