



CITY OF CLEARWATER

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May 8, 2026

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

Public Utilities and the Procurement Division recommend award of ITB No. 23-26, Reverse Osmosis (RO) Plant Cartridge Filters, to Carolina Filters, Inc., Core and Main LP and Harrington Industrial Plastics, the lowest most responsible bidders, in accordance with the bid specifications, in the following categories:

- **Line 1: RO1 Primary Filter- Melt Blown Polypropylene Cartridge Filter (29.5–30" length, 1.1" ID, 2.5" OD $\pm 1/16$)**
 - Primary: Carolina Filters, Inc.
 - Secondary: Harrington Industrial Plastics
- **Line 2: RO2 Primary Filter – String Wound Polypropylene Cartridge Filter (39.5–40" length, 1.1" ID, 2.5" OD $\pm 1/16$)**
 - Primary: Harrington Industrial Plastics
 - Secondary: Core & Main, LP

The estimated annual amount is \$160,000.00, for the initial one (1) year term, with two (2), one (1) year renewal options.

This Award recommendation will be considered by the City Council at the June 1, 2026, Work Session (1:30 p.m.) and voted on at the June 4, 2026, Council Meeting (6:00 p.m.). These meetings are held at Clearwater Main Library, at 100 N. Osceola Ave., Clearwater, FL 33755.

Inquiries regarding this Intent to Award can be directed to the City's Procurement Analyst at (727) 444-8510, or mailed to City of Clearwater, Attn: Procurement Division, PO Box 4748, Clearwater, FL 33758-4748.

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