

City Council Report

Date: May 18, 2015

To: City Council

Through: Kari Kent, Deputy City Manager

From: Beth Huning, City Engineer Rob Kidder, Assistant City Engineer

Subject: Arterial Reconstruction Project P3 (University Dr. / Southern Ave.) City Project No. CP0439P3 District Nos. 2 and 6



Purpose and Recommendation

The purpose of this report is to provide information to the Council concerning the results of the bids received for the Arterial Reconstruction Project P3 (refer to Exhibit "A" for the project location). Staff recommends that Council award this project to the lowest responsible bidder, Nesbitt Contracting Co., Inc., for a total award of \$2,625,405.37.

Background

The asphalt pavement on University Drive from 22nd Place to Val Vista Drive and Southern Avenue from 58th Place to Power Road is nearing the end of its life cycle and is in need of replacement.

Discussion

This project replaces deteriorated asphalt pavement with a new surface course of asphalt pavement over a base course of asphalt pavement that is, recycled using the cold-in-place recycle method. The "cold-in-place" recycle method is an efficient, cost-effective method of recycling existing asphalt, which is processed and then used as a base course and topped with new asphalt. While only one bid was received for this project, it was a "public bid" and met all state and local requirements for competition.

Alternatives

An alternative to this project would be to not construct these improvements. This would result in continued roadway deterioration with potentially more costly repairs in the future.

Fiscal Impact

The recommended total award amount for this project is \$2,625,405.37, based on the lowest responsible bidder of \$2,386,732.15, plus an additional \$238,673.22 (10% allowance for change orders). Funding is made available through the 2013 Street Bond Program.

Coordinated With

The Transportation Department concurs with this recommendation.

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Arterial Reconstruction Project P3 PROJECT NO. CP0439P3

Tabulation of Bids Received, Thursday, April 16, 2015, at 1:00 P.M.

ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE

\$3,208,465.00

1. Nesbitt Contracting Co., Inc.

\$2,386,732.15