



PRICING QUOTATION

Date	Quote #
Jan. 29, 2020	129

TAKE A POWDER INC. DBA
Meter Products Co., Inc.

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Paterson, NJ 07501

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Requested By: City of Torrington

Officer Pisarski

TAX ID: 03-0381470

ITEM	QTY	PART #	Description	Unit Price	Total
1	166	Guardian	10 Hr max 12 Min Ea Quarter	\$60.00	\$ 9,960.00
2	45	Guardian	3 Hr max 12 Min Ea Quarter	\$60.00	\$ 2,700.00
			1 YEAR WARRANTY		
3	375	Rate change	convert meters on street to 12 min Quarter	\$5.00	\$ 1,875.00
Total					\$ 14,535.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR REQUEST FOR QUOTE / ESTIMATE

WE ARE PLEASE TO SUBMIT THE ABOVE FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

Valid through: December 30, 2020

Taxes: Extra if applicable

Terms: Net 30 days

. . . Section B Added to the Agenda

Mayor Carbone requested to add a Section B to agenda for purpose of authorizing the acquisition of new digital meters to replace the old mechanical meters. On a motion by Commissioner Bingham, seconded by Commissioner Conforti, the Board voted with four votes in favor and two opposed (Commissioners Benedetto and McLeod), to add Section B to the agenda.

Section B – New Digital Meters Approved

On a motion by Commissioner Conforti, seconded by Commissioner McElroy, the Board voted with five votes in favor and one opposed (Commissioner Benedetto), to waive the City's bid process and approve the purchase of parking meters from sole source vendor Take A Powder Inc. DBA Meter Products Co., Inc. in the sum of \$14,535, as presented in quote #129, contingent upon approval by the City Council and Board of Finance.

Commissioner Benedetto expressed his concerns about the cost of replacing parking meters and suggested eliminating the parking enforcement officer position. Mayor Carbone explained that the meters allow the City to collect additional revenue from tickets and Chief Baldwin explained that the parking enforcement officer helps businesses by preventing visitors from taking up preferred parking spots for extended periods of time. Commissioners McElroy, Battle, and McLeod expressed their support for purchasing the new equipment and Chief Baldwin stated that he would report on parking enforcement costs at the next meeting. Commissioner Benedetto suggested tabling the vote until the next meeting, but no other commissioners expressed interest. Lastly, Mayor Carbone suggested having a discussion at the next meeting on how to best use the revenue from parking meters to reinvest in the City...