


**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
MEMORANDUM #2012 – 20**

DATE: April 9, 2012
TO: Honorable Mayor Joyce Downing and City Council Members
FROM: William A. Simmons, City Manager
David H. Willett, Director of Public Works 
SUBJECT: CR – 41, Automated Recycling Truck Purchase

BACKGROUND

On March 22, 2012 the City of Northglenn received bids for an automated trash truck (IFB 2012-09). Fourteen (14) bids were received ranging in price from \$225,737.00 to \$278,347.25. Rush Truck Center of Denver, Colorado was the low bidder with a Peterbilt cab and chassis and a Bridgeport automated packer. A copy of the bid summary is attached to this memorandum.

The City currently has four Peterbilt trucks with McNeilus automated packers used for the residential trash collection. The City of Thornton uses Peterbilt trucks with Bridgeport automated packers and has found them to be reliable units. Rush Truck Center of Colorado supplies and services Peterbilt trucks and both McNeilus and Bridgeport packers.

BUDGET/TIME IMPLICATIONS

With the addition of single stream recycling mid-year 2011, the Sanitation Division has had to rely on their backup truck (a semi-automated rear load trash truck) to provide recycling collection services. Using this truck required 2 employees to collect the recyclables and resulted in equipment shortages on numerous occasions due to service requirements and repairs.

The proposed unit can be readily utilized for collection of recyclables and also provide backup assistance for trash collection. **\$230,000.00** has been appropriated in the 2012 Sanitation budget for the purchase of an automated recycling truck.

RECOMMENDATION

Attached to this memorandum is a Resolution that, if approved, would allow the City Manger to issue a Purchase Order to Rush Truck Center in the amount of **\$225,737.00**. Staff recommends approval of this Resolution.

STAFF REFERENCE

David H. Willett, P.E., Director of Public Works
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CITY OF NORTHGLENN
FORMAL BID SUMMARY

BID NUMBER: IFB 2012-09

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BID NAME 2012 Automated Sanitation Truck and Packer

DEPARTMENT: Public Works Sanitation

	Colorado Mack Sales & Service, Inc.	Colorado Mack Sales & Service, Inc.	Colorado Mack Sales & Service, Inc.	Colorado Mack Sales & Service, Inc.	Colorado Mack Sales & Service, Inc.
DATE DUE: 3/22/2012	BID RECEIVED: DATE: 3/22/12	BID RECEIVED: DATE: 3/22/12	BID RECEIVED: DATE: 3/22/12	BID RECEIVED: DATE: 3/22/12	BID RECEIVED: DATE: 3/22/12
TIME: 2:00 PM	TIME: 11:12am	TIME: 11:12am	TIME: 11:12am	TIME: 11:12am	TIME: 11:12am
Unit Cost Per truck Cab and Chassis only	\$146,211.25	\$146,211.25	\$146,211.25	\$146,211.25	\$146,211.25
Unit Cost per truck Packer body only	\$109,495.00	\$132,136.00	\$104,484.00	\$110,485.00	\$118,980.00
	Heil Rapid Rail	Heil Durapack	Bridgeport	Pendpac	Scorpion
Total Unit Cost per truck Cab/Chassis and Packer body	255706.25	278347.25	250695.25	256696.25	265191.25

William Kinnon
Buyer

Crystal Messick
City Clerk Deputy

3/22/2012
Date



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DEPARTMENT: Public Works Sanitation

	Rush Truck centers of Colorado, inc.	Rush Truck centers of Colorado, inc.	Rush Truck centers of Colorado, inc.	Rush Truck centers of Colorado, inc.	Rush Truck centers of Colorado, inc.
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TIME: 2:00 PM	TIME: 11:39am	TIME: 11:39am	TIME: 11:39am	TIME: 11:39am	TIME: 11:39am
Unit Cost Per truck Cab and Chassis only	\$121,253.00	\$121,253.00	\$121,253.00	\$121,253.00	\$121,253.00
Unit Cost per truck Packer body only	\$104,484.00	\$110,485.00	\$116,190.00	\$107,949.00	\$109,495.00
	Bridgeport	Pendpack	Scorpion	McNeilus	Heil Rapid Rail
Total Unit Cost per truck Cab/Chassis and Packer body					
	225,737.00	231,738.00	237,443.00	229,202.00	230,748.00

Patricia L. Seaman
Buyer

Crystal Messick
City Clerk, Deputy

3/22/2012
Date



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DEPARTMENT: Public Works Sanitation

	Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc.	Transwest Trucks	Transwest Trucks	Transwest Trucks	
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TIME: 2:00 PM	TIME: 11:39am	TIME: 12:18pm	TIME: 12:18pm	TIME: 12:18pm	TIME:
Unit Cost Per truck Cab and Chassis only	\$121,253.00	\$147,391.00	\$147,391.00	\$147,391.00	
Unit Cost per truck Packer body only	\$132,136.00	\$104,484.00	\$110,485.00	\$116,190.00	
	Heil Durapack	Bridgeport	Pendpack	Scorpion	
Total Unit Cost per truck Cab/Chassis and Packer body					
	253389.00	251875.00	257876.00	263581.00	

Buyer Kathleen Krasnick

Crystal Messick
City Clerk Deputy

3/22/2012
Date

SPONSORED BY: MAYOR DOWNING

COUNCILMAN'S RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NO.

No. CR-41
Series of 2012

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A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE A PURCHASE ORDER TO RUSH TRUCK CENTER IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$225,737.00 FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE AUTOMATED RECYCLING TRUCK

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTHGLENN, COLORADO, THAT:

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to issue a Purchase Order to Rush Truck Center in an amount not to exceed \$225,737.00 for the purchase of one automated recycling truck.

DATED at Northglenn, Colorado, this ____ day of _____, 2012.

JOYCE DOWNING
Mayor

ATTEST:

JOHANNA SMALL, CMC
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

COREY Y. HOFFMANN
City Attorney