 <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p>	Date:	May 19, 2014
	Agenda Item No.	45
	Roll Call No.	<u>14-0809</u>
	Communication No.	<u>14-227</u>
	Submitted by:	Jeb E. Brewer, P.E., City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Hearing on 2014 Sidewalk Replacement Program: Resolution approving plans, specifications, form of contract documents, engineer’s estimate, receive and file bids, and designating lowest responsible bidder as MPS Engineers, P.C., Umesh G. Shetye, President, \$439,720.

SYNOPSIS:

This is a public hearing to allow for public input on the 2014 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 damaged by City activities or by City trees in the parking area, and sidewalks for residents that qualify for the special assessment subsidy.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$439,720 Construction Contract (\$400,000 City Engineer's Estimate)

Funding Source: 2014-2015 Capital Improvement Program (CIP), Page Street - 27, Sidewalk Replacement, SW084, Being: G. O. Bonds to be issued

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

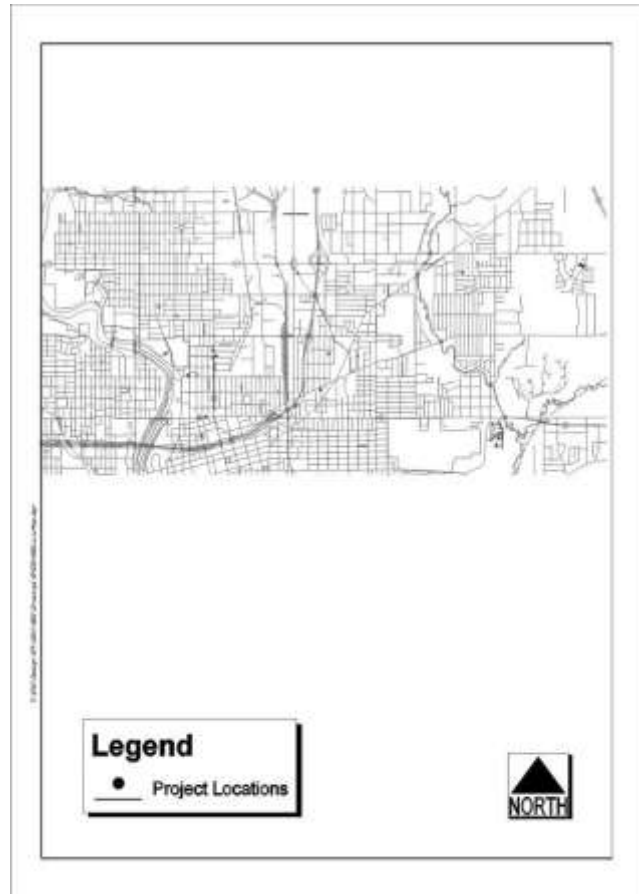
On April 21, 2014, by Roll Call No. 14-0594, the City Council received and filed plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City Engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2014 Sidewalk Replacement Program. Before the City Council can enter into a contract, it must hold a public hearing and approve the proposed plans, specifications, and form of contract documents and engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2014 Sidewalk Replacement Program, 09-2014-002. 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 in Des Moines, Iowa. Sidewalks will be replaced at locations inspected by the Engineering Department. Curb ramps, compliant with the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and the regulations associated with this law as it applies to pedestrian facilities will also be constructed, in the vicinity where sidewalks will be replaced.

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

- MPS Engineers, P.C., Des Moines, IA
- T K Concrete Inc., Pella, 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 May 6, 2014.

The City Engineer has determined that the lowest responsive, responsible bid for the construction of said improvement was submitted by MPS Engineers, P.C., Umesh G. Shetye, President, 1444 Illinois Street, Des Moines, IA, 50314 in the amount of \$439,720, 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: April 21, 2014

Roll Call Number: [14-0594](#)

Action: Ordering construction of the following:

- (C) [2014](#) Sidewalk Replacement Program: Receiving of bids, (5-6-14). Setting date of hearing, (5-19-14). (Construction Estimate, \$400,000. ([Council Communication No. 14-161](#)) Moved by Hensley 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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