



## Legislation Text

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**COUNCIL DISTRICT(S):** N/A  
**DEPARTMENT:** Office of Procurement Services

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### **SUBJECT**

Casting of lots to identify the recommended vendor resulting from tie bids between Premier Truck Group and Stewart & Stevenson Power Products, LLC on Group 37; between Premier Truck Group, Stewart & Stevenson Power Products, LLC, and Industrial Power, LLC on Group 215; between Premier Truck Group and Stewart & Stevenson Power Products, LLC on Group 217; between Premier Truck Group and Stewart & Stevenson Power Products, LLC on Group 218; and between Premier Truck Group and Stewart & Stevenson Power Products, LLC on Group 221 in response to bid BA22-00018004 for a five-year master agreement for the purchase of original equipment manufacturer parts

### **BACKGROUND**

When a request for bids results in identical bids where neither bidder is a resident of the City (or where both are residents), then the City is required to break the tie bids. This is known as the "casting of lots" under Section 271.901 of the Texas Local Government Code. The City breaks the tie by having the Mayor randomly select a sealed envelope containing a bidder's name during a City Council meeting. The selected bidder will be the winner of the contract, and the item to award the contract will be presented to the City Council during a voting agenda meeting.