



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, March 08, 2011

Council Session

Item G9

#2011-55 - Approving Bid Award for Hot-Mix Asphalt for 2011

Staff Contact: Gary R. Mader, Interim Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Scott Johnson, Street Superintendent
Meeting: March 8, 2011
Subject: Approving Bid Award for Hot-Mix Asphalt for 2011
Item #'s: G-9
Presenter(s): Gary R. Mader, Interim Public Works Director

Background

On February 11, 2011 the Streets Division of the Public Works Department advertised for bids for the purchase of hot-mix asphalt to be used in conjunction with in-house asphalt work throughout the calendar year 2011. The hot-mix asphalt is used by the City's asphalt patching crew.

Discussion

Two (2) bids were received and opened on February 23, 2011. Each bid was submitted in compliance with the contract, plans, and specifications with no exceptions. A summary of the bids is shown below.

Vendor	Exceptions	Unit Prices
Gary Smith Construction Co., Inc. of Grand Island, NE	None	Type "A" - \$44.85/ton Type "BC" - \$42.85/ton Type "C" - \$44.85/ton
J.I.L. Asphalt Paving Co. of Grand Island, NE	None	Type "A" - \$47.50/ton Type "BC" - \$44.00/ton Type "C" - \$47.20/ton

Gary Smith Construction Co. provided the lowest bid.

The type of asphalt used for patching each day from the plant will be the type they are making for that particular day. The average cost of the three types of asphalt bid is \$44.18. The estimated amount of asphalt to be used is 1,600 tons which equates to an estimated total cost of \$70,688.00 for the 2011 year.

There are sufficient funds in Account No. 10033503.85547 to purchase this material.

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

Public Works Administration recommends that the Council approve awarding the purchase of the hot-mix asphalt to Gary Smith Construction Co. of Grand Island, Nebraska.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the award of the contract to Gary Smith Construction Co. of Grand Island, Nebraska.



Jason Eley, Purchasing Agent

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BID OPENING

BID OPENING DATE: February 23, 2011 at 2:15 p.m.

FOR: Asphalt Hot Mix for 2011

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

ESTIMATE: \$55.00 per ton average for A, BC, and C estimated use of 1,600 tons for a season total of \$88,000.00

FUND/ACCOUNT: 10033503-85547

PUBLICATION DATE: February 11, 2011

NO. POTENTIAL BIDDERS: 2

SUMMARY

Bidder:	<u>Gary Smith Const. Co., Inc.</u> Grand Island, NE	<u>J.I.L. Asphalt Paving Co.</u> Grand Island, NE
Exceptions:	None	None
Bid Price:		
Type "A":	\$44.85 per ton	\$47.50 per ton
Type "BC":	\$42.85 per ton	\$44.00 per ton
Type "C":	\$44.85 per ton	\$47.20 per ton

cc: Gary Mader, Interim Public Works Director
Jason Eley, Purchasing Agent
Mary Lou Brown, Interim City Administrator

Catrina DeLosh, PW Admin. Assist.
Scott Johnson, Street Superintendent

RESOLUTION 2011-55

WHEREAS, the City of Grand Island invited sealed bids for furnishing Hot-Mix Asphalt for 2011, according to plans and specifications on file with the Streets Division of the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, on February 23, 2011 bids were received, opened and reviewed; and

WHEREAS, Gary Smith Construction Co. 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 \$44.85 per ton for Type "A" asphaltic concrete, \$42.85 per ton for Type "BC" asphaltic concrete and \$44.85 per ton for Type "C" asphaltic concrete.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, the bid of Gary Smith Construction Co. of Grand Island, Nebraska in the amount of \$44.85 per ton for Type "A" asphaltic concrete, \$42.85 per ton for Type "BC" asphaltic concrete and \$44.85 per ton for Type "C" asphaltic concrete is hereby approved as the lowest responsible bid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a contract for such project between the City and such contractor 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, March 8, 2011.

Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
March 4, 2011	☐ City Attorney