

**PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION  
ACTION REQUEST FORM**

**TO:** Timothy L. Bryant, CEO/General Manager

**DATE:** September 26, 2024

**FROM:** Candice Kirtz, Director of Supply Chain

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**ACTION REQUESTED:** Approve the purchase award for the 2025 Galvanized Steel Transmission Pole Contract (PWC2425020)

**BID/PROJECT NAME:** 2025 Galvanized Steel Transmission Pole Contract

**BID DATE:** September 17, 2024

**DEPARTMENT:** Warehouse

**BUDGET INFORMATION:** Warehouse Inventory

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**CONFORMING BIDDERS**

TransAmerican Power Products, Inc, Houston, TX  
MVA Power Inc., Montreal, QC

**TOTAL PRICE**

\$1,146,202.00  
\$1,215,728.90

**NON-CONFORMING BIDDERS**

Meyer Utility Structures, LLC, Memphis, NC  
M.D. Henry Co., Inc., Pelham, AL  
Grid Structures, Amite City, LA  
Valmont, Valley, NE

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**AWARD RECOMMENDED TO:** TransAmerican Power Products, Inc

**BASIS OF AWARD:** Lowest responsive, responsible bidder and in the best interests of PWC.

**COMMENTS:** The bid notice was advertised through our usual channels on August 21, 2024, with a bid opening date of September 17, 2024. Bids were solicited from thirteen (13) vendors and six (6) bids were received.

The PWC Warehouse and Electric Systems Engineering Departments request the rejection of bids that are non-conforming to the specified bid requirements.

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**ACTION BY COMMISSION**

**APPROVED** \_\_\_\_\_ **REJECTED** \_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**ACTION BY COUNCIL**

**APPROVED** \_\_\_\_\_ **REJECTED** \_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**BID HISTORY**  
**2025 GALVANIZED STEEL**  
**TRANSMISSION POLE**  
**CONTRACT**  
**BID DATE: September 17, 2024**

**Advertisement**

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| 1. | PWC Website | 8/21/24 through 9/17/24 |
| 2. | Addendum 1  | 8/28/24                 |
| 3. | Addendum 2  | 9/5/24                  |

**List of Prospective Bidders Notified of Bid**

1. Preferred Sales Agency, LTD, Kannapolis, NC
2. Valmont Industries, Omaha, NE
3. Border States Electric, Greenville, SC
4. Stuart Irby, Johnson City, TN
5. Wesco Distribution, Clayton, NC
6. TransAmerican Power Products, Inc, Houston, TX
7. Sabre Industries, Alvarado, TX
8. Rohn Tower, Peoria, IL
9. Utility Specialist Inc, Vestavia Hills, AL
10. Belfort Capital LLC, Louisville, OH
11. Southland Industrial Coatings/Grid Structures, Amite City, LA
12. Utility Service Agency Inc, Wake Forest, NC
13. Lekson Association Inc, Raleigh, NC

**PWC Procurement Mailing List- Registered vendors via the PWC website and Industry Day registrants. (approximately 2000+ contacts)**

**Small Business Administration Programs:**

Small Business Administration Regional Office (SBA)  
NC Procurement & Technical Assistance Center (NCPTAC)  
Veterans Business Outreach Center (VBOC)  
Small Business Technology Center (SBTDC)  
Women's Business Center of Fayetteville (WBC)

**Local Business and Community Programs**

FSU Construction Resource Office (FSUCRO)  
FSU Economic Development Administration Program (FSUEDA)  
FSU Career Pathways Initiative  
NAACP, Fayetteville Branch  
FTCC Small Business Center (SBC)  
Greater Fayetteville Chamber, RFP posting submitted  
Hope Mills Chamber  
Spring Lake Chamber  
Hoke Chamber  
Fayetteville Business & Professional League (FBPL)

**State Business and Community Programs**

NC Institute of Minority Economic Development (The Institute) Durham, NC

NAACP, State Branch Raleigh, NC  
National Utility Contracting Association- NC Chapter (NUCA)  
Durham Chapter of the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC)  
South Atlantic Region of National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC)  
The Hispanic Contractors Association of the Carolinas (HCAC)  
United Minority Contractors of North Carolina  
International Women in Transportation- Triangle Chapter

**Media**

Fayetteville Observer  
WIDU, AM1600  
IBronco Radio at FSU  
Fayetteville Press News  
Up & Coming Weekly  
Bladen Journal  
Greater Fayetteville Business Journal

**MWDBE / SLS Participation**

TransAmerican Power Products, Inc. is not a small local or certified North Carolina MWDBE business. They intend to self-perform the contract and its entirety.