



COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER

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DATE: 07/11/2017

SUBJECT: **BID NO. 2017-126 - ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR PURCHASE OF WAREHOUSE BOXES AND LIDS - COUNTYWIDE - GREENWOOD OFFICE OUTFITTERS - PER UNIT PRICE**

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED:

It is requested that the Commissioners Court award Bid No. 2017-126, Annual Contract for Purchase of Warehouse Boxes and Lids, Countywide, to Greenwood Office Outfitters at the per unit price.

BACKGROUND:

Notice of the County's intent to bid was advertised in local newspapers, as required by State statute, and posted on the Internet, the Arlington Black Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Tarrant County Asian American Chamber of Commerce. Thirty-four (34) vendors were contacted and requested to participate in this bid process. All documents pertaining to this bid were posted on the Tarrant County website and were downloaded by interested bidders. Two (2) bids and one (1) no-bid were received.

Award recommendation is to the low bid meeting specifications.

The term of the contract is twelve (12) months, effective September 1, 2017, with two (2) options for renewal periods of twelve (12) months each.

Therefore, it is recommendation of Purchasing that Bid No. 2017-126, Annual Contract for Purchase of Warehouse Boxes and Lids, be awarded to Greenwood Office Outfitters at the per unit price.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Expenses for last year were approximately \$24,649.02. Orders are placed on an as-needed basis.

SUBMITTED BY: Purchasing

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APPROVED BY: