Select Board Meeting Martin Memorial Hall 5259 US Rte 5, Ascutney VT SPECIAL Select Board Meeting Minutes DRAFT Monday November, 14, 2022 6:00 PM

Select Board Members Present: Paul Tillman Michael Todd Wendy Smith Kelly O'Brien arrived at 6:22 pm Brandon Gulnick, Town Manager

Selectboard Members Absent: David Fuller

Attendees: John Arrison

1.) Call to Order by Michael Todd, Chair 6:04 pm

2.) Vote to Award Bid from Brookfield Service for a Generator Installation



# **Providing Shelter from the Storm**

PO Box 47 Northfield, VT 05663 - Toll Free: 866-POWER-97

Kohler's Only Titanium Generator Dealer in Vermont

November 9, 2022

Town of Weathersfield Attn: Town Manager 5259 US-5 Weathersfield, VT 05030 802.230.5765 Townmanager@weathersfield.org

Brandon Gulnick,

Thanks for the opportunity to review your project. We are pleased to recap the following for your consideration.

Objective: RFQ for Standby Generator at Martin Memorial Hall

#### Martin Memorial Hall:

- Kohler professional generator model: 30kW RCL
  - Electronic Isochronous governor
  - Pro controller RDC2
  - Program and upload generator controller software.
    - 5 year warranty for parts, 2 years for repair service (includes emergency repair labor upgrade 24/7 coverage)\*
  - Full sound attenuated Aluminum housing model
  - Provide a battery for generator unit and install to charger and start leads
  - Dealer prep and testing at our shop
    - Convert Unit to Propane gas
    - Cold Climate Model
      - Convert engine to cold weather operation
      - Block heater
  - Install 12 Volt Heavy Duty Interstate Battery
  - Install an emergency E-Stop button (new code requirement)
  - Provide a new 400a ATS NON-service entry rated
  - Provide a pre-cast real cement Pad
  - Engineering Plans
  - Complete wiring of the generator system
  - Complete generator mechanical installation.
  - Trench electrical lines
  - Freight to your site
  - VT Electrical Permit and State Inspection
- Warranty required Kohler Dealer start up process, of generator, programming automatic transfer switch and a building load test:
  - \$28,164.00 30kW RCL model Kohler Dealer Pro model, installed per the scope of work above.

Alternate Price Kohler 20kW for Martin Memorial Hall:

- Kohler professional generator model: 20kW RCA
  - Electronic Isochronous governor
    - Pro controller RDC2
    - Program and upload generator controller software.
    - 5 year warranty for parts, 2 years for repair service
      - (includes emergency repair labor upgrade 24/7 coverage)\*
    - Full sound attenuated Aluminum housing model
    - Provide a battery for generator unit and install to charger and start leads
    - Dealer prep and testing at our shop
    - Convert Unit to Propane gas

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- Cold Climate Model
  - Convert engine to cold weather operation
  - Breather heater tube
  - Oil pan heater & Alternator brush cover
  - Install 12 Volt Heavy Duty Interstate Battery
- Install an emergency E-Stop button (new code requirement)
- Provide a new 400a ATS NON-service entry rated
- Provide a pre-cast real cement Pad
- Engineering Plans
- Complete wiring of the generator system
- Complete generator mechanical installation.
- Trench electrical lines
- Freight to your site
- VT Electrical Permit and State Inspection
- Warranty required Kohler Dealer start up process, of generator, programming automatic transfer switch and a building load test:

 \$15,228.00 - 20kW RCA model Kohler Dealer Pro model, installed per the scope of work above.

#### Other Notes:

- We are factory authorized/trained for service for the generators that we sell
- We are local

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- Customer is responsible to mark non-utility, electric, gas, cable and internet lines in the digging areas not covered by Dig Safe.
- Quote assumes current electrical system is in good working order. If repairs are needed on it, additional charges will occur.
  - They will automatically exercise for 20 minutes a week.
  - These generators are protected by their own breaker.
    - Delivery and install to be performed Spring/Summer 2023, weather permitting.
    - Brook Field Service provides 24-hour 7 day a week emergency service for our customers. We have the largest generator tech team in Vermont.
      Brook Field Service has a 40-year history of selling and servicing generators.
    - · We are Kohler's Only Vermont Titanium dealer.
    - Techs are factory trained and TQP certified by the State of VT for generators.
    - · Above quote is valid for 30 days from above date.

If you should have any questions or comments, please email or call at your earliest convenience.

### Best regards, Jim Brochhausen

Michael Todd made a motion to accept the bid from VT Power Technologies, LLC d.b.a Brook Field Service for a Kohler 30 kw RCL in the amount of \$28,164.00 and approve the funds from ARPA. Wendy Smith  $-2^{nd}$ 

Discussion:

Paul Tillman wanted to know why they only went with 30 kw RCL vs a larger one. It was determined that the 30 kw was large enough to run Martin Memorial Hall in the event of a power outage or emergency.

Kelly O'brien asked why there were 2 different amounts. One is for the total \$28,164 and the warrant is listed as \$20,100. The \$20,100 is for the purchase of the generator. The additional \$8,064 is for the installation.

Vote – Unanimous

David Fuller was absent for the vote

3.) Warrant

Paul Tillman made amotion to approve the warrant, report # 19568, dated 11-14-22 in the amount of \$20,100.00. Wendy Smith  $-2^{nd}$ No further discussion Vote -unanimous

4.) Adjourn

Paul Tillman made a motion to adjourn at 6:28 pm Wendy Smith – 2nd No Discussion Vote - Unanimous

Respectfully, Chauncie Tillman Recording Secretary

## WEATHERSFIELD SELECTBOARD

David Fuller, Vice-Chairperson

Kelly O'Brien, Clerk

Wendy Smith, Selector

Paul Tillman, Selector

Michael Todd, Chairperson