

PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES COMMITTEE

09-0087R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CITY OFFICIALS TO CONTRACT WITH VIKING ELECTRIC SUPPLY, INC., FOR DOWNTOWN, CANAL PARK AND FITGER'S BREWERY COMPLEX AREA STREET LIGHT POLE BASES AND PARTS, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$30,198.75.

CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that city officials are hereby authorized to contract with Viking Electric Supply, Inc., for the purchase and delivery of street light pole bases and parts for the Downtown, Canal Park and Fitger's Brewery complex areas in accordance with city specifications and the vendor's quote of \$28,355.63 plus sales tax of \$1,843.12, for a total of \$30,198.75, terms net 30, FOB destination, payable from the Street Lighting Utility Fund 550, Agency 120, Object 5580.

Approved for presentation to council:

Chief Administrative Officer/
Department Director
Purchasing Agent _____

Approved as to form:

Approved:

Attorney

Auditor

SLU/PRCH DS:le 09/29/2009

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution renews an existing contract with Viking Electric Supply, Inc., for street light pole bases and parts for Downtown Duluth, Canal Park and Fitger's Brewery complex areas in the amount of \$30,198.75, payable from the street lighting utility fund.

The light poles and bases match those already in place on city streets. These are high-quality reproductions which are significantly less costly than the originals and provide the same appearance and functionality.

Viking Electric Supply, Inc., is a sole source vendor for Dynamic Lighting, the manufacturer of the light poles. Viking has produced all necessary casting molds exclusively for the city of Duluth and retains the molds for future limited production runs.

Requisition No. 09-0106