



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, June 23, 2015

Council Session

Item G-10

**#2015-158 - Approving Quality Control Testing for the 2015
Asphalt Resurfacing Project No. 2015-AC-1**

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

Council Agenda Memo

From: Terry Brown PE, Assistant Public Works Director

Meeting: June 23, 2015

Subject: Approving Quality Control Testing for the 2015 Asphalt Resurfacing Project No. 2015-AC-1

Item #'s: G-10

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

Background

On June 9, 2015, by Resolution No. 2015-146, City Council approved the bid award of the 2015 Asphalt Resurfacing Project No. 2015-AC-1 to J.I.L. Asphalt Paving Co. of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$955,730.76. This year's work involves asphalt resurfacing on the following City streets.

Section #1. 2nd Street; Clark Street to concrete west of Plum Street

Section #2. 1st Street; Sycamore Street to concrete west of Plum Street

Section #3. Eddy Street; 2nd Street to 3rd Street

Section #4. 4th Street; Broadwell Avenue to concrete west of Plum Street

Section #5. Sycamore Street; Division Street to 3rd Street

Section #6. Kimball Street; Division Street to 1st Street

Section #7. Cleburn Street; 1st Street to 2nd Street

Section #8. Seedling Mile Road; cul-de-sac to east City limits

Discussion

In order to ensure the City is getting the best result on this annual project quality control testing is consistently performed. In the past quotes have been obtained from area firms that perform the necessary testing and up to this point those quotes have been below the \$20,000 council approval threshold. This year's quotes are shown below.

<i>Firm</i>	<i>Total Quote</i>
GSI Engineering of Grand Island, NE	\$27,438.00
Alfred Benesh and Co. of Lincoln, NE	\$29,950.00
Mid-State Engineering & Testing, Inc. of Kearney, NE	No longer perform testing
Olsson Associates of Grand Island, NE	Declined

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 awarding the 2015-AC-1 Asphalt Resurfacing Project Quality Control Testing to GSI Engineering of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$27,438.00.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the award.

RESOLUTION 2015-158

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island sought informal quotes from four (4) firms for Asphalt Resurfacing Project No. 2015-AC-1 Quality Control Testing; and

WHEREAS, two (2) firms responded by providing quotes and two (2) declined; and

WHEREAS, GSI Engineering of Grand Island, Nebraska submitted a quote in accordance with the terms of the bids and plans and specifications and all other statutory requirements contained therein, such quote being in the amount of \$27,438.00; and

WHEREAS, funds are available in the Fiscal Year 2014/2015 budget for such testing.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the quote of GSI Engineering of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$27,438.00 for Asphalt Resurfacing Project No. 2015-AC-1 Quality Control Testing is hereby approved as the lowest responsible quote.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, June 23, 2015.

Jeremy L. Jensen, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☒ _____
June 19, 2015	☒ City Attorney