



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, October 25, 2005

Council Session

Item G8

**#2005-303 - Approving Bid Award for Capital Heights Drainway
Rip Rap & Grading; 2005-D-3 and for Capital Avenue Outfall
Structure; 2005-D-4**

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

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

Meeting: October 25, 2005

Subject: Approving Bid Award for Capital Heights Drainway Rip
Rap & Grading; 2005-D-3 and for the Capital Avenue
Outfall Structure; 2005-D-4

Item #'s: G-8

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

Background

On October 7, 2005 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for riprap and grading of the Capital Heights Drainway (2005-D-3) and for the outfall structure along Capital Avenue (2005-D-4).

Discussion

One bid was received and opened on October 19, 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	2005-D-3 \$ 33,598.00 2005-D-4 \$107,953.58 Total Bid: \$141,551.58

The cost estimate for the construction bid was \$155,200.00. The total estimated cost for the project including construction, contingencies, and engineering is \$175,287.00. The City's share is estimated at \$38,926.00 (including contingencies). The NRCS share is estimated at \$136,361.00. There are sufficient funds in account 40033520-90112 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 \$141,551.58.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the award of the contract to The Diamond Engineering Co. for the riprap and grading of the Capital Heights Drainway (2005-D-3) and for the outfall structure along Capital Avenue (2005-D-4).

Nebraska Highway 2

North Road

Capital Heights Drainway

Ditch Repair &
Rip Rap Work

Northwest High School



Purchasing Division of Legal Department
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM



Dale M. Shotkoski, Assistant City Attorney

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: October 19, 2005 at 11:00 a.m.

FOR: Project 2005-D-4 Capital Avenue Outfall Structure &
Project 2005-D-3 Capital Heights Drainway Riprap & Grading

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

ESTIMATE: \$30,900.00 Project 2005-D-3
\$124,300.00 Project 2005-D-4

FUND/ACCOUNT: 40033520-90112

PUBLICATION DATE: October 7, 2005

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 6

SUMMARY

Bidder: Diamond Engineering Co.
Grand Island, NE

Bid Security: Universal Surety Company

Exceptions: None

Bid Price:

Project 2005-D-4	\$107,953.58
Project 2005-D-3	<u>\$ 33,598.00</u>
Total Bid:	\$141,551.58

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

Bud Buettner, Assist. Public Works Director
Gary Greer, City Administrator
Laura Berthelsen, Legal Assistant

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RESOLUTION 2005-303

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for Project 2005-D-4 Capital Avenue Outfall Structure and Project 2005-D-3 Capital Heights Drainway Riprap and Grading, according to plans and specifications on file with the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on October 19, 2005, 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 \$141,551.58; and

WHEREAS, such bid is below the estimate for such projects.

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 \$141,551.58 for Project 2005-D-4 Capital Avenue Outfall Structure and Project 2005-D-3 Capital Heights Drainway Riprap and Grading is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a contract between the City and such contractor for such project 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, October 25, 2005.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
October 20, 2005	☐ City Attorney