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CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

| Date: | March 14, 2023 |
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| То: | Mark F. Miller, City Manager |
| From: | Robert J. Bruner, Assistant City Manager Rob Maleszyk, Chief Financial Officer Dee Ann Irby, Controller Kyle Vieth, Financial Compliance Manager Emily Frontera, Purchasing Manager |
| Subject: | Standard Purchasing Resolution 8 – Best Value Award - Audit Services |

<u>History</u>

On April 18, 2005, Troy City Council approved and awarded a contract to The Rehmann Group to perform Audit Services for the City of Troy for a three-year term with an option to renew for three additional years. (Resolution #2005-04-182). Since that time, the contract has been unanimously extended by City Council through 2022 and The Rehmann Group has been providing independent audit services to the City since 2005. Under the guidance of financial leadership and the addition of new grant funding, it has been determined that it is in the best interest of the City to issue a Request for Proposal for Audit Services.

Purchasing

- January 30, 2023 a Request for Proposal was issued and posted on Bidnet Direct/MITN website; <u>www.bidnetdirect.com//city-of-troy-mi</u>.
- February 23, 2023 a bid opening was conducted and Proposals were received as required by City Charter and Code for Financial Audit Services. The names only of firms submitting a proposal were publicly read aloud. Below is a summary of potential firms.

| Companies notified via MITN | 239 | | | | | |
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| Troy Companies notified via MITN | | | | | | |
| Troy Companies - Active email Notification | | | | | | |
| Troy Companies - Active Free | | | | | | |
| Companies that viewed the bid | 16 | | | | | |
| Troy Companies that viewed the bid | 1 | | | | | |

<u>MITN</u> provides a resourceful online platform to streamline the procurement process, reduce costs, and make it easier and more transparent for vendors to do business with the City of Troy. <u>Active MITN</u> members with a current membership and paying annual dues receive automatic electronic notification which allows instant access to Bids, RFPS and Quote opportunities with the City. <u>Active MITN non-paying members</u> are responsible to monitor and check the MITN website for opportunities to do business with the City. <u>Inactive MITN member</u> status can occur when a company does not renew their account upon expiration. Inactive members cannot be notified of solicitations or access any bid information.

- Four (4) Proposal responses were received:
 - Clark Schaefer Hackett
 - Plante Moran
 - Rehman Robson LLC
 - Yeo & Yeo, P.C.

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- Qualifying conditions of the Audit firms was:
 - o Qualifications and Experience of Firm & Personnel
 - Technical Qualifications
 - Financial Strength and Capacity of Firm
 - Correlation of proposal to meet the needs to the City
 - Work Plan and Project Approach
 - Positive references specifically relating to local government Audit Services
 - o Cost
- Scoring criteria was as follows:

| Scoring and Selection | Points |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Proposal Score | 45% |
| Price Score | 25% |
| Interview Score | 30% |
| TOTAL POINTS | 100% |

- Three (3) Committee Members reviewed and evaluated the proposals. The Committee Members were as follows:
 - o Rob Maleszyk, Chief Financial Officer
 - Dee Ann Irby, Controller
 - o Kyle Vieth, Financial Compliance Manager
- Based on the Firms' qualifying conditions and scores for proposal and price; the top three (3) Companies were interviewed by the Selection Committee on Tuesday, March 7, 2023:
 - o Plante & Moran, PLLC
 - o Rehmann Robson, LLC
 - Yeo & Yeo, P.C.
- The best value approach leading to the award recommendation is based upon the vendor offering the best combination of factors. The Selection Committee independently evaluated proposals using a weighted criterion, scripted interview questions and pricing. After completing the evaluation process Yeo & Yeo, P.C. received the highest weighted score rating. Accordingly, it is the recommendation of the Committee to award the audit services contract to Yeo & Yeo, P.C.
- Yeo & Yeo was founded in 1923 and currently has 29 Principals, 200 plus Team Members and offices across Michigan.
- Yeo & Yeo has a dedicated governmental team separate from schools and is able to meet the City's required timeline.
- Yeo & Yeo bases the audit process on a Lean Six Sigma method providing a structured workflow for greater efficiency. The Lean Six Sigma process provides added value by improving the City's processes and applying concepts for continuous improvements after the audit engagement.
- Yeo & Yeo ensures a smooth transition by effectively communicating with the City, providing staff for pre-audit/interim work in May and June, and having a proven track record with several peer communities.
- Yeo & Yeo received positive references.



