

Board of Light, Gas and Water Commissioners_{220 S. Main Street} Memphis, TN 38103

Board Meeting

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~ Preliminary Agenda ~

Thursday, October 17, 2013

1:30 PM

Board Room

INFORMATION FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC:

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Consent Agenda: Items shown under the Consent Agenda consists of items considered to be routine and non-controversial upon which the documentation provided to the Board is adequate to give sufficient information for approval without inquiry or discussion during the Board meeting. The use of the Consent Agenda is designed to minimize the time required for the handling of routine matters in order to permit additional time to be spent on more significant matters. The Chairman will call for approval on the Consent Agenda as a whole and the vote will be treated as a separate vote on each item. At the request of a Board member, the Chairman may move any item on the Consent Agenda to the Regular Agenda.

Regular Agenda: Item(s) to be individually considered for Board action.

Filed Items: The Board may be provided information which does not require Board approval or Board discussion but which is noted for the official record as having been supplied to the Board.

Resolutions: Generally, there are two types of resolutions subject to approval by the MLGW Board of Commissioners. Internal Board Resolutions are within the full authority of the Board and considered final upon the acceptance of the minutes of that board action. External Board Resolutions are subject to the approval of the City Council and are not considered final until the City Council accepts the minutes of their approval for such.

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CALL TO ORDER AND OPENING REMARKS: Chairman Wishnia

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Chairman Wishnia

ROLL CALL: <u>Dana Jeanes</u>

APPROVALS:

Minutes of Meeting of October 3, 2013.

CITY COUNCIL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS & UPDATE: Dana Jeanes

Receipt of Certified Copies of City Council Resolutions dated October 1, 2013, Items 7 through 11 and Items 13 through 25, approved by the Board on September 18, 2013.

PRESENTATIONS:

- 1. United Way and St. Jude Check Presentation <u>David Staggs</u>
- 2. United Way Presentation Von Goodloe/Ashley Campbell

GENERAL STATEMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

PRESIDENT'S BRIEFING:

1. Review of Consent Agenda - Jerry R. Collins, Jr.

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CONSENT AGENDA

(Items 1 through 14)

CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE DIVISION

 Resolution approving Change No. 3 to Contract No. 11416, Mobile Sweeping Cleaning, with Horizon of Memphis, Incorporated, in the funded amount of \$53,304.36. (This change renews the current contract for the third of four renewal terms covering the period March 1, 2014 to February 28, 2015, with no increase in rates from the previous year.) (Jozelle Booker) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)

- Resolution awarding a contract to Condux Tesmec, Inc., for the purchase of puller tensioners and winder trailers in the amount of \$704,073.52. (Jozelle Booker) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)
- 3. Resolution approving the rejection of bids received up to 4 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, August 20, 2013, for furnishing MLGW with one diesel powered, hydraulic wire puller/tensioner. (Jozelle Booker) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)

CUSTOMER CARE DIVISION

- 4. Resolution approving MLGW Customer Care Policy to be effective January 1, 2014. (Christopher Bieber)
- 5. Resolution approving Electric, Gas and Water Service Policy to be effective January 1, 2014. (Christopher Bieber)
- 6. Resolution approving Electric, Gas and Water Schedule of Charges to be effective January 1, 2014. (Christopher Bieber)
- 7. Resolution approving Resolution approving MLGW Incentive Policy to be effective January 1, 2014. (Christopher Bieber)

ENGINEERING & OPERATIONS DIVISION

- 8. Resolution awarding contracts for gas pipe and fittings, to Supply Line of Memphis, in the amount of \$127,268.00 and Consolidated Pipe and Supply, in the amount of \$50,880.00. (Jozelle Booker) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)
- Resolution awarding Contract No. 11625, Downtown Smart Grid to Ventyx, in the funded amount of \$860,834.00. (Jozelle Booker) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)

FINANCE DIVISION

- 10. Resolution approving Change No. 5 to Contract No. 11292, Cashiering System Replacement, with System Innovators, in the funded amount of \$320,876.00. (This change is for additional capabilities to the current Inovah System for the purpose of mail payment processing, credit card acceptance at Point of Sale (POS), and Project Inspire requirements in the funded amount of \$278,069.00. In addition, MLGW is also requesting annual support and maintenance due to this change in the funded amount of \$42,806.50. The term will remain through February 28, 2014. (Jozelle Booker) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)
- 11. Resolution approving the Budgets for the Electric, Gas and Water Divisions for the 2014 operation and maintenance expenses and the 2014 capital expenditures, and to approve revisions to the Water Rate Schedules; TVA FCA Electric Rate Schedule. The resolution also petitions the Memphis City Council to convene as a rate making body in a public hearing on November 19, 2013, and authorizes the President to publish a public notice of the intention of MLGW to seek approval from the Memphis City Council of the electric and water rate revisions. (Jerry R. Collins, Jr.) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)

GENERAL COUNSEL DIVISION

12. Resolution approving Change No. 6 to Contract No. 11279, Third Party Administrator for Workers' Compensation, with Brentwood Services Administrators, Incorporated, in the funded amount of \$125,000.00. (This change is to renew the current contract for the fifth of six renewal terms for the period covering January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014 with no increase in rates from the previous year.) (Jozelle Booker) (REQUIRES CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL)

HUMAN RESOURCES DIVISION

- 13. Resolution approving revised Human Resources Policy No. 21-09, Employment of MLGW Retirees. (Jerry R. Collins, Jr./Von Goodloe)
- 14. Resolution approving an amendment to the MLGW Health Care Plan, to incorporate those specific provisions, required by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act signed into law on March 23, 2010, as amended by the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010. This adds an additional minimum coverage option to the OAP Plan for active employees only. The option is valued at approximately 60% AV with premiums at 52% of standard OAP active Plan option. (Von Goodloe)

INFORMATION SERVICES DIVISION

(None)

PRESIDENT'S DIVISION

(None)

PRESIDENT'S BRIEFING (Continued):

2. Other - Jerry R. Collins, Jr.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

September 2013 HR Committee Report - Commissioner Darrell Cobbins

ADDITIONAL MEETINGS:

11:30 a.m. - Audit Committee Meeting - Room 511