

**EKS&H**

**Ehrhardt  
Keefe  
Steiner &  
Hottman PC**

Certified Public Accountants  
and Consultants

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Purchasing Division  
City of Fort Collins  
256 West Mountain Avenue  
Fort Collins, CO 80521



To Whom It May Concern:

After careful consideration, we have decided not to submit a proposal (No. P-620) for a financial system for the City. It appears that your underlying requirement among all financial modules was the use of a relational database. FundWare® uses ISAM (Indexed Sequential Access Method) files which does not confirm to the data storage technology you are seeking.

Although we feel confident that FundWare® is extremely feature-rich, the software cannot meet this core requirement you have. In light of this deficiency, if you would like to have Ehrhardt Keefe Steiner & Hottman PC submit a proposal regarding FundWare®, we would be happy to do so.

If you have any questions regarding our decision or if we can provide other services to the City of Fort Collins in the software selection process, please call. Good luck in your selection process.

Sincerely,

Denice McFarland, CPA  
Quality Assurance Consultant

cc: Jacqueline Watt  
Director of Sales  
American Fundware, Inc.