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	Agenda Item No.	46
	Roll Call No.	<u>14-0732</u>
	Communication No.	<u>14-190</u>
	Submitted by:	Jeb E. Brewer, P.E., City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Hearing on 2014 Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Sidewalk Ramp Program - Contract 1: Resolution approving plans, specifications, form of contract documents, engineer's estimate, receive and file bids.

SYNOPSIS:

This is a public hearing to allow for public input on the 2014 ADA Sidewalk Ramp Program - Contract 1 and take the necessary actions as required by Iowa Code to authorize a contract for construction of the proposed project. This project provides for the installation of new sidewalk ramps where required and the reconstruction of existing sidewalk ramps to bring them into compliance with the ADA. The ramps will be constructed throughout the City at the highest priority locations included in the Phase III (Curb Ramps) Transition Plan approved by the City Council by Roll Call No. 09-2124 on November 23, 2009, and at locations required under Project Civic Access.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: Apparent low bid is \$453,500 (\$450,000 City Engineer's Estimate)

Funding Source: 2014-2015 Capital Improvement Program (CIP), Page Street - 28, Sidewalks - ADA Compliance, SW095, G. O. Bonds

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

On April 7, 2014, by Roll Call No. 14-0524, the City Council received and filed plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City Engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2014 ADA Sidewalk Ramp Program - Contract 1. 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 2014 ADA Sidewalk Ramp Program - Contract 1, 09-2014-003. The improvement includes construction of sidewalk ramps with Portland cement concrete sidewalk four (4) inches, six (6) inches or eight (8) inches thick, together with all necessary appurtenances; in accordance with the contract documents, at various locations determined by the "Americans with Disabilities Act, City of Des Moines, Iowa, Transition Plan" throughout the City of Des Moines, Iowa.

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

T K Concrete Inc., Pella, IA
MPS Engineers, P.C., Des Moines, IA

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 April 22, 2014.

The current Council action holds the public hearing and receives and files the submitted bids. An item for Council consideration on awarding the contract and approving the bond may be presented at the May 19, 2014 Council meeting.



PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: April 7, 2014

Roll Call Number: [14-0524](#)

Action: Ordering construction of the following:

- (B) [2014](#) ADA Sidewalk Ramp Program – Contract 1: Receiving of bids, (4-22-14), Setting date of hearing, (5-5-14). Construction Estimate, \$450,000. ([Council Communication No. 14-142](#)) Moved by Mahaffey to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: November 23, 2009

Roll Call Number: [09-2124](#)

Action: [Phase III](#) (Curb Ramps) of the ADA Transition Plan. ([Council Communication No. 09-812](#)) Moved by Coleman to approve. Motion Carried 7-0.

<http://www.dmgov.org/government/citycouncil/rollcalls/2014/14-0524.pdf>

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Partial payments to the contractor and final acceptance of work.

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