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Recommendation

City Management recommends awarding a three (3) year contract with an option to renew for two additional years to provide financial audit services for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2023, 2024 and 2025 to Yeo & Yeo of Auburn Hills, MI, the highest overall scoring firm as a result of a best value process, at prices contained in the attached bid tabulation and respective fee schedule.

CITY OF TROY TABULATION FINANCIAL AUDIT SERVICES

| VENDO | R NAME: | Clark Schaefer Hackett | | | | | Plante Moran | | | | | |
|--|------------------|---------------------------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|--------------------|--|-------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--|
| | | Eas | st Lansing | I, MI | | Detroit, MI | | | | | | |
| PROPOSAL: FINANCIAL AUDIT SEF | RVICES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PROPOSAL PRICING: TOTAL AL | L-INCLUSI | VE ANNU | AL FEES | | | | | | | | | |
| MAXIMUM ESTIMATED HOURS | | | 1 | 1 | | YEAR | ENDED | | | | | |
| | | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 (Optional) | 2027 (Optional) | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 (Optional) | 2027 (Optional) | |
| Partners | | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 75 | 55 | 55 | 55 | 55 | |
| Managers | | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 125 | 95 | 95 | 95 | 95 | |
| Supervisory Staff | | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 210 | 175 | 175 | 175 | 175 | |
| Staff | | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 415 | 350 | 350 | 350 | 350 | |
| MAXIMUM ESTIMATED HOURS: | | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | 825 | 675 | 675 | 675 | 675 | |
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| ALL-INCLUSIVE MAXIMUM FEES | | Audit, ACFR Prep & Reporting | | | Single Audit | | Audit, ACFR Prep & Reporting | | | Single Audit | | |
| YEAR ENDED: 2 | 023 | \$65,000 | | | \$6,000 | | \$119,000 | | | \$15,000 | | |
| 20 | 024 | \$68,250 | | \$6,500 | | \$123,000 | | | \$15,500 | | | |
| 20 | 025 | \$71,750 | | | \$7,000 | | \$127,500 | | | \$16,000 | | |
| ТОТА | LS: | \$205,000 | | | \$19,500 | | \$369,500 | | | \$46,500 | | |
| TOTAL ALL-INCLUSIVE MAXIMU | M FEES: | | | \$224,500 | | | \$416,000 | | | | | |
| Optional Additional Years: | | | | | T | | | | | 1 | | |
| YEAR ENDED: 2026 | | \$75,500 | | | \$7,500 | | \$132,000 | | | \$16,600 | | |
| 2027 | | \$79,250 | | | \$8,000 | | \$137,000 | | \$17,200 | | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL YEARS: | | | | \$170,250 | | | 2023 | 2024 | \$302,800 2025 | 2024 | 2025 | |
| | | | | | | | \$10,000* | - | | - | | |
| | | | | | | | * Amount s | pecified is | for each ad | d'l program | | |
| REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL CONTENT: A. Cover Sheet Y or N | | Y | | | | | Y | | | | | |
| B. Table of Content | Y or N | | | Y | | | Y | | | | | |
| C. Organization Information | Y or N | Y | | | | | | Y | | | | |
| D. Qualifications and Experience | | Y | | | | | | Ŷ | | | | |
| E. Work Plan | Y or N | | Y | | | | Y | | | | | |
| F. Project Approach | Y or N | | | | | | Y | | | | | |
| G. References | Y or N | | | | | | Y | | | | | |
| INSURANCE CAN BE MET: | Y or N | | | | | | Y | | | | | |
| INDEMNIFICATION FORM: | Y | | | | | Y | | | | | | |
| PAYMENT TERMS: | Y or N Y or N | | | | ed | | Progress payments on basis of work con | | | npleted | | |
| EXCEPTIONS: | Y or N | | | | | | None | | | | - | |
| ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: | Y or N | | | | | | Y | | | | | |
| REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL PRICING: Y or N | | Ŷ | | | | | Y | | | | | |
| FORMS: | Y or N | | | Y | | | | | Y | | | |
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 Rob Maleszyk

