



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, September 09, 2003

Council Session

Item G17

#2003-264 - Approving Bid Award for Project 2003-P-1, Paving of 1/2 Block Macron Street North of Norseman Avenue

Background

The Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for this project on Monday, August 25, 2003 and opened bids on Wednesday, September 3, 2003.

Discussion

One bid was received for this project from The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island in the amount of \$31,104.99. The Public Works Department, Engineering Division, and the Purchasing Division of the City Attorney's Office have reviewed the one bid that was received and believe that it is a reasonable bid.

Recommendation

Staff recommends awarding of this contract to The Diamond Engineering Company.

Financial Implications

The project is not an assessment district and the costs will be paid in full by the City of Grand Island.

Alternatives

Staff recommends against rejecting the bid and re-advertising because the bid was so close to the engineer's opinion of costs.

Staff Contact: Steve Riehle, City Engineer/Public Works Director



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: September 3, 2003 at 11:00 a.m.
FOR: Street Improvement Project 2003-P-1
DEPARTMENT: Public Works
ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE: \$30,639.82
FUND/ACCOUNT: 40033530-90060
PUBLICATION DATE: August 23, 2003
NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 10

SUMMARY

Bidder: Diamond Engineering Co.
Grand Island, NE
Bid Security: Travelers Casualty & Surety Co.
Exceptions: None
Bid Price: \$31,104.99

cc: Steve Riehle, Public Works Director
Ron Underwood, Senior Civil Engineer
City Administrator
Dale Shotkoski, Purchasing Agent
Laura Berthelsen, Legal Assistant

RESOLUTION 2003-264

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Street Improvement Project No. 2003-P-1, according to plans and specifications on file with the City Engineer; and

WHEREAS, on September 3, 2003, one bid was received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Company 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 \$31,104.99.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska, in the amount of \$31,104.99 for Street Improvement Project No. 2003-P-1 is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a contract for such project between the City and such contractor be entered into, and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such contract 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 9, 2003.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
September 4, 2003	☐ City Attorney