



Item: Construction Contract Award: 10th Alley South / 5th Street South Sanitary Sewer Reroute Office File 1695.2

From: Engineering Division

Initiated By: Public Works Department

Presented By: Jim Rearden, Public Works Director

Action Requested: Consider Bids and Approve Contract for Office File 1695.2

Suggested Motion:

1. Commissioner moves:

"I move that the City Commission (award/not award) a contract in the amount of \$63,988.00 to Central Excavation for the 10th Alley South / 5th Street South Sanitary Sewer Reroute, and authorize the City Manager to execute the construction contract documents."

2. Mayor requests a second to the motion, Commission discussion, public comment, and calls for the vote.

Staff Recommendation: Approve construction contract award.

Summary: This project was initiated to prevent sanitary sewage overflows (SSO)'s and to provide adequate and reliable sewer flow in order to protect the health and safety of the citizens of Great Falls. The project begins at the intersection of 5th Street South and 10th Alley South, and continues at points along 10th Alley South from 5th Street South to 3rd Street South.

Background:

Citizen Participation:

The construction activity will require temporary closure of 5th Street South from 10th Avenue South to 9th Avenue South. The construction activity will require temporary closure of 10th Alley South from 5th Street South to 3rd Street South. Access to residences and businesses adjacent to construction zones will be maintained.

Workload Impacts:

Design phase engineering and plans and specifications were completed by the City Engineering staff with assistance from City Street division and Utilities. City Engineering staff will provide construction phase engineering services and project inspection.

Purpose:

The primary objective of this project is to prevent SSO's by rerouting the shallow 9-inch VCP sanitary sewer main along 10th Alley south between 5th Street South and 3rd Street South into the deeper 9-inch VCP sanitary sewer main.

Project Work Scope:

Work to be performed under this contract includes the following:

- Rerouting sanitary sewer flows in the shallow 9-inch VCP sanitary sewer main into the deeper 9-inch VCP sanitary sewer main.
- Removing the existing manhole on the shallow 9-inch VCP sanitary sewer main and installing a new sanitary sewer manhole with drop inlet on the deeper 9-inch VCP sanitary sewer main.
- Plugging and abandoning the shallow 9-inch VCP sanitary sewer main along 10th Alley South between 5th Street South and 3rd Street South.
- Rerouting approximately five service laterals located on the shallow sewer main to the deeper sewer main.

Evaluation and Selection Process:

The specifications were advertised two times in the Great Falls Tribune. Four bids were received on September 21, 2016 with the bids ranging between \$63,988.00 and \$149,509.00. Central Excavation submitted the low bid.

Conclusion:

City staff recommends awarding the contract to Central Excavation in the amount of \$63,988.00.

Fiscal Impact:

The attached bid tabulation summarizes bids that were received. City sewer funding is programmed to fund this project.

Alternatives:

The City Commission could vote to deny award of the construction contract and re-bid or cancel the project.

Attachments/Exhibits:

1. Bid tabulation is attached.

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BID TABULATION SUMMARY

OFFICE FILE 1695.2
10TH ALLEY SOUTH / 5TH STREET S S REROUTE

BIDS TAKEN AT CIVIC CENTER

DATE: 21-SEP-16
TABULATED BY: KARI WAMBACH

	NAME & ADDRESS OF BIDDER	ACKNOWLEDGE ADD. #1	ACKNOWLEDGE ADD. #2	10% BID SECURITY	CERTIFICATE OF NON-SEGREGATED FACILITIES	CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH INSURANCE REQ.	TOTAL BID
1	PHILLIPS CONSTRUCTION 2607 9TH AVENUE NW GREAT FALLS, MT 59404	N/A	N/A	√	√	√	\$94,947.00
2	KUGLIN CONSTRUCTION P.O. BOX 491 BLACK EAGLE, MT 59414	N/A	N/A	√	√	√	\$79,473.00
3	FALLS CONSTRUCTION 1001 RIVER DRIVE GREAT FALLS, MT 59401	N/A	N/A	√	√	√	\$149,509.00
4	CENTRAL EVCAVATION 3701 RIVER DRIVE NORTH GREAT FALLS, MT 59405	N/A	N/A	√	√	√	\$63,988.00
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