



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, April 13, 2004

Council Session

## Item G15

**#2004-79 - Approving Bid Award for Asphalt Maintenance  
Project 2004-AC-1**

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, P.E. Public Works Director

# Council Agenda Memo

**From:** Steven P. Riehle, P.E., Director of Public Works  
Dale Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

**Meeting:** April 13, 2004

**Subject:** Approving Bid Award for the Asphalt Maintenance Project 2004-AC-1

**Item #'s:** G-15

**Presenter(s):** Steven P. Riehle, Director of Public Works

## Background

On March 24, 2004 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for the Asphalt Maintenance Project 2004-AC-1 .

## Discussion

Two bids were received and opened on April 5, 2004. The Engineering Division of the Public Works Department and the Purchasing Division of the City Attorney's Office have reviewed the bids that were received. Both bids were submitted in compliance with the contract, plans, and specifications with no exceptions. A summary of the bids is shown below.

<i>Bidder</i>	<i>Exceptions</i>	<i>Bid Security</i>	<i>Total Bid</i>
J.I.L Asphalt Paving Co. Grand Island, NE	None	The Cincinnati Insurance Co.	\$497,154.41
Gary Smith Construction Co, Inc.	None	Inland Insurance Co.	\$460,123.29

The engineer's opinion of cost for this project is \$559,971.37. There are sufficient funds in the Public Works and Park and Recreation accounts to fund this project.

## **Alternatives**

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

1. Approve awarding the contract for the Asphalt Maintenance Project 2004-AC-1 to the lowest bidder.
2. Disapprove or/Deny awarding the contract.
3. Modify the contract to meet the wishes of the Council.
4. Table the issue, however, the contractor may withdraw their bid if it is not awarded within 45 days of bid opening.

## **Recommendation**

City Administration recommends that the Council approve awarding the contract to Gary Smith Construction Company Inc., of Grand Island, Nebraska, for the amount of \$460,123.29.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the award of the contract to the lowest bidder, Gary Smith Construction Company Inc., of Grand Island, Nebraska for the Asphalt Maintenance Project 2004-AC-1.



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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**BID OPENING**

**BID OPENING DATE:** April 5, 2004 at 11:00 a.m.

**FOR:** Asphalt Maintenance Project 2004-AC-1

**DEPARTMENT:** Public Works

**ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE:** \$559,971.37

**FUND/ACCOUNT:**

10033506-85354	\$452,347.02
40044450-90033	\$ 28,200.63
40044450-90027	\$ 21,092.29
40044450-90035	\$ 39,946.87
40044450-90028	\$ 18,384.56

**PUBLICATION DATE:** March 24, 2004

**NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** 4

**SUMMARY**

<b>Bidder:</b>	<u>J.I.L. Asphalt Paving Co.</u> Grand Island, NE	<u>Gary Smith Construction Co. Inc.</u> Grand Island, NE		
<b>Bid Security:</b>	The Cincinnati Insurance Co.	Inland Insurance Company		
<b>Exceptions:</b>	None	None		
<b>Bid Price:</b>	<table border="1"><tr><td>\$497,154.41</td></tr></table>	\$497,154.41	<table border="1"><tr><td>\$460,123.29</td></tr></table>	\$460,123.29
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cc: Steve Riehle, Public Works Director  
Tom Carlson, Engineering Technician Supervisor  
Gary Greer, City Administrator  
Dale Shotkoski, Purchasing Agent  
Laura Berthelsen, Legal Assistant

RESOLUTION 2004-79

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Asphalt Maintenance Project 2004-AC-1, according to plans and specifications on file with the City Engineer; and

WHEREAS, on April 5, 2004, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Gary Smith Construction Co., Inc. 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 \$460,123.29; and

WHEREAS, Gary Smith Construction Co., Inc.'s bid is less than the estimate for such project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Gary Smith Construction Co., Inc. of Grand Island, Nebraska, in the amount of \$460,123.29 for Asphalt Maintenance Project 2004-AC-1 is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, April 13, 2004.

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
April 8, 2004	☐ City Attorney