

ORDINANCE NO. 2008.04**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A RESPONSIBLE BIDDER POLICY IN
THE CITY OF SYCAMORE, ILLINOIS**

WHEREAS, the City of Sycamore Code regulates purchases and contracts entered into by the City; and

WHEREAS, the City is desirous of expanding the definition of "responsible bidder," in the case of bidders for construction projects (construction of new facilities, renovation or current facilities or road construction projects) over \$25,000.00.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council for the City of Sycamore, Illinois that the following be added to Chapter 11, Section 1-11-11 of the City of Sycamore Code:

1-11-11: Responsible bidder for construction contracts means a bidder who meets all of the job specifications, the following applicable criteria, and submits evidence of such compliance:

1. All applicable laws prerequisite to doing business in Illinois.
2. Evidence of compliance with:
 - a. Federal Employer Tax Identification Number or Social Security Number (for individuals); and
 - b. Provision of Section 2000(e) of Chapter 21, Title 42 of the United States Code and Federal Executive Order No. 11246 as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 (known as the Equal Opportunity Employer provisions).
3. Certificates of insurance indicating the following coverages: general liability, workers' compensation, completed operations, automobile, hazardous occupation, product liability, and professional liability.
4. Compliance with all provision of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, including wages, medical and hospitalization insurance and retirement for those trades covered in the act.
5. The bidder and all bidder's sub-contractors must participate in active apprenticeship and training programs approved and registered with the United States Department of Labor's Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training for each of the trades of work contemplated under the awarded contract.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that nothing herein hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit of proceeding now pending in any court of any rights accrued or liability incurred or cause or causes of action accrued of existing under any prior Resolution or Ordinance. Nor shall any right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired, or affected by the Ordinance.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that this Ordinance amendment shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that the Clerk of this City of Sycamore is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this Ordinance amendment to the City of Sycamore Purchasing Director.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Sycamore and approved by the Mayor of said City this 19th day of May, 2008.

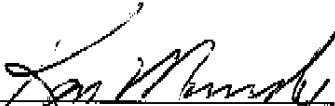
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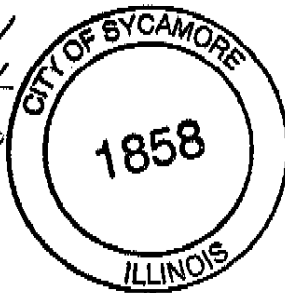
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Abstain: 0

APPROVED: May 19, 2008.

ATTEST:


MAYOR - Ken Mundy




CITY CLERK - Candy Smith