



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, September 23, 2014

Council Session

Item G-7

#2014-297 - Approving Bid Award for Faidley Avenue Paving Improvements; Project No. 2014-P-1 & Faidley Avenue Water Improvements; Project No. 2014-W-14

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

Council Agenda Memo

From: Terry Brown PE, Assistant Public Works Director

Meeting: September 23, 2014

Subject: Approving Bid Award for Faidley Avenue Paving Improvements; Project No. 2014-P-1 & Faidley Avenue Water Improvements; Project No. 2014-W-14

Item #'s: G-7

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

Background

On August 19, 2014 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for Faidley Avenue Paving Improvements; Project No. 2014-P-1 and Faidley Avenue Water Improvements; Project No. 2014-W-14. There were twenty (20) potential bidders for this project.

This project will extend paving to join the two (2) existing segments of Faidley Avenue, between North Road and Irongate Avenue.

Discussion

Three (3) bids were received and opened on September 16, 2014. The bids were submitted in compliance with the contract, plans and specifications. A summary of the bids is shown below.

<i>Bidder</i>	<i>Exceptions</i>	<i>Base Bid</i>
The Diamond Engineering Co. of Grand Island, NE	None	\$925,292.70
A & R Construction Co. of Plainview, NE	None	\$979,241.00
Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, NE	None	\$1,025,629.30

There are sufficient funds in Account No. 40033530-90062 to fund this project.

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 awarding a contract to The Diamond Engineering Co. of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$925,292.70 as the low compliant bid that meets specifications.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the bid award.



Stacy Nonhof, Purchasing Agent

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: September 16, 2014 at 2:00 p.m.

FOR: Faidley Avenue Paving Improvements; Project No. 2014-P-1 and
Faidley Avenue Water Improvements; Project No. 2014-W-14

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

ESTIMATE: \$1,300,000.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 40033530-90062

PUBLICATION DATE: August 16, 2014

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 20

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>A & R Construction Co.</u> Plainview, NE	<u>The Diamond Engineering Co.</u> Grand Island, NE
Bid Security:	Universal Surety Co.	Universal Surety Co.
Exceptions:	None	None
Bid Price:		
Section "A":	\$907,421.00	\$849,902.70
Section "B":	<u>\$ 71,820.00</u>	<u>\$ 75,390.00</u>
Total "A" & "B":	\$979,241.00	\$925,292.70
Bidder:	<u>Van Kirk Bros. Contracting</u> Sutton, NE	
Bid Security:	Universal Surety Co.	
Exceptions:	None	
Bid Price:		
Section "A":	\$ 959,420.30	
Section "B":	<u>\$ 66,209.00</u>	
Total "A" & "B":	\$1,025,629.30	

cc: John Collins, Public Works Director

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.

Mary Lou Brown, City Administrator
Stacy Nonhoff, Purchasing Agent

Jaye Monter, Finance Director
Terry Brown, PW Mgr. Eng. Services

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EXHIBIT A	FAIDLEY AVENUE EXTENTION	CITY OF GRAND ISLAND PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
	GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA	

RESOLUTION 2014-297

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Faidley Avenue Paving Improvements; Project No. 2014-P-1 and Faidley Avenue Water Improvements; Project No. 2014-W-14, according to plans and specifications on file with the City Engineer/Public Works Director; and

WHEREAS, on September 16, 2014 bids were received, opened, and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Co. 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 \$925,292.70; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Co.'s bid was below the engineer's estimate for the project: and

WHEREAS, funds are available in the Fiscal Year 2014/2015 budget for this project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of The Diamond Engineering Co. of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$925,292.70 for Faidley Avenue Paving Improvements; Project No. 2014-P-1 and Faidley Avenue Water Improvements; Project No. 2014-W-14 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, September 23, 2014.

Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☒ _____
September 19, 2014	☒ City Attorney