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CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

Date:	March 14, 2023
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					
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					
		Y										



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