



# Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago

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Chicago, IL 60611

## Legislation Text

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### **TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR BOARD MEETING OF JANUARY 7, 2010**

#### COMMITTEE ON PROCUREMENT

Mr. Richard Lanyon, Executive Director

Report on rejection of proposals for 09-RFP-04, Strategic Communications Services, Tasks 1, 2, 3 and 5, estimated cost \$450,000.00

Dear Sir:

On January 21, 2009, the request for proposals for Strategic Communications Services, Tasks 1, 2, 3 and 5, was advertised and proposals were received on March 6, 2009. The following proposers submitted a response for consideration:

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS INC.  
MK COMMUNICATIONS  
A. LAVELLE CONSULTING SERVICES, LLC  
VALERIE DENNEY COMMUNICATIONS  
HILL & KNOWLTON, INC.  
CULTURAL COMMUNICATIONS, LLC  
LOPEZ-MARTIN & ASSOCIATES, INC.  
HODGE SCHINDLER INTEGRATED COMMUNICATIONS  
DIMEO & COMPANY  
CAROLYN GRISKO & ASSOCIATES INC.  
FLOWERS COMMUNICATIONS GROUP  
JELL CREATIVE  
FULL CIRCLE COMMUNICATIONS, INC.  
DORI WILSON & ASSOCIATES, INC.  
EDELMAN  
FLEISHMAN HILLARD

Ninety-seven (97) companies were notified of this request for proposal (RFP) and eighty-one (81) companies requested proposal documents.

The funds for this contract have been deleted from the 2010 budget. Therefore, the bids are rejected in the public's best interest. The Director of Procurement and Materials Management has informed Public Communications Inc., MK Communications A. Lavelle Consulting Services, LLC, Valerie Denney Communications, Hill & Knowlton, Inc., Cultural Communications, LLC, Lopez-Martin & Associates, Inc., Hodge Schindler Integrated Communications, Dimeo & Company, Carolyn Grisko & Associates Inc., Flowers Communications Group, Jell Creative, Full Circle Communications, Inc., Dori Wilson & Associates, Inc., Edelman, and Fleishman Hillard, of this action.

Respectfully Submitted, Darlene, A. LoCascio, Director of Procurement and Materials Management  
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