

**E** Environment Committee  
Meeting date: October 9, 2012  
For the Council Meeting of October 10, 2012

ADVISORY INFORMATION	
<b>Date:</b>	September 17, 2012
<b>Subject:</b>	Authorization to Award and Execute Contract 12P016 for Solids Waste Disposal services at the Metropolitan Wastewater Treatment Plant
<b>District(s), Member(s):</b>	All
<b>Policy/Legal Reference:</b>	Council Policy 3-3 Expenditures – Procurement of Goods and Services Over \$250,000
<b>Staff Prepared/Presented:</b>	Jim Schmidt, 651-602-8335 Micky Gutzmann, 651-602-1741
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**Proposed Action**

That the Metropolitan Council authorize the Regional Administrator to award and execute a two-year contract (12P016), with an option to extend for one year, with Veit Container Corporation to provide solids waste disposal services at the Metropolitan Wastewater Treatment Plant (MWWTP) beginning November 1, 2012 through October 31, 2014, in an amount not to exceed \$750,000.

**Background**

The MWWTP requires solid waste disposal services on a continuous basis. These services include; transportation and disposal fees for trash, screening, grit, incinerator brick & sand, purafil & scrubber media, concrete & construction debris and other miscellaneous materials.

A formal Invitation for Bids was issued on July 10, 2012 and responses were obtained from four vendors on August 8, 2012. The bids ranged from \$749,651.80 to \$1,162,524.23 and the lowest responsive, responsible bidder was Veit Container Corporation.

**Rationale**

The current contract for these services will end in October 2012.

**Funding**

Funds are available in the annual operating budget of the MWWTP.

**Known Support / Opposition**

Contract is supported by the MCES General Manager and Director of Maintenance/None