



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, March 12, 2013

Council Session

Item G9

#2013-62 - Approving Bid Award for Handicap Ramp Project No. 2013-1

Staff Contact: Terry Brown, Interim Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Scott Griepenstroh, Public Works Project Manager

Meeting: March 12, 2013

Subject: Approving Bid Award for Handicap Ramp Project No. 2013-1

Item #'s: G-9

Presenter(s): Terry Brown, Interim Public Works Director

Background

On February 18, 2013 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for the construction of handicap ramps at various intersections in the City. The City is required to have a planned schedule for upgrading public sidewalk ramps to conform to American with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards. The current schedule and budget will bring the City into compliance in approximately 24 years.

Reconstruction of ramps is also required in conjunction with street resurfacing activities. Last year's resurfacing locations did not require reconstruction of sidewalk ramps, therefore in order to remain on schedule; sites near elementary schools were selected for improvement. Public sidewalk ramps will be reconstructed at Jefferson, Lincoln, Dodge, Wasmer and Gates Schools. The attached map shows the locations for this year's work.

Discussion

Two (2) bids were received and opened on March 5, 2013. The Engineering Division of the Public Works Department and the Purchasing Division of the City's Attorney's Office have reviewed the bids that were received. A summary of the bids is shown below.

Bidder	Exceptions	Bid Price
The Diamond Engineering Co. of Grand Island, NE	None	\$122,803.39
Galvan Construction, Inc. of Grand Island, NE	None	\$99,480.50

Funds are available in Account No. 10033503.85318 & 10033506.85351.

Alternatives

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Move to approve
2. Refer the issue to a Committee
3. Postpone the issue to future date
4. Take no action on the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the bid award to the low compliant bidder, Galvan Construction, Inc. of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$99,480.50.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the bid award.



Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: March 5, 2013 at 2:30 p.m.
FOR: Handicap Ramp Project 2013-1
DEPARTMENT: Public Works
ESTIMATE: \$135,000.00
FUND/ACCOUNT: 10033503-85318 & 10033506-85351
PUBLICATION DATE: February 18, 2013
NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 10

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>Galvan Construction, Inc.</u> Grand Island, NE	<u>The Diamond Engineering Co.</u> Grand Island, NE
Bid Security:	Cashier's Check	Universal Surety Co.
Exceptions:	None	None
Bid Price:		
Section A:	\$21,258.25	\$24,677.40
Section B:	\$26,434.00	\$31,810.75
Section C:	\$19,236.00	\$25,247.59
Section D:	\$17,863.25	\$23,216.15
Section E:	<u>\$14,689.00</u>	<u>\$17,851.50</u>
Total Bid:	\$99,480.50	\$122,803.39

cc: John Collins, Public Works Director
Mary Lou Brown, City Administrator

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.
Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

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RESOLUTION 2013-62

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Handicap Ramp Project Number 2013-1, according to plans and specifications on file with the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on March 5, 2013 bids were received, opened, and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Galvan Construction, Inc. of Grand Island, Nebraska submitted a bid in accordance with the terms of the advertisement of bids and plans and specifications and all other statutory requirements contained therein, such bid being in the amount of \$99,480.50; and

WHEREAS, Galvan Construction Inc.'s bid is less than the estimate for such project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Galvan Construction, Inc. of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$99,480.50 for Handicap Ramp Project No. 2013-1 is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute a contract with such contractor for such project on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, March 12, 2013.

Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
March 8, 2013	☐ City Attorney