

Office of the City Manager

Date: July 12, 2010

Agenda Item No. 40

Roll Call No. 10-1164

Communication No. 10-433

Submitted by: Jeb E. Brewer, P.E.

City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Hearing on 2010 Sidewalk Replacement Program: Resolution approving plans, specifications, form of contract documents, engineer's estimate, receive and file bids, and designating lowest responsible bidder as T K Concrete Inc., Tony J. VerMeer, President, \$258,135.

SYNOPSIS:

This is a public hearing to allow for public input on the 2010 Sidewalk Replacement Program and take the necessary actions as required by Iowa Code to authorize a contract for construction of the proposed project. This project provides for a city-wide program to replace deteriorated City sidewalks, sidewalks damaged by City activities or by City trees in the parking area, and sidewalks for residents that qualify for special assessment subsidy.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$258,135.00 Construction Contract (\$299,995 City Engineer's Estimate)

<u>Funding Source</u>: 2010-2011 CIP, Page Street-10, City-wide Sidewalk Replacement, STR084, Being: \$158,135 in FY 2011 G. O. Bonds from STR084 with a transfer of \$100,000 in Gaming Monies from STR-217, Special City-wide Street Improvements, Page Street-47.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

On June 14, 2010, under Roll Call No. 10-883, the City Council received and filed plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City Engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2010 Sidewalk Replacement Program. Before the City Council can enter into a contract, it must hold a public hearing and approve the proposed plans, specifications, and form of contract documents and engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2010 Sidewalk Replacement Program, 09-2010-004. The improvement includes reconstruction of Class A and Class B Portland cement concrete sidewalks four (4) inches thick, (six (6) inches thick at driveways), together with all appurtenances; in accordance with the contract documents at various locations City-wide. Sidewalks will be replaced at locations inspected by the Public Works Department. Handicapped accessible ramps will also be constructed in the vicinity where sidewalks will be replaced.

Sealed bids for said improvement were submitted by the following bidders:

T K Concrete Inc., Pella, IA
Absolute Concrete Construction, Inc., Slater, IA
Edge Commercial, LLC, Grimes, IA
MPS Engineers, P.C., West Des Moines, IA
Johnson Concrete & Petroleum Const. Inc., Des Moines, IA
Ti-Zack Concrete, Inc., Le Center, MN

The bids were received and opened at a public meeting presided over by the City Engineer in the City Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 400 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines, Iowa at 11:00 a.m. on June 29, 2010.

The City Engineer has determined that the lowest responsive, responsible bid for the construction of said improvement was submitted by T K Concrete Inc., Tony J. VerMeer, President, 1608 Fifield Road, Pella, IA, 50219 in the amount of \$258,135, and said bid should be accepted. The Finance Director has determined that funds are available for said improvement as stated above.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: June 14, 2010

Roll Call Number: 10-883

<u>Action</u>: Ordering construction of the following: (F) <u>2010</u> Sidewalk Replacement Program: Receiving of bids, (6-29-10), and Setting date of hearing, (7-12-10). (Construction Estimate - \$299,995). (<u>Council Communication No. 10-347</u>) Moved by Moore to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Partial payments to the contractor and final acceptance of work.

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