

SAINT PETERSBURG CITY COUNCIL

Consent Agenda

Meeting of August 20, 2009

To: The Honorable Jeff Danner, Chair and Members of City Council

Subject: Renewing blanket purchase agreements with Sunbelt Sod & Grading Company and McCoy Sod and Landscaping, Inc. for sod at an estimated annual cost of \$200,000.

Explanation: On October 16, 2008 City Council approved blanket purchase agreements for sod effective through August 31, 2009. Under the renewal of contract clause, the city reserves the right to extend the contracts for three one-year periods if mutually agreeable. This is the first renewal.

The vendors furnish sod that will be used to maintain parks, ball fields, golf courses and other facilities and projects. The material is also used to re-sod easements when maintaining the city's water and sewer system. Multiple awards are recommended due to the various sizes of jobs. For small jobs, McCoy furnishes sod for pick up; whereas Sunbelt furnishes, delivers and installs sod for jobs requiring a minimum of four pallets. The primary users are the Parks, Water Resources, Engineering & Capital Improvements and Stormwater, Pavement and Traffic Operations departments.

The Purchasing Department recommends for renewal:

Sod.....	\$200,000
Sunbelt Sod & Grading Company	\$150,000
McCoy Sod and Landscaping, Inc.	50,000

These vendors have agreed to uphold the terms and conditions of Bid No. 6759 dated August 14, 2008 and Bid 6669 dated September 4, 2008. This renewal will be effective through August 31, 2010.

Cost/Funding/Assessment Information: Funds have been previously appropriated in the General Fund (0001) [\$50,000], for various Parks (510) Department divisions, Water Resources Operating Fund (4001) [\$20,000], for various Water Resources (420) Department divisions, and for various capital improvement projects in the General Capital Improvements Fund (3001) [\$50,000], Recreation and Culture Capital Improvement Fund (3029) [\$50,000] and the Water Resources Capital Projects Fund (4003) [\$25,000].

Attachments: Price History
Resolution

Approvals:



Administrative



Budget

Price History

790-50 Sod

Item	Description	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	% Change
	PICK-UP						
1	Argentine Bahia	\$0.12	\$0.23	\$0.23	\$0.23	\$0.23	-
2	Bermuda 419 Tifway	0.20	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	-
3	Bitter Blue	0.24	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	-
4	St. Augustine, Floratam, sand grown	0.20	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	-
	DELIVERED						
5	Argentine Bahia	0.12	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	-
6	St. Augustine, Floratam, sand grown	0.19	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	-
7	St. Augustine, Floratam, muck grown	0.19	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	-
	DELIVERED AND INSTALLED						
8	Argentine Bahia	0.14	0.18	0.18	0.19	0.19	-
9	St. Augustine, Floratam, sand grown	0.25	0.32	0.32	0.30	0.30	-
10	Pursley "Seville"	0.27	0.32	0.32	0.25	0.25	-

Pricing per square foot (sq. ft.)

A RESOLUTION APPROVING RENEWAL OF AGREEMENTS (BLANKET AGREEMENTS) WITH SUNBELT SOD & GRADING COMPANY AT AN ESTIMATED ANNUAL COST NOT TO EXCEED \$150,000 AND MCCOY SOD AND LANDSCAPING, INC. AT AN ESTIMATED ANNUAL COST NOT TO EXCEED \$50,000 FOR A TOTAL ESTIMATED ANNUAL COST NOT TO EXCEED \$200,000 FOR THE PURCHASE OF SOD; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THESE TRANSACTIONS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on October 16, 2008 City Council approved the award of one-year agreements with three one-year renewal options to Sunbelt Sod & Grading Company and McCoy Sod and Landscaping, Inc. ("Vendors") for the purchase of sod pursuant to Bid No. 6669 dated August 14, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to exercise the first one-year renewal options of the Agreements; and

WHEREAS, the Vendors have agreed to uphold the terms and conditions of Bid No. 6669; and


WHEREAS, the Purchasing Department recommends approval of these renewals.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida that the renewal of agreements (Blanket Agreements) with Sunbelt Sod & Grading Company at an estimated annual cost not to exceed \$150,000 and McCoy Sod and Landscaping, Inc. at an estimated annual cost not to exceed \$50,000 for a total estimated annual cost not to exceed \$200,000 for the purchase of sod is hereby approved and the Mayor or Mayor's Designee is authorized to execute all documents necessary to effectuate these transactions; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that these renewals will be effective through August 31, 2010.

This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Approved as to form and content:



City Attorney (designee)