



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, December 09, 2003

Council Session

Item G40

#2003-376 - Approving Change Order Number 1 to the Contract for Street Improvement District Number 1246, South Locust from Stolley Park to Fonner Park Road

Background

The construction contract with The Diamond Engineering Company for \$1,820,276.72 was approved by the city council on July 22, 2003. Any changes to the contract must be approved by the city council.

Discussion

The city council reviewed the life cycle cost comparison of replacing the outside lanes with concrete and an asphalt overlay versus the costs of replacing the whole road with concrete. Staff was asked to find sufficient budget authority from existing projects so the change could be made with no monetary impact on the budget.

Recommendation

Staff recommends that the council approve a resolution authorizing the mayor to sign a change order to the contract for \$235,376.50. The total cost of the change, including engineering is estimated at \$249,499.09.

Financial Implications

The following projects in the city budget will be used to fund this work:

1. Street & Transportation Division Purchase Order Number 3433 was issued to the Diamond Engineering Company for Concrete Patching on city streets through calendar year 2003. With the end of the year quickly approaching, we will be unable to complete the purchase order leaving \$110,000 available.

2. The approved 2004 budget shows \$127,000 for a drainage project from the detention cells constructed as part of the Gold Core Drive improvements at the Platte Valley Industrial Park. The right-of-way discussions on the project have delayed the project making \$112,000 available.

3. The approved 2004 budget shows \$80,000 for replacing the Wood River Bridges on Blaine Street near LE Ray park. The project also involves flattening the two curves on Blaine Street north of the bridges. The project is federally funded and has been delayed making \$60,000 available.

The total funds available for this change would be \$282,000.

Alternatives

Deny approval of the change order and proceed with the project as an asphalt overlay.

Staff Contact: Steven P Riehle

RESOLUTION 2003-376

WHEREAS, on July 22, 2003, by Resolution 2003-211, the City of Grand Island awarded the bid for Street Improvement District No. 1246 to the Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, the specifications for Street Improvement District No. 1246 requested an asphalt overlay on South Locust Street from Stolley Park Road to Fonner Park Road; and

WHEREAS, the City Council subsequently requested that a concrete surface be used instead of an asphalt overlay on said project; and

WHEREAS, the result of such modification will increase the contract amount by \$235,376.50; and

WHEREAS, such modification has been incorporated into Change Order No. 1.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that Change Order No. 1 between the City of Grand Island and the Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska to change the construction of Street Improvement District No. 1246 from an asphalt overlay to concrete surface is hereby approved; and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such change order on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, December 9, 2003.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

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