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# CITY OF SACRAMENTO

## DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES

March 11, 1985  
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FACILITY MAINTENANCE DIVISION  
FLEET MANAGEMENT DIVISION  
RISK MANAGEMENT & INS. DIVISION  
SUPPORT SERVICES DIVISION

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

City Council  
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members In Session:

SUBJECT: Rejection of Bids for the Purchase of Telephone Equipment and Maintenance

SUMMARY:

The City has a requirement to furnish telephone equipment and maintenance for the building soon to be occupied by various City departments at the corner of 13th and I Streets.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Formal bids (Bid No. 777) were solicited by the City Council on February 5, 1985 and only a single bid was received on March 5, 1985. The bid was from Capital Telephone Co., Inc. in the amount of \$126,803.00, including tax. During the bidding period, a job walk and a bidder's conference were held. The bidder's conference was well attended indicating interest on the part of vendors.

All vendors on the bidder's list were polled after the closing date to discover the reason for receiving only one bid. The majority of the bidders interested in offering equipment stated that the time period was too short to put a package together and obtain a bond. In any case, staff finds it to be in the best interests of the City to reject the only bid received because of lack of competition.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is therefore recommended that, pursuant to Section 57.305 of the Sacramento City Code, the City Council reject all bids received and pursuant to Section 57.401 of the Sacramento City Code, the City Council adopt a resolution suspending formal competitive bidding for the purchase of telephone equipment and maintenance and authorize the City Manager to competitively negotiate a contract for telephone equipment and maintenance with the interested vendors on the current bid list.

**APPROVED**  
BY THE CITY COUNCIL

MAR 12 1985

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CITY CLERK

Recommendation Approved

*Walter J. Stipe*  
Walter J. Stipe  
City Manager

*Bid awarded*  
*P.O. 45278*  
*CO 84061*

Respectfully submitted,

*Frank Mugartegui*  
Frank Mugartegui  
Director General Services

March 12, 1985  
All Districts

Attachment

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# RESOLUTION NO.

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL ON DATE OF

March 12, 1985

RESOLUTION SUSPENDING FORMAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR THE PURCHASE OF TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE CITY DEPARTMENTS AT 13TH AND I STREETS AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO COMPETITIVELY NEGOTIATE A CONTRACT FOR TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE WITH THE INTERESTED VENDORS ON THE CURRENT BID LIST

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO, TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF ALL MEMBERS VOTING IN FAVOR THEREOF:

That pursuant to Section 57.401(c) of the Sacramento City Code, it has been determined that, in the best interests of the City, the City Council suspend formal competitive bidding for the purchase of Telephone Equipment and Maintenance for the City departments at 13th and I Streets and authorize the City Manager to negotiate a contract for Telephone Equipment and Maintenance with the interested vendors on the current bid list.

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MAYOR

APPROVED  
BY THE CITY COUNCIL

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*Bid awarded  
P.O. 45278  
CO 84061*

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK

April 4, 1985

Capital Equipment  
2700 Fruitridge Road  
Sacramento, CA 95820

Dear Gentlemen:

On March 12, 1985, the Sacramento City Council accepted your bid in the amount of \$126,803.00 for various matters regarding the purchase of telephone equipment and the maintenance for City Departments at 13th and I Streets.

The City Support Services Administrator will contact you concerning the necessary contract.

Sincerely,

Lorraine Magana  
City Clerk

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cc: Support Services Division