City of Grand Island
Tuesday, May 12, 2015
Council Session

Item G-8

#2015-127 - Approving Authorization for Emergency Sanitary Sewer Repairs in the Alley between Lincoln Avenue and Greenwich Street; South Street to Fonner Park Road

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Marvin Strong PE, Wastewater Plant Engineer

Meeting: May 12, 2015

Subject: Approving Authorization for Emergency Sanitary Sewer Repairs in the Alley between Lincoln Avenue and Greenwich Street; South Street to Fonner Park Road

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Presenter(s): John Collins PE, Public Works Director

Background

Emergency sanitary sewer repairs were needed for a sanitary sewer mainline in the alley between Lincoln Avenue and Greenwich Street; South Street to Fonner Park Road.

There were three separate repair locations within this particular alley.

Discussion

The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska was hired by providing the following quotes for each repair location in the alley between Lincoln Avenue and Greenwich Street; South Street to Fonner Park Road.

Repair Location	Quote
North end of Alley	$34,934.44
Center of Alley	$41,934.44
South end of Alley	$20,276.90

Two other contractors were contacted to solicit quotes from; Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska and O'Hara Plumbing of Grand Island, Nebraska both of whom stated they were not available to do the repairs.

The Diamond Engineering Co. will be paid the repair costs in the amounts of quotes submitted, which total $97,145.78, which is based on actual time and materials incorporated into the repair work. Since the total is over $20,000.00 council approval is necessary. We are requesting permission to use the emergency procurement procedures as outlined in Section 27-13 of the City Code.

Alternatives

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

1.   Move to approve
2.   Refer the issue to a Committee
3.   Postpone the issue to future date
4.   Take no action on the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve usage of the City's Emergency Procurement Procedures and pass a resolution authorizing payment to the Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska in the total amount of $97,145.78 for the necessary sanitary sewer repairs.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the usage of the City's Emergency Procurement Procedures and authorize payment for the necessary sanitary sewer repairs.

RESOLUTION 2015-127

WHEREAS, the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department needed to perform emergency sanitary sewer repairs in the alley between Lincoln Avenue and Greenwich Street; South Street to Fonner Park Road; and

WHEREAS, permission is requested to use the emergency procurement procedures as outlined in Section 27-13 of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska has been hired to do said repairs, with a total quote of $97,145.78; and

WHERAS, two other contractors were contacted to solicit quotes from; Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska and O'Hara Plumbing of Grand Island, Nebraska whom both stated they were not available to do the repairs; and

WHEREAS, such repairs consisted of the following expenses:

Repair Location	*Quote*
North end of Alley	$34,934.44
Center of Alley	$41,934.44
South end of Alley	$20,276.90

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the sanitary sewer repairs performed by The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska in the alley between Lincoln Avenue and Greenwich Street; South Street to Fonner Park Road, in the total amount of $97,145.78 is hereby approved.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, May 12, 2015.

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Jeremy L. Jensen, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form ¤ _____
May 8, 2015   ¤ City Attorney