

PURCHASING & LICENSING COMMITTEE

13-0014R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RENEWAL OF AN ANNUAL CONTRACT WITH ARAMARK UNIFORM SERVICES, INC., FOR LAUNDRY SERVICES AND RENTAL OF UNIFORMS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS IN YEAR 2013 FOR AN ESTIMATED TOTAL \$81,650.

CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that the proper city officials are authorized to renew the annual contract with Aramark Uniform Services, Inc., the fourth year of a potential five-year contract, for laundry services and the rental of uniforms and other miscellaneous items in year 2013 for various city of Duluth users at various locations for an estimated total of \$81,650, terms net 30, pickup and delivery service, payable from various funds.

Approved:



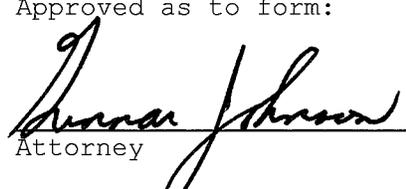
Department Director
Purchasing Agent 

Approved for presentation to council:



Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:



Attorney

Approved:



Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution authorizes the renewal of annual contract with Aramark Uniform Services, Inc., for laundry services and miscellaneous rentals/items in year 2013 for an estimated \$81,650. (This estimate is based on past usage and budget considerations.)

The original contract was for one year, with four possible one-year renewal options. The city is now in the fourth year of a potential five-year contract.

The purchasing division mailed requests for bids in December of 2009 to three local firms - Aramark Uniform Services, Inc., AmeriPride Services, and G & K

Services. The purchasing agent received bids from all three vendors, reviewed and compared fees, consulted various city users, and determined that Aramark provided the lowest bid for the city's needs.

Aramark Uniform Services, Inc., is located in Superior Wisconsin.

Requisition No. 13-0041