



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, September 13, 2005

Council Session

Item G24

**#2005-257 - Approving Bid Award for Concrete Ditch Lining
Between Arizona and Nevada from Independence to East of Idaho;
2005-D-2**

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

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

Meeting: September 13, 2005

Subject: Approving Bid Award for Concrete Ditch Lining
Between Arizona and Nevada from Independence to East
of Idaho; 2005-D-2

Item #'s: G-24

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

Background

On August 29, 2005 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for concrete ditch lining between Arizona and Nevada from Independence to east of Idaho. Bid notices were sent to five contractors.

Discussion

One bid was received and opened on September 7, 2005. The Engineering Division of the Public Works Department and the Purchasing Division of the City Attorney's Office reviewed the bid that was received. The bid was submitted in compliance with the contract, plans, and specifications with no exceptions. A summary of the bid is shown below.

<i>Bidder</i>	<i>Exceptions</i>	<i>Bid Security</i>	<i>Bid Price</i>
The Diamond Engineering Co. Grand Island, NE	None	Universal Surety Company	\$48,234.75

The engineers estimate for this project was \$55,735.00. There are sufficient funds in account 40033520-90111 to fund this contract.

Alternatives

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

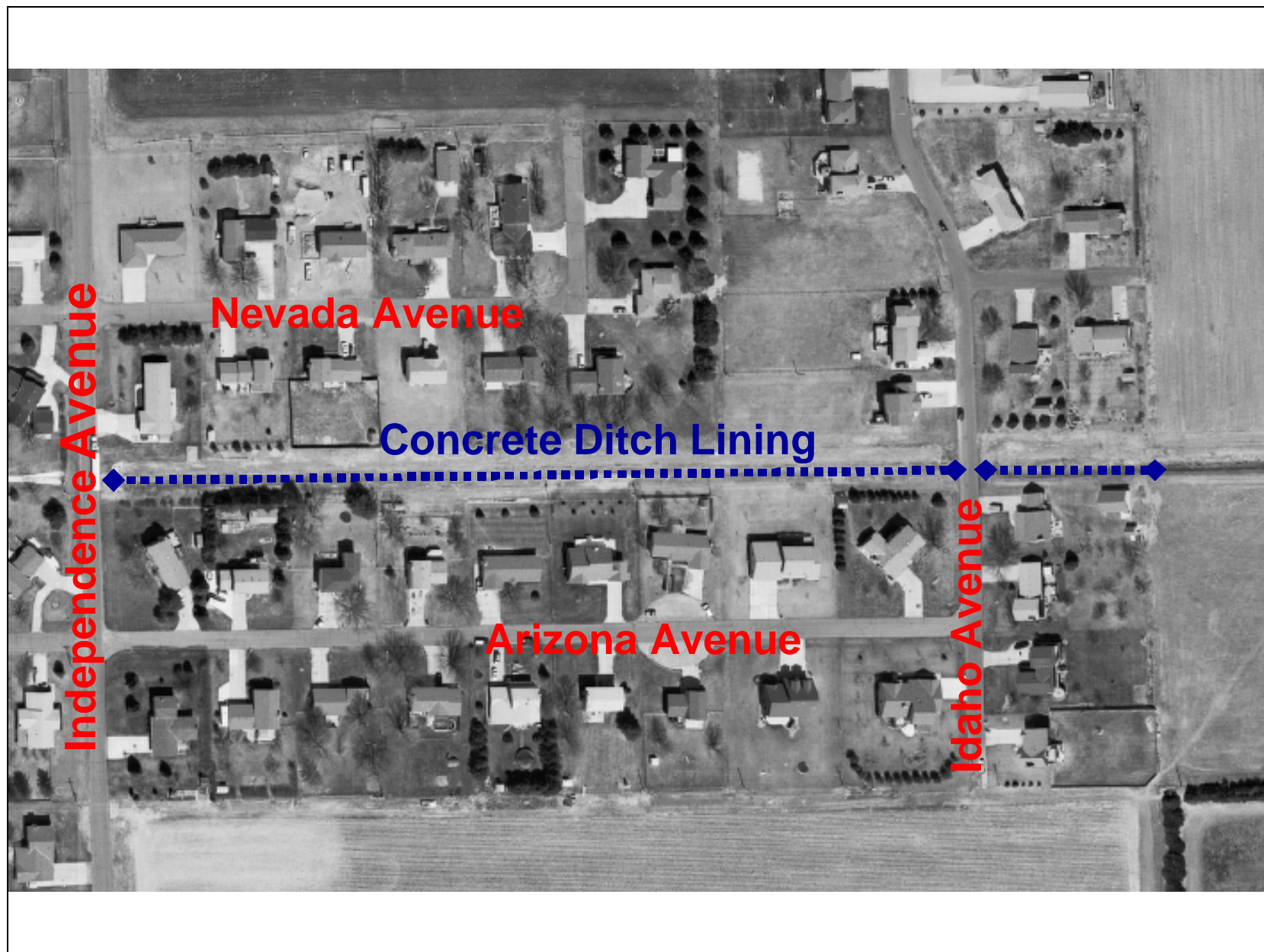
1. Make a motion to approve awarding the bid.
2. Refer the issue to a committee.
3. Postpone the issue to a future date.
4. Take no action on the issue.

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve awarding the contract and passing a resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign a contract with The Diamond Engineering Co., of Grand Island, NE for the amount of \$48,234.75.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the award of the contract to The Diamond Engineering Co. for the concrete ditch lining project 2005-D-2.



Purchasing Division of Legal Department
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: September 7, 2005 at 11:00 a.m.

FOR: Concrete Lining of Capital Heights Ditch

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

ESTIMATE: \$55,735.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 40033520-90111

PUBLICATION DATE: August 29, 2005

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 5

SUMMARY

Bidder: Diamond Engineering Co.
Grand Island, NE

Bid Security: Universal Surety Company

Exceptions: None

Bid Price: \$48,234.75

cc: Steve Riehle, Public Works Director
Danelle Collins, Public Works Admin. Sec.
Dale Shotkoski, Purchasing Agent

Tom Carlson, Engineering Tech. Supervisor
Gary Greer, City Administrator
Laura Berthelsen, Legal Assistant

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RESOLUTION 2005-257

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Concrete Lining of the Capital Heights Ditch between Arizona Avenue and Nevada Avenue from Independence Avenue to east of Idaho Avenue, according to plans and specifications on file with the City Engineer; and

WHEREAS, on September 7, 2005, bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Company, 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 \$48,234.75; and

WHEREAS, such bid is below 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 The Diamond Engineering Company, Inc. of Grand Island, Nebraska, in the amount of \$48,234.75 for concrete lining of Capital Heights ditch is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute a contract 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 13, 2005.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk