City of **JOPLIN** City Council Agenda Item

Requested Council Meeting Date: March 21, 2016

Item: COUNCIL BILL NO. 2016-113
Originating Department: PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Attachments:
1) Exhibit A - Invitation for Bids; IFB #200-2016
2) Exhibit B - Bid Submittal of Allied Services, LLC d/b/a Republic Services of Galena
3) Council Bill 2016-113

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Recommended Action: Accepting the bid of Allied Services, LLC d/b/a Republic Services of Galena to provide disposal services of bulky items, limbs/brush and tires at a local transfer station.

Background: On April 1, 2004, the City started the residential trash franchise, which included a City-subsidized transfer station bulky items drop off portion, and signed an agreement with American Disposal, now known as Republic Services. There were many extensions and amendments to the agreement including changes to the transfer station portion. The current Republic Services agreement that includes the transfer station portion (Ordinance No. 2010-180) will expire on March 31, 2016. In order to make the November 2015 request for proposal for Solid Waste Collection Services (RFP #101-2016) fair to all proponents, the transfer station portion was omitted from the requirements. The City of Joplin published an Invitation for Bids (IFB #200-2016) to provide disposal services of bulky items, limbs/brush and tires at a local transfer station on February 21, 2016.

Discussion: On March 10, 2016 two bids were received from Allied Services, LLC d/b/a Republic Services of Galena, one responsive and the other not responsive to the Invitation for Bids. The non-responsive bid excluded the requirement to have the transfer station open at least four (4) hours on Saturdays.

This Council Bill accepts the responsive bid of Allied Services, LLC d/b/a Republic Services of Galena for authorized residents to deliver directly to the transfer station up to 2,000 pounds of bulky items, limited quantities of construction/demolition debris, brush and tree limbs, and tires. The Invitation for Bids stipulated that the City shall compensate the transfer station an amount equal to one-half of the bid price for the itemized services, and the remaining half shall be collected from the resident delivering waste to the transfer station. Services will begin April 1, 2016.

The bid shall be valid for a period of three years, with an option for two additional one year extensions at the discretion of the City. The City reserves the right to modify and amend the terms and conditions of the bid throughout the term upon written authorization of both the City and Allied Services. Unit prices shall be permitted to escalate no more than 1% per year. City pays half and the resident pays half of the pricing listed below:

Bulky Items:	
Car or pick-up truck	$20.00 per load
Trailer less than 8 feet in length	$20.00 per load
Trailer 8 feet or more in length	$26.00 per load
Tires – with a limit of 5 per vehicle, per trip	$ 9.00 per tire
Limbs and Brush:	
Car or pick-up truck of limbs and/or brush	$34.00 per load
Trailer less than 8 feet in length	$34.00 per load
Trailer 8 feet or more in length	$48.00 per load

Days and Hours of Operation will be: (exclusive of certain holidays)

Monday thru Thursday: 8:00 AM till 2:30 PM (closed from 11:30 till 12:00 for lunch)
Saturday: 8:00 AM till 12:00 (noon)

Recommendation: Staff recommends approval of Council Bill 2016-113 on an emergency basis in accordance with Section 2.12 (1) of the Joplin City Charter, in that said ordinance provides for the protection and preservation of the public health of the community by ensuring the uninterrupted disposal of bulky items, limbs/brush, and tires thereby minimizing the proliferation of vermin and unsanitary conditions within the community.