

# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, March 11, 2014 Council Session

## Item G-13

#2014-50 - Approving Agreement for Engineering Construction Services Related to Webb Road Street Improvement District No. 1260; South Webb Road Extending North from Stolley Park Road to Union Pacific Railroad Tracks

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

## Council Agenda Memo

From: Terry Brown PE, Assistant Public Works Director

Meeting: March 11, 2014

Subject: Approving Agreement for Construction Engineering Services

Related to Webb Road Street Improvement District No. 1260; South Webb Road Extending North from Stolley Park Road to

Union Pacific Railroad Tracks

**Item #'s:** G-13

**Presenter(s):** John Collins PE, Public Works Director

## **Background**

Street Improvement District No. 1260 was created by the City Council on February 12, 2013. Legal notice of the creation of the District was published in the Grand Island Independent on February 18, 2013. A notification letter of the district creation was also mailed to all affected property owners.

The District consists of South Webb Road extending north from Stolley Park Road to the Union Pacific Railroad tracks. The project consists of widening the roadway from 24' to 41' for a 3-lane section with improved drainage and elimination of the ditch section. This project is currently estimated at \$1.7 million and would be assessed to adjacent property owners. Depending on the method of assessments, City owned property is estimated to range from \$962,159 to \$1,188,000.

On April 9, 2013, by Resolution No. 2013-107 City Council approved the continuation of such street improvement district.

The Engineering Division put together a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) solicitation package for eight (8) of the 2014 Capital Improvement Projects (CIP). The consultants had the option to submit for as many or as few of the projects they felt their firm was qualified for. The request was for design and construction engineering services to be started by the end of the 2014 construction season for the selected projects. Each project was evaluated on the predetermined criteria (detailed in the RFQ) and will be awarded to the consultant that scores the best on that particular project, regardless of the consultant's qualifications on another project.

- Project 1 Westgate Industrial Park Drainage District No. 2013-D-4
- Project 2 Blaine Street Bridge Replacements; Project No. 2014-B-1
- Project 3 Husker Highway Sanitary Tap District No. 531T
- Project 4 Heartland Shoot Park Paving Improvements; Project No. 2014-HPSP-1
- Project 5 Traffic Signal Faidley Ave. & Diers Ave. Intersection; Project No. 2014-TS-1

- Project 6 Faidley Ave. Paving Improvements (2,000 ft. connect to North Road); Project No. 2014-P-1
- Project 7 CDBG Handicap Ramps 4th to 5th Streets; Sycamore St. to Eddy St.; Project No. 2014-2G
- Project 8 Webb Road Paving District No. 1260 Construction Services

On January 22, 2014 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for Construction Engineering Services for Webb Road Street Improvement District No. 1260; South Webb Road extending north from Stolley Park Road to Union Pacific Railroad Tracks, with twelve (12) potential respondents.

#### **Discussion**

Three (3) engineering firms submitted qualifications for the engineering services for Webb Road Street Improvement District No. 1260; South Webb Road extending north from Stolley Park Road to Union Pacific Railroad Tracks. Olsson Associates of Grand Island, Nebraska was selected as the top engineering firm based on the pre-approved selection criteria.

- Firm experience and qualifications on similar work (50%)
- Proposed project schedule/approach (40%)
- Past experience working with the City of Grand Island Public Works Department (10%)

Compensation for Olsson Associates' services will be provided on a time and expense basis not to exceed \$127,700.00.

As noted on Page 92 of the 2013/2014 Budget Summary III book this project will be funded with bond proceeds/assessments.

## **Alternatives**

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

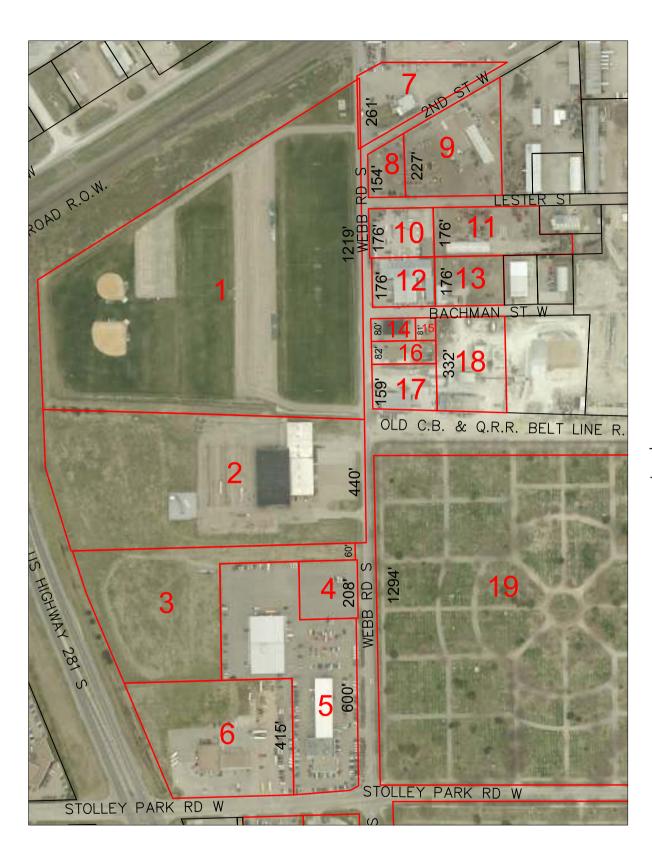
- 1. Move to approve
- 2. Refer the issue to a Committee
- 3. Postpone the issue to future date
- 4. Take no action on the issue

## Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the agreement with Olsson Associates of Grand Island, Nebraska, in the amount of \$127,700.00.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the resolution.





DATE: 01/28/13

DRAWN BY: TJY

APP∨D. BY: XXX:

SCALE: NONE

WEBB RD., W 2ND ST TO W STOLLEY PARK RD. PROPOSAL



#### RESOLUTION 2014-50

WHEREAS, by Resolution 2013-107 Grand Island City Council approved continuation of Webb Road Street Improvement District No. 1260; South Webb Road extending north from Stolley Park Road to Union Pacific Railroad Tracks; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island solicited proposals for engineering consulting services for such project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island and Olsson Associates of Grand Island, Nebraska wish to enter into an Engineering Services Agreement to provide engineering consulting services for such project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the Engineering Services Agreement between the City of Grand Island and Olsson Associates of Grand Island, Nebraska for engineering construction services related to Webb Road Street Improvement District No. 1260; South Webb Road extending north from Stolley Park Road to Union Pacific Railroad Tracks, in the amount of \$127,700.00, is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such agreement on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, March 11, 2014.

|                           | Jay Vavricek, Mayor |  |
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| RaNae Edwards, City Clerk |                     |  |

Approved as to Form ¤ \_\_\_\_\_ March 7, 2014 ¤ City Attorney