

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 96

Approved February 23, 2023

RESOLVED, That the Members of the Providence City Council hereby Authorize Approval of the following Contract Award by the Board of Contract and Supply, in accordance with Section 21-26(b)(1) of the Code of Ordinances.

CDM Smith Inc.
(Water Supply Board)

\$9,195,000.00

IN CITY COUNCIL
FEB 16 2023
READ AND PASSED


RACHEL M. MILLER, PRESIDENT

CLERK

I HEREBY APPROVE.


Mayor

Date: 2/23/2023



OFFICE OF THE INTERNAL AUDITOR
City of Providence

January 25, 2023

Ms. Tina Mastroianni
City Clerk's Office
City of Providence
25 Dorrance Street
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Tina:

I am writing to request that the following requested contract awards be submitted to the City Council and the Finance Committee for approval:

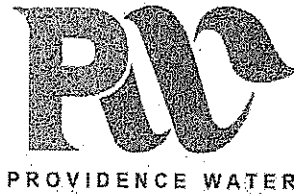
- **Water Supply Board:**
 - Award to **CDM Smith Inc** for "Program manager – Accelerated Lead Service Line Replacement" for an amount not to exceed **\$9,195,000** in accordance with the Code of Ordinances, Section 21-26 (b) (1);

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gina M. Costa".

Gina M. Costa
Internal Auditor

Cc: Jonathon Martin, Acting Director of Public Property
Ricky Caruolo, General Manager, WSB
Alejandro Tirado, Director of Purchasing
James J. Lombardi, III, City Treasurer



January 17, 2023

The Honorable Brett Smiley
Chairman, Board of Contract and Supply
City Hall, 25 Dorrance Street
Providence, RI 02903

RE: Program Manager – Accelerated Lead Service Line Replacement

MinuteTraq ID#: 38741
Account Code: 848-000-18894 and 880-000-18894

Minority Participation: 21.6% MBE, 0% WBE

Dear Mayor Smiley,

DATE OF BID OPENING: December 19, 2022.

RECOMMENDED BIDDER:
CDM Smith Inc.
3 Davol Square, Building A-425
Providence, RI 02903

TOTAL AMOUNT RECOMMENDED: Total amount of the contract not to exceed \$9,195,000.00 over a 2-year period (February 1, 2023, through December 31, 2024) with the option to negotiate pricing and extend the contract for an additional 3 years.

In response to our request for proposal regarding the above entitled, our department received the following bid:

	VENDOR NAME	Bids
1.	CDM Smith Inc..	\$9,195,000.00

On the basis of said bids, we recommend the sole bidder, as identified on LINE 1, whose bids have met the specifications.

For the purpose of said bids, we recommend the vendor identified on LINE 1. While we do appreciate low bidder requests of the bid, we will not award the bid to the lowest bidder. See the Language in Bids.

On the basis of said bids, we recommend vendor, as identified on LINE 1, as the lowest bidder. We will not award the bid to the lowest bidder. See the Language in Bids.

Additional documentation to support the decision for this award is attached to this letter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ricky Caruolo,
General Manager

Nancy Garrison
Financial Approval

Department Subject Matter Expert: Peter Lepage, Director of Engineering

By signing, the subject matter expert certifies the following: That the recommended vendor is the lowest, qualified bidder with regards to the corresponding specifications. That all bids corresponding to this award were reviewed for completeness and that the recommended bidder's submission is inclusive of all required documents.