

RESOLUTION 11-91

**A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE
OF MINI-HYDRAULIC EXCAVATOR FOR THE MS4
DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, the MS4 Department is in need of a Mini-Hydraulic Excavator; and

WHEREAS, the City of Spring Hill approved funding of Mini-Hydraulic Excavator in the 2011-2012 Capital Improvement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City of Spring Hill advertised and accepted proposals from qualified vendors on October 4, 2011; and

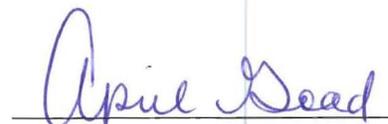
WHEREAS, Staff has submitted a recommendation to the Budget Finance Advisory Committee; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Spring Hill, Board of Mayor and Aldermen authorizes the purchase of a Mini-Hydraulic Excavator from Thompson Machinery in the amount of \$52,216.49, as recommended by the Budget Finance Advisory Committee on October 10, 2011.

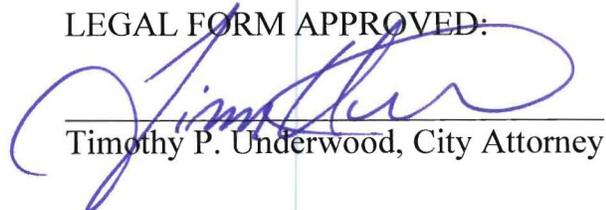
Passed and adopted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Spring Hill, Tennessee on the 17th day of October, 2011.


Michael Dinwiddie, Mayor

ATTEST:


April Goad, City Recorder

LEGAL FORM APPROVED:


Timothy P. Underwood, City Attorney

**SUMMARY OF BIDS
CITY OF SPRING HILL
Mini Hydraulic Excavator
Tuesday, October 4, 2011, 3:00 P.M.**

The City of Spring Hill conducted a Bid Opening on the above referenced project. Acceptance of bids closed at 3:00 p.m. City Staff present were: Stephen Warf, Stormwater Dept.; Debbie Loveless, Accounts Payable; and April Goad, City Recorder. Also present were representatives from bidding companies. April Goad opened bids and read results as tabulated below. Bidders were advised that the results would be reviewed by Staff and recommendation sent to the Budget Finance Advisory Committee. Bidders were invited to attend all City Meetings regarding this bid. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen will consider proposals on Monday, October 17, 2011, at 7:00 p.m. Bid Opening concluded at 3:19 p.m.

| | <i>Equipment</i> | <i>Model</i> | <i>Bid Amount</i> |
|---|------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Bobcat of Nashville Nashville, TN | Bobcat | E-35 | \$ 37,936.59 |
| | Bobcat | E-42 | \$ 40,336.10 |
| Diamond Equipment Co, Inc LaVergne, TN | Case | CX50B | \$ 58,682.00 |
| Ditchwitch of Tennessee LaVergne, TN | Kubota | U45 | \$ 51,667.00 |
| Murfreesboro Kubota LLC Murfreesboro, TN | Kubota | U45 | \$ 59,206.00 |
| Nashville Tractor & Equipment Nashville, TN | Kobelco | 50SR | \$ 64,340.00 |
| Scott Equipment Company LaVergne, TN | Volvo | ECR48C | \$ 59,704.00 |
| Thompson Machinery LaVergne, TN | Caterpillar | 304D CR | \$ 52,216.49 |

CERTIFICATION:

State of Tennessee
Maury County
City of Spring Hill

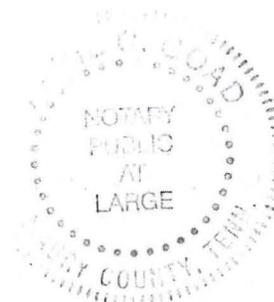
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Description: Bid Summary - Mini-Hydraulic Excavator

This, the 4th day of October, 2011.

April C. Goad

April C. Goad, Notary Public
City Recorder, City of Spring Hill



My Commission Expires: June 19, 2012

Spring Hill

MS4 Storm Water Department

199 Town Center Parkway, P. O. Box 789
Spring Hill, Tennessee 37174

6 October 2011

MS4 Mini Hydraulic Excavator

MS4 Department Recommendation

After review of all bid documentation the MS4 Department makes the following recommendations. Recommendations are in order of suggested preference.

Pros and cons are listed with each bid recommendation below where there are any.

All of these will perform the required service needed for the MS4. One is not recommended.

- 1) Thompson Machinery – Caterpillar 304D CR \$52,216.49 – test drove
41 Horse Power/ meets all specs/zero tail overhang/ better for operation in close residential quarters/ ease of operator maintenance/ less than \$1000 difference in price of Kubota/ preferred buy
- 2) Ditchwitch of Tennessee – Kubota U45 \$51,667.00 – test drove
40.5 Horse Power/ meets all specs/ zero tail overhang/ better for operation in close residential quarters /good price
- 3) Diamond Equipment – Case CX50B \$58,682 – did not test drive
39.8 Horse Power/ Meets all specs/ zero tail overhang/ better for operation in close residential quarters / higher price
- 4) Bobcat of Nashville – Two bids from this company for two different sizes of equipment. One is not recommended due to Horse Power rating.

Bobcat E-42 \$40,336.10 – did not test drive
41.8 Horse Power/Conventional tail swing not as good at 16.9 inches over tracks during operation. This is something to consider in close residential quarters. Larger working footprint

Bobcat E-35 \$37,936.59 – did not test drive
31 Horse Power/ zero tail overhang /Concerned with performance due to horsepower. Not in same class as other equipment bid./ is the lowest bid/ will likely perform most but possibly not all needed functions./ this one is not recommended
- 5) Scott Equipment – Volvo ECR48C \$59,704.00 – did not test drive
36 Horse Power/ zero tail overhang /less horsepower/higher price
- 6) Murfreesboro Kubota – U45 \$59,206.00 – test drove
Same equipment model as number 2 recommendation above/ higher price
- 7) Nashville Tractor and Equipment – Kobelco 50SR \$64,340.00 – did not test drive
39.3 Horse Power/ zero tail overhang/ highest bid

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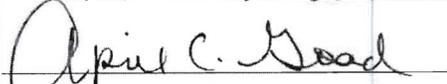
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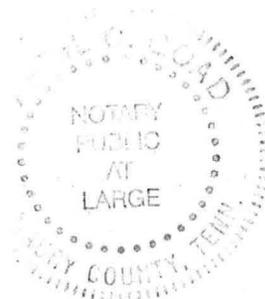
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