

NOTICE OF AWARD
Water Treatment Chemicals
(Bid Opening Date: March 11, 2009)

Recommended Action - Award Purchase Contracts for Water Treatment Chemicals to the recommended lowest responsible and responsive bidders.

Water treatment chemicals were bid in accordance with the Authority's Procurement Policy. Bids were opened on March 11, 2009.

Staff recommends the Authority Board of Directors award contracts to the lowest responsible and responsive bidders as listed below at the Authority Board meeting on April 1, 2009. Bid tabulation is attached.

*Bid Item No. 6 Powder Activated Carbon requires performance testing to determine the effective cost based on specific performance factors for the Peace River Facility. This testing has been completed. Carbon test results and performance evaluation is attached.

Bid Item	Recommended Bidder	Chemical	Unit Cost
No. 1	C&S Chemicals, Inc	Aluminum Sulfate	\$294.98 per ton
No. 2	Airgas Specialty Products, Inc.	Aqua Ammonia	\$0.6022 per gallon
No. 3	KED Group, Inc.	Coagulant Aid	\$1.30 per pound
No. 4	Chemrite, Inc.	Copper Sulfate	\$1.38 per pound
No. 5	Thatcher Chemical of Florida	Potassium Permanganate	\$2.5650 per pound
No. 6	Calgon Carbon Corporation	Powder Activated Carbon*	\$1,416.00 per ton
No. 7	Brenntag Mid-South, Inc.	Sodium Hydroxide	\$616.00 per ton
No. 8	Allied Universal Corporation	Sodium Hypochlorite	\$0.729 per gallon

Failure to file a protect within the time prescribed in section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or failure to post the bond or other security required by law within the time allowed for filing a bond shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under chapter 120, Florida Statutes.

Posted: March 25, 2009

Peace River Manasota Regional Water Supply Authority
Water Treatment Chemicals
2009 Bid Tabulation

Company	Item No. 1 Aluminum Sulfate (\$/ton)	Item No. 2 Aqua Ammonia (\$/gal)	Item No. 3 Coagulant Aid (\$/lb)	Item No. 4 Copper Sulfate (\$/lb)	Item No. 5 Potassium Permanganate (\$/lb)	Item No. 6 Powder Act'd Carbon (\$/ton)	Item No. 7 Sodium Hydroxide (\$/dry ton)	Item No. 8 Sodium Hypochlorite (\$/gal)
Airgas Specialty Products, Inc.		0.6022					705.46	0.729
Allied Universal Corporation							715.78	
Basic Chemical Solutions, LLC							616.00	
Brenntag Mid-South, Inc.								
C&S Chemicals, Inc.	294.98							
Calgon Carbon Corporation						1,416.00		
Chemrite, Inc.				1.38				
Ciba Corporation			1.695					
Fort Bend Services, Inc.			1.53					
Jacobi Carbon Inc.						1,380.00		
KED Group, Inc.			1.30					
Kemira Water - NO BID								
Leachem Industries, Inc.			1.699					
MWV Specialty Chemicals (Nuchar MWC)						1,380.00		
MWV Specialty Chemicals (Aqua Nuchar)						1,420.00		
Norit Americas, Inc.						1,460.00		0.81
Odyssey Manufacturing Co.								
Polydyne, Inc. - NO BID								
Thatcher Chemical of Florida			1.673	1.73	2.5650		776.2294	
Univar USA, Inc. - NO BID								

Note: Entities submitting bids in accordance with the bid documents are listed above.

Bolded area indicates recommended lowest responsible and responsive bid to be recommended to the Authority Board for award of contract on April 1, 2009.

Carbon Test Results and Performance Evaluation

March

2009

Sample Number	PAC Company	PAC Dose	Per-Formance Factor	Bid Cost	Effective Cost
PR-5	Calgon WPH-M	32.5	1	\$1,416.00	\$1,416.00
PR-4	MWC 437-R-08	34.75	1.07	\$1,380.00	\$1,476.60
PR-2	A Nuchar	75.25	2.31	\$1,420.00	\$3,280.20
PR-3	Jacobi Aqua Sorb c-500	76.25	2.35	\$1,380.00	\$3,243.00
PR-1	Norit Hydrodarco B	95.9	2.9	\$1,460.00	\$4,234.00