 Dee Ann Irby

 Kyle Vieth

 Andrew Chambliss

 Jodi Kolakowski

Emily Frontera Purchasing Manager

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| VEI | | Rehm | on LLC | Yeo & Yeo CPAs & Advisors | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------------|--|
| | | | Troy, MI | | | Auburn Hills, MI | | | | | | |
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| MAXIMUM ESTIMATED HOURS | | | [| | [| | ENDED | | | | | |
| | | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 (Optional) | 2027 (Optional) | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 (Optional) | 2027 (Optional) | |
| Partners | | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | |
| Managers | | 110 | 110 | 110 | 110 | 110 | 80 | 60 | 50 | 50 | 50 | |
| Supervisory Staff | | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 100 | 90 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| Staff | | 180 | 180 | 180 | 180 | 180 | 220 | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | |
| MAXIMUM ESTIMATED HOURS: | | 410 | 410 | 410 | 410 | 410 | 420 | 370 | 370 | 370 | 370 | |
| ALL-INCLUSIVE MAXIMUM FEES | | Audi | t, ACFR Pi Reporting | - | Single | Single Audit | | Audit, ACFR Prep & Reporting | | | Audit | |
| YEAR ENDED: | 2023 | \$69,000 | | \$7, | \$7,000 | | \$70,000 | | \$6,000 | | | |
| | 2024 | \$72,500 | | | \$7,400 | | \$72,500 | | | \$6,300 | | |
| | 2025 | \$76,100 | | | \$7,800 | | \$75,000 | | | \$6,600 | | |
| т | OTALS: | | \$217,600 | | \$22,200 | | \$217,500 | | | \$18,900 | | |
| TOTAL ALL-INCLUSIVE MAXI | MUM FEES: | | | \$239,800 | | \$236,400 | | | | | | |
| Optional Additional Years: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| YEAR ENDED: 2026 | | \$69,000 | | | \$7,000 | | \$77,500 | | | \$6,900 | | |
| | 2027 | | \$72,500 | | \$7,400 | | \$80,000 | | | \$7,200 | | |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL YEARS: | | | | \$155,900 | | \$171,600 | | | | | | |
| | 2023 \$4,000* | 2024 | 2025 | + | | | | | | | | |
| | | \$4,200* pecified is | \$4,400* for CSLFRF | | | | | | | | | |
| REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL COM A. Cover Sheet | NTENT: Y or N | | | Y | | | | | | | | |
| B. Table of Content | Y or N | | | Y | | | Y | | | | | |
| C. Organization Information | Y or N | | | Y | | | Y | | | | | |
| D. Qualifications and Experie | ence Y or N | | | Y | | | Y | | | | | |
| E. Work Plan | Y or N | | | Y | | | Y | | | | | |
| F. Project Approach | Y or N | | | Y | | | Y | | | | | |
| G. References | Y or N | | | Y | | | Y | | | | | |
| INSURANCE CAN BE MET: | Y or N | | | Y | | | Not Specified | | | | | |
| INDEMNIFICATION FORM: | Y or N | | | Ν | | | N | | | | | |
| PAYMENT TERMS: | Y or N | Not Specified | | | | | Invoices payable on presentation | | | | | |
| EXCEPTIONS: | Y or N | | | None | | | None | | | | | |
| ACKNOWLEDGEMENT: | | | Y | | Y | | | | | | | |
| REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL PRIC | | Y | | | | | Y | | | | | |
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March 14, 2023

Emily Frontera, Purchasing Manager City of Troy 500 West Big Beaver Road Troy, MI 48084

Dear Ms. Frontera:

Last week the City of Troy interviewed the audit team from Yeo & Yeo pursuant to the City's RFP for financial auditing services dated January 30, 2023. We were pleased to be invited to interview with the City and we thought it went well. During this interview, we were asked to provide pricing for additional services that the City may request.

Additional services are typically priced based on standard hourly rates for the number of hours anticipated on a given project. Hourly rates vary by experience level and typically increase 3-5% each year. Following is our rate schedule for 2023:

Principal - \$443/hr Supervisor - \$366/hr Manager – \$294/hr Senior - \$216/hr Staff - \$170/hr

Again, thank you for the opportunity and should you have any questions feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Alan Panter

Alan Panter, CPA, CGFM Principal