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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR BOARD MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2016

COMMITTEE ON PROCUREMENT

Mr. David St. Pierre, Executive Director

Authority to award Contract 16-023-11, Furnish and Deliver Laboratory Chemicals to Various Locations for a One (1) Year Period, to Fisher Scientific Company, LLC, in an amount not to exceed \$82,177.31, Account 101-20000-623570

Dear Sir:

On June 16, 2016, the Board of Commissioners authorized the Director of Procurement and Materials Management to advertise for bids, Contract 16-023-11 furnish and deliver laboratory chemicals to various locations for a one (1) year period, beginning approximately October 1, 2016 and ending September 30, 2017.

In response to a public advertisement of June 29, 2016, a bid opening was held on July 19, 2016. The bid tabulation for this contract is:

FISHER SCIENTIFIC COMPANY, LLC	*\$82,177.31
SPECTRUM CHEMICAL MANUFACTURING CORP.	\$177,293.61
*corrected total	

Three hundred twenty (320) companies were notified of the contract being advertised and nineteen (19) companies requested specifications.

Fisher Scientific Company, LLC, the lowest responsible bidder, is proposing to perform the contract in accordance with the specifications. The estimated cost for this contract was \$84,000.00, placing the total bid of \$82,177.31 approximately 2.2 percent below the estimate.

The Multi-Project Labor Agreement (MPLA) is not applicable to this contract because it is primarily a furnish and deliver contract.

The Affirmative Action Ordinance, Revised Appendix D is not included in this contract because it is primarily a furnish and deliver contract.

In view of the foregoing, it is recommended that the Director of Procurement and Materials Management be authorized to award Contract 16-023-11, to Fisher Scientific Company, LLC, in an amount not to exceed \$82,177.31.

Purchase orders will be issued when material is required. Payment will be based on the unit cost as indicated in the contract documents. There was no bid deposit required for this contract. Funds are available in Account 101-20000-623570.

Recommended, Darlene A. LoCascio, Director of Procurement and Materials Management, DAL:SEB:CD:dp

Respectfully Submitted, Barbara J. McGowan, Chairman Committee on Procurement
Disposition of this agenda item will be documented in the official Regular Board Meeting Minutes of the Board of Commissioners for September 1, 2016

Attachment