

## **DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL**

**REPORT TO:** Leisure, Arts and Communities Committee - 28 June 2010

**REPORT ON:** Tender for the supply of Fireworks Displays at Baxter Park and Lochee Park on 5 November 2010

**REPORT BY:** Director of Leisure and Communities

**REPORT NO:** 347-2010

### **1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1.1 To obtain Committee approval for the supply, delivery and firing of fireworks at Baxter Park and Lochee Park, Dundee.

### **2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1 The Committee is asked to recommend that the following offer from 21cc Fireworks Limited, Edinburgh of £24,928.80 is accepted (subject to references).

### **3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

3.1 The cost of £24,928.80 can be met from the Leisure and Communities 2010/2011 revenue budget.

### **4.0 MAIN TEXT**

4.1 Tender documents were sent to six specialist suppliers, all organisations are members of the British Pyrotechnic Association or the CBI Explosive Industry Group or equivalent. Offers were received from the following Companies:

- Blast Design Fireworks Limited, Coupar Angus, Perthshire
- Fully Fused Fireworks, Sheffield
- Highlight Pyrotechnics, Runcorn, Cheshire
- Nemesis Pyrotechnics Ltd, Sandbach
- Reaction Fireworks Ltd, County Durham
- 21cc Fireworks, Edinburgh

4.2 The Tenders were assessed on the basis of the economic advantages to the Council having regard to price, content and theme of the displays.

4.3 Four companies: Highlight Fireworks, Blast Design Fireworks, Fully Fused Fireworks and Nemesis Fireworks quoted £25,000 (all inclusive), Reaction Fireworks quoted £23,750. However they would require Leisure and Communities staff to assist with preparation at an estimate cost of £1,200 and 21cc Fireworks quoted £24,928.80.

Based on the tender evaluation criteria it is recommended that the submission from 21cc Fireworks, Edinburgh of £24,928.80 is accepted. This submission in addition to negating any storage issues in the city prior to the event offered an innovative theme.

### **5.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

This report has been screened for any policy implications in respect of Sustainability, Strategic Environmental Assessment, Anti-Poverty, Equality Impact Assessment and Risk Management.

There are no major issues.

## **6.0 CONSULTATION**

6.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services), Assistant Chief Executive and Director of Finance have been consulted on this report.

## **7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS**

7.1 None

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