RESOLUTION

To Award Bid to Siemens Industry, Inc for Four (4) Circuit Breakers and to Southern States, LLC for Circuit Switchers and to Reject Bids for the Regulators and Power Transformers at a Cost not to Exceed \$283,742.00

WHEREAS, the City of Alexander City Light Department is in the process of building a new substation on Dadeville Road; and

WHEREAS, a variety of items are needed to complete this project; and WHEREAS, Stewart Engineering, Inc. is handling the bid documents for this project;

and

WHEREAS, specifications were submitted and placed on file with the City Clerk; and WHEREAS, funding will be paid from the Light and Power Capital Budget; and WHEREAS, the City of Alexander City has let bids for circuit breakers, circuit switchers, regulators and power transformers; and

WHEREAS, the invitation for bid was posted on February 28, 2024; and WHEREAS, three (3) bids were received for switchers, one (1) bid for circuit breakers, one (1) bid for regulators, and one (1) bid for transformers were opened and read in public on March 4, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the bids were submitted to the City Council of Alexander City at their March 18, 2024 meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Light Department would like to reject the bid for the regulators and the power transformers and advertise again for those bids; and

WHEREAS, Siemens Industry, Inc was the lowest responsible bidder for the circuit breakers at a cost of \$27,143.00 each plus needed spare parts at a cost of \$3,870.00; and

WHEREAS, S & C Electric was the lowest responsible bidder for the circuit switchers at a cost of \$85,258.17 each with an eighty-eight (88) to ninety (90) week delivery estimate; and

WHEREAS, Southern States, LLC was the second-lowest responsible bidder for the circuit switchers at a cost of \$85,650.00 each with a sixty-six (66) to sixty-eight (68) weeks delivery estimate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Alexander City hereby awards the bid for the circuit breakers to Siemens Industry, Inc and the circuit switchers to Southern States, LLC.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the bids for the regulators and power transformers are hereby rejected and will be advertised for bid again.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Alexander City that the mayor is hereby authorized to sign any contract or agreements as part of this bid.

ADOPTED THIS 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2024.

FOR PUBLIC RELEASE

By: Audrey "Buffy" Colvin, President Alexander City Council

AUTHENTICATED THIS 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 2024.

FOR PUBLIC RELEASE

City Clerk

APPROVED:

FOR PUBLIC RELEASE

Mayor

Yeas: Tapley, S. Hardy, E. Brown, Colvin, C. Brown, Keel

Nays: None