



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, June 10, 2014

Council Session

Item I-2

#2014-163 - Consideration of Approving Bid Award for Sanitary Sewer District No. 528 and No. 530T Sanitary Sewer Collection System Improvements

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

Council Agenda Memo

From: Terry Brown PE, Assistant Public Works Director

Meeting: June 10, 2014

Subject: Approving Bid Award for Sanitary Sewer District No. 528 and No. 530T Sanitary Sewer Collection System Improvements

Item #'s: I-2

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

Background

On April 2, 2014 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for Sanitary Sewer District No. 528 and No. 530T Sanitary Sewer Collection System Improvements.

This project will extend sanitary sewer to the Wildwood Subdivision, as well as south along US Highway 281 to Interstate 80.

Discussion

Four (4) bid were received and opened on May 1, 2014. 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	Alternate Bid
Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, NE	None	\$3,374,118.70	\$3,374,118.70
Merryman Excavating of Woodstock, IL	None	\$4,868,768.45	\$4,875,199.85
Rutjens Construction, Inc. of Tilden, NE	None	\$3,839,163.72	\$3,851,173.52
Judds Bros. Construction of Lincoln, NE	Noted	\$4,624,321.00	\$4,621,525.00

Funds are available in Account No. 53030055-85213-53528 & 53030055-85213-53031.

Alternatives

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

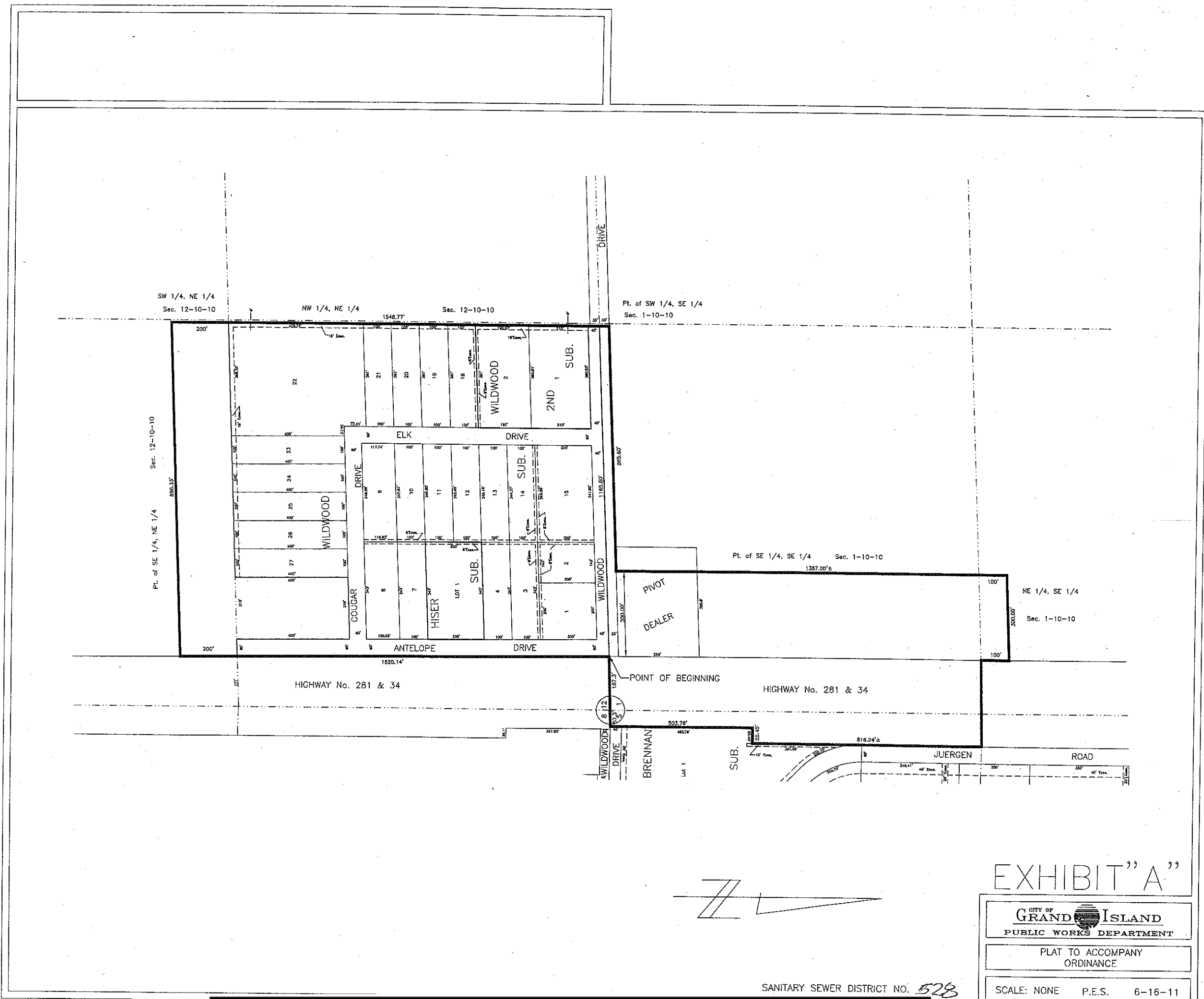
1. Move to approve
2. Refer the issue to a Committee
3. Postpone the issue to future date
4. Take no action on the issue

