MINUTES OF THE ALTERNATIVE WASTE DISPOSAL RFP REVIEW/SELECTION COMMITTEE MEETING

July 01, 2024

The Committee meeting was scheduled for 12:00PM in SPSA's second floor conference room at the Regional Building, 723 Woodlake Drive, Chesapeake, VA, 23320.

In Attendance:

Tom Leahy, Committee Chairman Brett Spain, Counsel

Richard Broad, Committee Member Brad Nowak, Counsel

Michael Etheridge, Committee Member Bob Gardner, Consultant

Dennis Bagley, Committee Member Angie Hutchins, Advisory Support

Henry Strickland, Committee Member Deborah White, Committee Secretary

Electronic Participation:

Kevin Cosgrove, Counsel (until 1:01PM)

1. Call Meeting to Order

Tom Leahy, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 12:06PM.

2. Review and Approve Committee Meeting Minutes

June 10, 2024, Minutes

The Chairman asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the Committee Meeting held on June 10, 2024; Richard Broad moved, seconded by Henry Strickland. The motion passed by vote of Committee Members (4-0-1) with Michael Etheridge abstaining because he did not attend the meeting on June 10, 2024.

3. Closed Session

The Chairman read a proposed motion to approve request for closed session:

I move that a closed session be held for discussions regarding proposals received in response to the RFP issued by SPSA for Solid Waste Disposal Services in accordance with (a) Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711(A)(29) for the purpose of considering the negotiation and award of a public contract involving the expenditure of public funds, where discussion in an open session would adversely affect the bargaining position or negotiating strategy of the public body; and (b) Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711(A)(8) for the purpose of consulting with legal counsel regarding specific legal matters requiring the provision of legal advice by such counsel.

Michael Etheridge moved, seconded by Dennis Bagley, to approve the closed session motion as presented.

Roll Call:

Tom Leahy – YES
Richard Broad – YES
Michael Etheridge – YES
Dennis Bagley – YES
Henry Strickland – YES

The motion passed by unanimous roll call vote of Committee Members (5-0-0). The Committee went into closed session at 12:09PM.

The Committee returned to open session at 2:43PM, at which time the Chairman read a proposed motion to approve certification after closed session:

The Alternative Waste Disposal RFP Review Committee hereby certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge: (a) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements by Virginia law under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and (b) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed meeting were heard, discussed or considered in the closed meeting just concluded.

Henry Strickland moved, seconded by Michael Etheridge, to approve certification after closed session as presented.

Roll Call:

Tom Leahy – YES
Richard Broad – YES
Michael Etheridge – YES
Dennis Bagley – YES
Henry Strickland – YES

The motion passed by unanimous roll call vote of Committee Members (5-0-0).

5. Additional Business

No additional business.

6. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 2:44PM.

Minutes Approved As Presented.

Thomas Leahy, Chairman

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Date