



DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASING AND CONTRACTS

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DATE: 09/18/25

TO: Joe Goulart, Contracting Agent II

FROM: Kerry Jones, Project Manager

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award Bid No. 25-C01101/JG
Project Name: Hernando County Utilities Department Admin Generator and Electrical Upgrades

The attached bid received from Peak Power Services, Inc for the above referenced project/solicitation is submitted for your review, evaluation, and award recommendation. In accordance with the Hernando County Ordinance No. 93.16, Section 2-105 (6) and Purchasing and Contracts Department Policies and Procedures Manual, Procedure No. 130F, Paragraph 3. (D), Policy 140I, Paragraph 2(H), please complete items 2 through 6 and return this award recommendation form with your technical evaluation attached, approved by your department director/manager.

1. Total Contract Bid Price is: \$1,235,305.92
2. Reference checks are satisfactory: ☒ YES ☐ NO
If no, provide an explanation using the space provided below and/or attached to this form.
3. Recommend award as responsive and responsible bidder ☒ YES ☐ NO
If no, provide a detailed explanation using the space provided below and/or attached to this form.
4. Request Next Bidder? ☐ YES ☒ NO
5. Provide a statement that addresses the reason(s) for your recommendation or rejection. Include your basis for determining that pricing is fair and reasonable and that the Bidder has the ability and resources to perform in accordance with the bid terms, conditions and scope.

After reviewing and contacting the listed references, HCUD recommends that Peak Power Services can handle this project - HCUD Admin Generator & LED conversion work. Peak Power has done numerous other jobs of this scale and scope.

6. Provide the funding information: Fund 4111 Dept 07091 Account 5626501

Recommendation Approved By: [Signature]

Date: 9-18-25

Department Director/Manager

Enclosure

[Signature]

TECHNICAL EVALUATION FOR BID AWARD

ITB# 25-C01101/JG

Hernando County Utilities Department Admin Generator and Electrical Upgrades

This document has been developed to facilitate your evaluation. Your evaluation should be limited to the attached. **Purchasing will ensure that all documents required by the solicitation are contained for evaluation. This documentation will be included with the bid submitted for evaluation. Bids that are determined non-responsive by the Purchasing Division will not be submitted to you for evaluation.** Please note that you should focus your attention on the areas contained within this document. Your evaluation will be a major consideration as to the responsiveness and/or responsibility of a bidder.

- A. Is the amount of the bid reasonable and realistic for the services to be performed or the item or equipment to be purchased?

We HCUD (Hernando County Utilities Department) believe that Peak Power Services submitted an accurate bid. The submitted bid was within 10% of the budgeted amount.

- B. Was an independent County estimate developed prior to soliciting for the procurement?

Yes, the county did an in-house cost estimate for this project, it came in at \$1,150,000.

- C. Do the resources (manpower, equipment, supplies, etc.) proposed by the bidder meet the minimum requirements, if any, established by the solicitation?

After reviewing bid documents and references for similar jobs peak power services should have the manpower, equipment, and knowledge to complete this project on time and to our satisfaction.

TECHNICAL EVALUATION FOR BID AWARD

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D. Does the bidder have a satisfactory record of performance?

Three references were checked from the reference list that were supplied by the contractor. The references that were selected are close in scope to our project. After speaking with the references, they mentioned Peak Power Services was professional, and that they turned over quality workmanship within scope and timeframe.

E. Provide your overall recommendation on the Recommendation for Award Form.

HCUDs recommendation is that Peak Power is qualified for the project being bid on. They have completed numerous other county projects of this size and scope.

REFERENCE

Reference For (Firm/Company): Peak Power Servies Inc. _____

Company & Person Completing Reference: (Company & First and Last Name of Person Completing this Form):

Company Name: Pineellas County

First Name, Last Name: John Neal

PHONE #: 727-582-3038 Email: Ja.neal@pineellas.gov

1. Describe the work contracted to firm/company.

EV charging Stations across the County.

2. Was the work completed on time?

Yes

3. Were you satisfied with the final results?

Yes

4. Did you implement their recommendations?

Yes

5. Did you encounter any problems?

Yes, but they overcame them

6. How would you rate the company on a scale of 1 to 5 (low to high) on the following:

Professionalism	<u>5</u>
Qualifications	<u>5</u>
Final Product	<u>5</u>
Cooperation	<u>5</u>
Reliability	<u>5</u>

7. Would you contract with this company again?

Yes

X

No

Maybe

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Reference checked by:

Kerrey J. [Signature]

Date:

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REFERENCE

Reference For (Firm/Company): Peak Power Servies Inc. _____

Company & Person Completing Reference: (Company & First and Last Name of Person Completing this Form):

Company Name: AMP COMMUNICATIONS

First Name, Last Name: Kenton Wallace

PHONE #: 678-763-3247 Email: K.wallace@ampcommunications.com

1. Describe the work contracted to firm/company.

EV charging Stations at Yngling factory

2. Was the work completed on time?

Yes

3. Were you satisfied with the final results?

Yes

4. Did you implement their recommendations?

Yes

5. Did you encounter any problems?

No

6. How would you rate the company on a scale of 1 to 5 (low to high) on the following:

Professionalism	<u>5</u>
Qualifications	<u>5</u>
Final Product	<u>5</u>
Cooperation	<u>5</u>
Reliability	<u>5</u>

7. Would you contract with this company again?

Yes ☒ No ☐ Maybe ☐

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W. J. J. J. J.

Date: 9/17/25

REFERENCE

Reference For (Firm/Company): Peak Power Servies Inc. _____

Company & Person Completing Reference: (Company & First and Last Name of Person Completing this Form):

Company Name: I Heart Media

First Name, Last Name: Mel Davis

PHONE #: 412-736-6525 Email: MelDavis@iheartmedia.com

1. Describe the work contracted to firm/company.

Swapped out a generator and fuel tank

2. Was the work completed on time?

Still ongoing

3. Were you satisfied with the final results?

Yes

4. Did you implement their recommendations?

Yes

5. Did you encounter any problems?

No

6. How would you rate the company on a scale of 1 to 5 (low to high) on the following:

Professionalism 4

Qualifications 4

Final Product 4

Cooperation 4

Reliability 4

7. Would you contract with this company again?

Yes ☒ No ☐ Maybe ☐

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Reference checked by:

Kerry Gamm

Date: 9/17/25