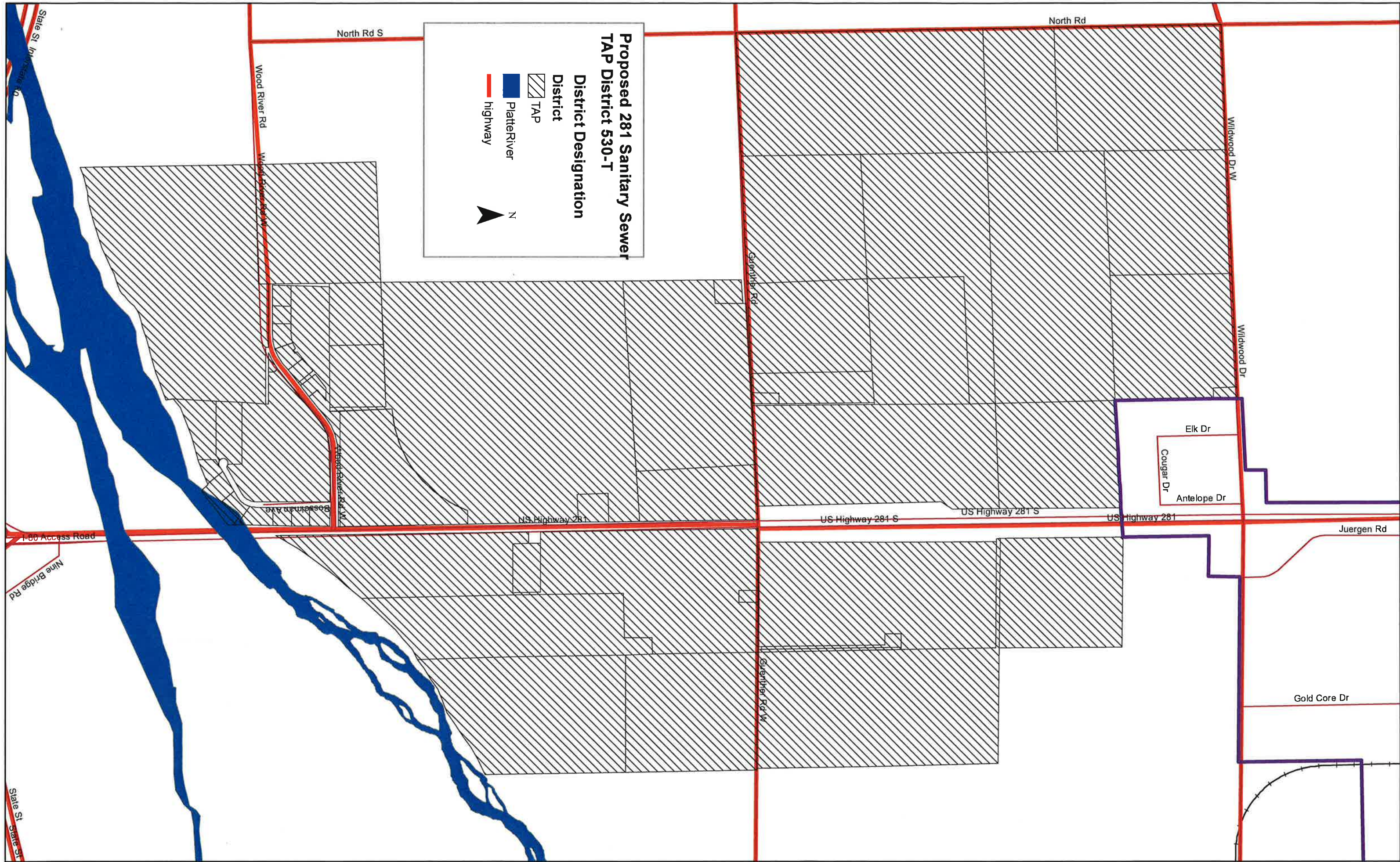
Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the bid award to Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska in the amount of \$3,374,118.70.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the bid award.







Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: May 1, 2014 at 2:00 p.m.

FOR: Sewer Project District 528 and District 530T Sanitary Sewer
Collection System Improvements

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

ESTIMATE: \$3,003,382.20

FUND/ACCOUNT: 53030055-85213-53528 – District 528
53030055-85213-53031 – District 530T

PUBLICATION DATE: April 2, 2014

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 11

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>Van Kirk Bros. Contracting</u> Sutton, NE	<u>Merryman Excavation</u> Woodstock, IL
Bid Security:	Universal Surety Company	Fidelity & Deposit Co.
Exceptions:	None	None
Bid Price:		
Dist. 528:	\$1,602,306.30	\$2,239,007.20
Alt. Dist. 528:	No Bid	\$2,243,438.60
Dist. 530T:	<u>\$1,771,720.60</u>	<u>\$2,625,571.25</u>
Total 528 & 530T:	\$1,602,306.30	\$4,864,578.40
Total Alt. 528 & 530T:	\$3,374,026.90	\$4,869,009.80

Bidder:	<u>Rutjens Construction, Inc.</u> Tilden, NE	<u>Judds Bros. Construction Co.</u> Lincoln, NE
Bid Security:	Universal Surety Company	Merchants National Bonding, Inc.
Exceptions:	None	Noted
Bid Price:		
Dist. 528:	\$1,805,779.82	\$2,094,753.00
Alt. Dist. 528:	\$1,817,789.62	\$2,091,067.00
Dist. 530T:	<u>\$2,033,383.90</u>	<u>\$2,529,568.00</u>
Total 528 & 530T:	\$3,839,163.72	\$4,624,321.00
Total Alt. 528 & 530T:	\$3,851,173.52	\$4,621,255.00

cc: John Collins, Public Works Director
Mary Lou Brown, City Administrator
Stacy Nonhoff, Purchasing Agent
Marv Strong, WWTP Engineer

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.
Jaye Monter, Finance Director
Terry Brown, Assist. PW Director

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RESOLUTION 2014-163

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Sanitary Sewer District No. 528 and 530T Sanitary Sewer Collection System Improvements, according to plans and specifications on file with the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on May 1, 2014 bids were received, opened, and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, 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 \$3,374,118.70.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska in the amount of \$3,374,118.70 for Sanitary Sewer District No. 528 and 530T Sanitary Sewer Collection System Improvements is hereby approved.

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, June 10, 2014.

Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☒ _____
June 6, 2014	☒ City Attorney