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**Wastewater Department**

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Subject: Lugger truck bid.

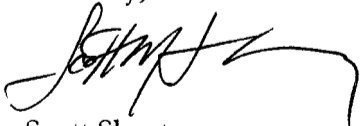
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Bid opening for the Wastewater Departments new Lugger truck was conducted Friday April 18, 2008. We will be accepting the bid by Jack Doheny Supplies for a total of \$159,750.00. This bid was an alternate bid provided by Jack Doheny Supplies. Jack Doheny Supplies was the sole bidder on this vehicle. They bid two different chassis, Sterling and a Peterbilt. The Peterbilt chassis is the one I recommend on purchasing.

There are several reasons why this chassis is preferred. Firstly, I had wanted the Peterbilt chassis to begin with, but the salesman did not know if it would fit into our budget restraints. Since it did come in under what was budgeted it would be the preferred purchase. Quality and durability lead the list of reasons. The Peterbilt has an average life expectance of 15 –17 years. The Sterling averages out at 10 years. The Peterbilt has an all aluminum cab versus a steel cab on the Sterling. The turn radius on the Peterbilt is better than the Sterling, which would benefit our loading and dumping procedures. On a final note, Peterbilt has been the number one rated Vocational truck for several years running by JD Powers.

If there are any questions feel free to contact me at 440-237-5010 ext. 20.

Cordially,



Scott Shantery  
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