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December 11, 2024

A-Team Recyclers, LLC
304 Gregory Court
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Attn: James Larkin

Re: Bid #2023 -58 – Turn Key & Permanent Electronics Recycling
Will County, Joliet, IL

Dear Mr. Larkin,

The Electronics Recycling – Turn-Key Collection bid for County of Will, is set to expire on February 28, 2025. Will County is in the position to exercise the second one (1) year renewal option as stated in the original solicitation documents.

The next contract period will be effective March 1, 2025 through and including February 28, 2026. The contract price will remain the same. The new contract period will require a continuation certificate for the existing performance bond, or the issuance of a new bond.

We look forward to a continued efficient and sound working relationship. If you have any questions, please contact our Purchasing Director, Kevin Lynn at klynn@willcountyillinois.com


Sincerely,

Jennifer Bertino-Tarrant
Will County Executive
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BID TABULATION FORM

DEPARTMENT: 2023-58 RESIDENTIAL ELECTRONICS COLLECTION – TURN KEY

DUE: 12-15-23, 2:00 PM OPENED: 12-15-23, 2:05 PM

BIDDER	BID DEPOSIT PRIME	TOTAL PRICE
A-Team Recyclers Joliet, IL 	BID DEP 10% Prime Cont <input checked="" type="radio"/> N Forms Signed <input checked="" type="radio"/> N	Standard Turn Key Event Weekday 5p-7p: \$ 720. ⁰⁰ Lockport Site Labor: \$ 550. ⁰⁰
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ALSO PRESENT: Keyin Lynn, 





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TO: Kevin Lynn, Purchasing Director
THROUGH: Dave Hartke, RR&E Director
FROM: Marta Keane, Recycling Program Specialist
DATE: January 17, 2023
RE: Electronic Recycling Collection Service for Turn-Key and Lockport Bid Award

Summary

Staff recommends acceptance of A-Team's bid for both the seven current Turn-Key Electronic Collection Events and the services required at the Lockport Permanent Collection Site. The estimated one-year total price of the current level of service is \$160,050. This cost is subject to continuing partnerships with host communities. Lastly, this bid includes Front-Door appointment collection of TVs for the same fee to participants of \$40 per television with up to seven non-TV electronics included at no additional charge. This fee has remained constant the past six years and gives those unable to bring large TVs to collection sites an affordable alternative.

History

In 2016, Will County partnered with the City of Lockport to host a permanent site with the promise of labor assistance to be open two days each week. This has been established at the County's anchor site, serving as a drop-off for units of local government when they handle illegally dumped TVs. It would not be appropriate for these large quantities to flow into the Turn-Key Collection Events.

The Turn-Key Events were created over the summer of 2016 to provide twice a month service for two hours per event. It began with Peotone, Romeoville and New Lenox Township. Joliet partnered with us to offer the service on a Will County parking lot in the downtown. Channahon and Wilmington were added to offer services as broadly as possible. When Joliet ceased, Frankfort Township opened, Romeoville ceased operation in mid-2019 and was replaced with Bolingbrook Park District in 2020. Wilmington dropped to once a month in 2020 to allow Manhattan Township to take a slot in the rotation.

This approach to providing service has proven highly successful. Will County was the only County in Illinois to continuously provide electronic recycling during the 2020 COVID shut down. Illegal dumping has been greatly reduced as residents have found the program options satisfactory, especially when supported by several Saturday collection events each year.



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A-Team Recyclers has proved themselves responsible and professional, with each partnering site praising their work. They arrive early, are courteous and efficient in their interactions with our residents. They are also located within Will County which has made their response time excellent. This year's bid includes \$1,200 towards advertising our collections on social media, to supplement our posts and advertisements for one-day events.

Contract Cost Breakdown Based on Current Service Level

7 Turn-Key Sites, 5 offered twice each month, 2 offered once a month = \$107,250
Lockport Operation, open 5 hours per day, twice each week = \$52,800
TOTAL for one year = \$160,050 for one year (assuming a holiday or two annually)

Bidders

The bid was e-mailed to multiple vendors. It was placed on the purchasing internet site - www.willcountyillinois.com and on www.demandstar.com. One contractor submitted a bid.

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Evaluation/Recommendation

Several criteria were used to evaluate the qualifications and reliability of the contractor, including, but not limited to: length of time the contractor has been in business, compliance with regulations, experience with similar clients, references, demonstrated understanding of the bid documents, conformity with specifications, inclusion of mandatory forms (proof of insurance, etc), proximity to the sites, and price.

Staff recommends contracting with A-Team Recyclers for Electronic Recycling Service at all Turn-Key Collection Sites and the majority of the operation of the permanent Lockport Collection Site.