

## COUNCIL WORKSHOP ITEM

**ITEM:** Fire Hydrants Bid -4-001  
**DATE:** January 23, 2003  
**PREPARED BY:** David Conley, Water Manager  
**PURPOSE:** To award a contract to supply various fire hydrants for replacement and new installation in the Village water distribution system.

**DISCUSSION:** On January 16, 2003 bids were opened for Proposal 04-001, "Fire Hydrants". Annually, the Village replaces and adds approximately 60 to 70 hydrants at various locations on the distribution system. These hydrants are replaced due to age, inability to repair, accidents, and to improve fire flow coverage. Bids were received from National Waterworks, Inc., Ziebell Water Service Products, Mid American Water, Inc., and Water Products Co., Inc. These items are budgeted in 481.393.0000.5259 and 481.393.0000.5731 in the amount of \$100,000. The low bidder, National Waterworks, has successfully supplied the same specified hydrants on previous contracts. The hydrants as quoted from National Waterworks meets all facets of the specification.

**ATTACHMENTS:** Attached for information is a bid tabulation of quoted items.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Place award of the contract on the Council workshop agenda of March 11, 2003 to National Waterworks, Inc., for the supply of hydrants in accordance with the following unit prices:

5' flange	\$918.00 each
5'6" flange	\$938.00 each
6' flange	\$958.00 each
5' M.J.	\$925.00 each
5'6" M.J.	\$955.00 each
6' M.J.	\$975.00 each

Bid Tabulation Fire Hydrants  
Proposal 04-001  
Bid Opening January 16, 2003

<u>Item</u>	<u>National Waterworks Unit Price</u>	<u>Ziebell Unit Price</u>	<u>Mid-American Unit Price</u>	<u>Water Products Unit Price</u>
5' flange hydrant	918.00	938.50	925.36	1213.00
5'6" flange hydrant	938.00	958.72	963.00	1232.00
6' flange hydrant	958.00	978.94	980.00	1252.00
5' mechanical joint hydrant	925.00	982.00	1260.00	1223.00
5'6" mechanical joint hydrant	955.00	1002.00	1287.00	1244.00
6' mechanical joint hydrant	975.00	1022.00	1314.00	1264.00