



# **City of Grand Island**

**Tuesday, August 10, 2010**

**Council Session**

## **Item G11**

**#2010-216 - Approving Bid Award for 2010-MH REHAB-1  
Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation Project**

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

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

**Meeting:** August 10, 2010

**Subject:** Approving Bid Award for 2010-MH REHAB-1 Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation Project

**Item #'s:** G-11

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

## **Background**

On June 30, 2010 the Waste Water Treatment Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for 2010-MH REHAB-1 Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation Project. The manholes are on a 24" or 27" vitrified clay pipe (VCP) sanitary sewer interceptor. The manholes need rehabilitated to maintain the integrity of the system. The project area is as follows:

1. Capital Avenue from the Burlington Northern SantaFe Railroad Tracks (BNSF) to Geddes Street;
2. Geddes Street from Capital Avenue to 7<sup>th</sup> Street;
3. 7<sup>th</sup> Street from Geddes Street to approximately 300' west of Sky Park Road.

## **Discussion**

Two bids were received and opened on July 27, 2010. The Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department and the Purchasing Division of the City Attorney's Office reviewed the two bids:

Midlands Contracting, Inc.  
\$186,868.25

The Diamond Engineering Co.  
\$278,349.64

The bid of \$186,868.25 from Midlands Contracting, Inc. of Kearney, Nebraska, is under the Engineer's estimate of \$350,000.

Funds are available in account number 53030055-85213.

## **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 the bid award to Midlands Contracting, Inc. of Kearney, Nebraska in the amount of \$186,868.25.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to award the bid to Midlands Contracting, Inc.

*Purchasing Division of Legal Department*  
**INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM**



Dale Shotkoski, Purchasing Agent

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**BID OPENING**

**BID OPENING DATE:** July 27, 2010 at 2:00 p.m.

**FOR:** 2010 MH-REHAB – 1 SANITARY SEWER MANHOLE  
REHABILITATION PROJECT

**DEPARTMENT:** Public Works

**ESTIMATE:** \$350,000.00

**FUND/ACCOUNT:** 53030055-85213-53009

**PUBLICATION DATE:** June 30, 2010

**NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** 10

**SUMMARY**

<b>Bidder:</b>	<u>Midlands Contracting, Inc.</u> Kearney, NE	<u>The Diamond Engineering Co.</u> Grand Island, NE
<b>Bid Security:</b>	Travelers Casualty & Surety Co.	Universal Surety Co.
<b>Exceptions:</b>	None	None
<b>Bid Price:</b>	\$124,203.50	\$178,180.64
<b>Additive Bid:</b>	<u>\$ 62,664.75</u>	<u>\$100,169.00</u>
<b>Total Bid:</b>	\$186,868.25	\$278,349.64

cc: Steve Riehle, Public Works Director  
Dale Shotkoski, City Attorney  
Jeff Pederson, City Administrator

Fred Tustin, Collections Manager  
Catrina DeLosh, Administrative Assistant

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RESOLUTION 2010-216

WHEREAS, the advertisement to bidders for 2010-MH REHAB-1 Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation Project was published in the Grand Island Daily Independent on June 30, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for the furnishing of materials and services for the 2010-MH REHAB-1 Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation Project, according to plans and specifications on file with the City Engineer; and

WHEREAS, on July 27, 2010 bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Midlands Contracting, Inc. of Kearney, Nebraska, submitted the lowest responsible and responsive 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 \$186,868.25; and

WHEREAS, the bid for this project is below the engineer's estimate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the bid of Midlands Contracting, Inc. of Kearney, Nebraska, in the amount of \$186,868.25 for 2010-MH REHAB-1 Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation Project, is hereby approved.

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, August 10, 2010.

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Margaret Hornady, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
August 6, 2010	☐ City Attorney