

COUNCIL WORKSHOP ITEM

ITEM: Construction Castings, Frames & Grates
DATE: February 7, 2003
PREPARED BY: Jack Bajor, Director of Public Works & Kevin Dunne, Drainage Manager
PURPOSE: Award Contract – FY 2003/2004
BID AMOUNT: **\$15,250.00** **ACCOUNT:** 001.343.0000.5255
BUDGET AMOUNT: **\$15,250.00**

DISCUSSION:

Neenah Foundry Company and Kieft Bros., Inc. have the current Construction Castings, Frames & Grates contracts with the lowest bid for the two years on the contract. In negotiations with staff, Neenah Foundry Company and Kieft Bros. Inc., have agreed to extend the contract for the second year with price increases less than 2% per Village of Downers Grove policy.

The highlighted sections on the bids represent the materials which the Village uses the most of with a bid of \$15,357.50 for these four items and a total bid of \$17,370.00 from Kieft Brothers, Inc. The bid came from Neenah Foundry with a bid of \$15,600.00 for the four highlighted areas and a total bid of \$17,145.00.

The Drainage Division realizes the 2003/2004 budget numbers are not firm at this time. We will make necessary adjustments and all purchases will be contingent upon budget approval.

ATTACHMENT:

Excel spreadsheet of bid proposals from:
Neenah Foundry, Co.
Kieft Brothers, Inc.

RECOMMENDATION:

Public Works recommendation to the Village Council to award contracts to Kieft Brothers, Inc. and Neenah Foundry Co., the manufacturer for all of the materials. Public Works will purchase individual low bid items from the applicable vendor. If approved, please forward to Arlene Balicki for placement on the agenda for the March 25, 2003 Council Workshop.

CC: Dave Van Vooren, Deputy Manager in charge of Finance and Administration
Trisha Steele, Assistant Director of Finance
Terri Tarka, Purchasing

**Construction Casting, Frames Grates
2003-2004**

	Estimated Quantity (each)	Description	Price Each 2002/2003	Extended Price 2002/2003	Price Each 2003/2004	Extended Price 2003/2004	Materials Village Uses
Neenah Foundry Company							
Amy Meintz	25	4340-B Type 8 B-Hive Grate	\$ 80.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 80.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
P.O. Box 729	100	2015 Open Grate - Type D	\$ 59.00	\$ 5,900.00	\$ 59.00	\$ 5,900.00	\$ 5,900.00
Neenah, WI 54957	5	4341-A Ditch Grate - Stool Type	\$ 109.00	\$ 545.00	\$ 109.00	\$ 545.00	
Phone # (920) 725-7000	50	1647-A 4" Manhole Frame	\$ 78.00	\$ 3,900.00	\$ 78.00	\$ 3,900.00	\$ 3,900.00
Fax# (920) 729-3661	50	1077-A 7" Manhole Frame	\$ 76.00	\$ 3,800.00	\$ 76.00	\$ 3,800.00	\$ 3,800.00
	5	1979-A1 2" Adjusting Ring	\$ 65.00	\$ 325.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 325.00	
	5	1979-A3 3" Adjusting Ring	\$ 85.00	\$ 425.00	\$ 85.00	\$ 425.00	
	5	59000265 Solid Platen Lid	\$ 50.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 250.00	
TOTAL				\$ 17,145.00		\$ 17,145.00	\$ 15,600.00
Cash discount terms: Net 30 days							
Kieft Brothers, Inc.							
Larry W. Kieft	25	4340-B Type 8 B-Hive Grate	\$ 80.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 81.50	\$ 2,037.50	\$ 2,037.50
837 S. Riverside Drive	100	2015 Open Grate - Type D	\$ 55.00	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 56.00	\$ 5,600.00	\$ 5,600.00
Elmhurst, IL 60126	5	4341-A Ditch Grate - Stool Type	\$ 140.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 142.50	\$ 712.50	
Phone # (630) 832-8090	50	1647-A 4" Manhole Frame	\$ 80.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 81.50	\$ 4,075.00	\$ 4,075.00
Fax # (630) 834-5765	50	1077-A 7" Manhole Frame	\$ 75.00	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 76.50	\$ 3,825.00	\$ 3,825.00
	5	1979-A1 2" Adjusting Ring	\$ 75.00	\$ 375.00	\$ 76.50	\$ 382.50	
	5	1979-A3 3" Adjusting Ring	\$ 85.00	\$ 425.00	\$ 86.50	\$ 432.50	
	5	59000265 Solid Platen Lid	\$ 60.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 61.00	\$ 305.00	
TOTAL				\$ 17,050.00		\$ 17,370.00	\$ 15,537.50
Cash discount terms: None							