



**PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD MEETING
AGENDA ITEM**

**REGULAR MEETING
Wednesday, April 12, 2017**

SUBJECT

Bid Number 16-17, Liquid Carbon Dioxide

BACKGROUND

Liquid carbon dioxide is primarily used to reduce the pH levels in water, to neutralize the water after the high-lime treatment process at the Fred Hervey Water Reclamation Plant and to remove arsenic from three booster stations.

Previous Bid Information: Awarded on 04/04/14

Quantity: 3,000,000 lbs

Unit Price: .1115	Total Bid: \$334,500
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EVALUATION PROCESS

One bid was received from Reliant Gases. Staff evaluated the bid and determined that Reliant Gases meets all specifications set within the bid proposal and recommends award.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Sufficient funds are available in account numbers 7500- 680 and 7500-420, and the funding source is the Water and Sewer Fund.

PROPOSED ACTION REQUESTED

Award Bid Number 16-17, Liquid Carbon Dioxide, to the sole responsive, responsible bidder, Reliant Gases LTD., in the estimated annual amount of \$375,300 with the option for two one-year extensions.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION PROVIDED

) Bid Tabulation

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TABULATION OF BIDS FOR: LIQUID CARBON DIOXIDE

BID OPENED: 11:00 A.M., LOCAL TIME, MARCH 6, 2017

BID NUMBER: 16-17

Prepared By: DL

Reviewed By: CR

Reviewed By: SC

Reviewed By: D.

Date: 3/10/17

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	PREV.BID AWARDED ON 04/04/14	QTY		RELIANT GASES, LTD. 10187 W. CR60 Midland, TX 79707
1.	Liquid Carbon Dioxide (C02), Food Grade Quality with a Minimum Purity of 99.9% meeting the latest edition of American Water Works Association (AWWA) Specification B510 and all subsequent revisions and corrections.	\$0.1115	3,000,000	UNIT	\$0.1251
		\$334,500.00	LBS	TOTAL	\$375,300.00
	TOTAL BID	\$334,500.00			\$375,300.00
			Discount		RESIDENT BIDDER None
			Payment Terms		NET 30