

**BOARD OF BIDS AND CONTRACTS JANUARY 15, 2009**

**3. FIRE HOSE -- SEDGWICK COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT #1**

**FUNDING -- FIRE DEPARTMENT**

(Request for Bid sent to twenty-eight vendors)

RFB 08-0307

Description	Weis Fire & Safety Equipment Co, Inc	<b>Danko Emergency Equipment Co</b>	Conrad Fire Equipment Option 1	Conrad Fire Equipment Option 2	ED M. Feld Equipment Co, Inc	JP Bushnell	Emergency Fire Equipment Co	<b>Municipal Emergency Services</b>
1. 1-1/2" Fire Hose with Couplings, 50 ft sections	no bid	<b>\$109.38</b>	\$145.00	\$155.00	\$151.36	\$117.22	\$141.00	\$116.00
Brand / Model#		<b>National / N-Dura</b>	North American / Dura - Built	Angus / Premier	Angus / Premier	Snaptite / NP15X50B1 5NLE	Angus Premier / 011058-BL	Firequip / DJ800
2. 1-3/4" Fire Hose with Couplings, 50 ft sections		\$129.90	\$165.00	\$175.00	\$166.00	\$139.83	\$154.00	<b>\$128.00</b>
Brand / Model#		National / N-Dura	North American / Dura - Built	Angus / Premier	Angus / Premier	Snaptite / NP17X50Y1 5NLE	Angus Premier / 011059-YL	<b>Firequip / DJ800</b>
3. 2-1/2" Fire Hose with Couplings, 50 ft sections		<b>\$170.94</b>	\$225.00	\$232.00	\$225.00	\$185.05	\$204.00	\$188.00
Brand / Model#		<b>National / N-Dura</b>	North American / Dura - Built	Angus / Premier	Angus / Premier	Snaptite / NP25X50025 NLE	Angus Premier / 011060-OR	Firequip / DJ800
4. 3" Fire Hose with Couplings, 50 ft sections		<b>\$231.42</b>	\$295.00	\$310.00	\$302.00	\$251.69	\$272.00	\$238.00
Brand / Model#		<b>National / N-Dura</b>	North American / Dura - Built	Angus / Premier	Angus / Premier	Snaptite / NP30X50Y2 5NLE	Angus Premier / 011061-YL	Firequip / DJ800
5. 5" Fire Hose with Couplings, 100 ft sections		\$549.67	\$655.00	\$655.00	\$679.00	\$664.62	\$592.00	<b>\$535.00</b>
Brand / Model#		Snaptite / HFX	Angus / High Vol	Angus / High Vol	Angus / High Vol LD4	Snaptite / HFX50X100 Y50SLE	Angus Premier / 011045-YL	<b>Firequip / Hydro Flow</b>
Acknowledge Addendum		N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y

On the recommendation of Dallas Shaffer, on behalf of the Sedgwick County Fire District #1, Anne Smarsh moved to **accept the low bid for lines 1, 3 & 4 to Danko Emergency Equipment Co. and lines 2 and 5 to Municipal Emergency Services and to establish contract pricing for one (1) year with two (2) one (1) year options to renew.** Jennifer Dombaugh seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

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Question was asked why the bid is split instead of taking low overall bid. By taking low bid on each item, this ensures that the fire district is paying the lowest price for each item regardless of volume. This purchase has a limited number of different items to manage and fire district has indicated they can manage multiple contracts and inventories. The fire district has also established standards for fire hose and connectors and the brands offered in this bid process all meet the established standards, which is part of the consideration in evaluating bids prior to recommendation.

The addendum issued retracted a statement that male and female couplings were needed on the Storz style sexless couplings (item #5). There are no male and female couplings on this type of equipment.