



CITY OF HOUSTON - CITY COUNCIL

Meeting Date: 10/21/2025

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Item Creation Date: 6/30/2025

ITB 2025-0007 - Replacement of Pneumatic Ejector System - (Valmark Energy LLC.) - MOTION

Agenda Item#: 12.

Summary:

VALMARK ENERGY LLC for Replacement of a Pneumatic Injector System for Houston Public Works - \$167,705.22 - Enterprise Fund

Background:

Formal Bids received May 8, 2025, for ITB-2025-0007 - Approve an award to Valmark Energy LLC, in the total amount of \$167,705.22, for the replacement of a Pneumatic Injector System for Houston Public Works.

Specific Explanation:

The Chief Procurement Officer and the Director of Houston Public Works (HPW) recommend that City Council approve an award to **Valmark Energy, LLC.**, in the total amount of **\$167,705.22** to remove, furnish, and install one (1) pneumatic injector system for HPW.

The scope of work requires the contractor to provide the specified equipment, labor, supervision, appurtenances, and resources needed to remove, furnish, and install one (1) pneumatic injector system for HPW Drinking Water Operations. Pneumatic Injector Systems enable the efficient and controlled injection of chemicals, disinfectants, or other additives into water distribution systems, allowing accurate dosing of chemicals based on flow rates. This is a one-time purchase.

The project was advertised in accordance with the requirements of the State of Texas bid laws, and as a result, twelve (12) bids were received.

<u>Company</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>
1. Valmark Energy, LLC.	\$167,705.22 (Lowest responsive bid)
2. Truly Safe, Inc.	\$22,500.00 (Non-responsive)

M/WBE Subcontracting:

The ITB was advertised with a 2% goal for M/WBE participation. Valmark Energy LLC. has designated the companies below as its certified M/WBE subcontractors.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Type of Work</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
ICJ Logistics, LLC	Logistics and transportation	2.0%
TOTAL		2.0%

Pay or Play Program:

The proposed contract requires compliance with the City's Pay or Play ordinance regarding health benefits for employees of City contractors. In this case, Valmark Energy LLC. will provide health benefits for some employees, but will pay into the Contractor Responsibility Fund for others in compliance with City policy.

Hire Houston First:

The proposed contract requires compliance with the City's 'Hire Houston First' (HHF) ordinance that promotes economic opportunity for Houston businesses and supports job creation. In this case, Valmark Energy LLC. is a designated HHF company, but they were the successful awardee without application of the HHF preference.

Fiscal Note:

Funding for this item is included in the FY2026 Adopted Budget. Therefore, no Fiscal Note is required as stated in the Financial Policies.

Jedediah Greenfield
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Strategic Procurement Division

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Director
Houston Public Works

ESTIMATED SPENDING AUTHORITY

Department	FY26	Out-Years	Total Amount
Houston Public Works	\$167,705.22	\$0.00	\$167,705.22

Amount and Source of Funding:

\$167,705.22 – Combined Utility System General Purpose Fund (8305)

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ATTACHMENTS:

Description	Type
ITB 2025-0007 Signature Page	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 - Bid Tabulation	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 Conflict of Interest	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 Form 1295	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 - Ownership Form	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 Tax Report	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 Insurance forms	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 - AM Best Ratings	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 OBO - Contract Specific Request	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 MWBE Participation	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 - Letters of Intent	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 - POP Forms	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 Final COF	Financial Information
ITB 2025-0007 HHF	Backup Material
ITB 2025-0007 TXSOS Form	Backup Material
Funding Verification	Financial Information