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MANAGER'S REPORT #	20
COUNCIL MEETING	96/07/22

TO: CITY MANAGER 1996 July 17

FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE

SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 9617 - HASTINGS STREET PEDESTRIAN
OVERPASS AT INVERGARRY AVENUE

PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a contract for construction of a pedestrian
overpass at Hastings Street and Invergarry Avenue.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, Western Industrial Contractors Ltd., for construction of the Hastings Street pedestrian overpass at Invergarry Avenue for a total cost of \$808,001.45 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT

Eleven tenders for this contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m., Monday, 1996 July 15 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding. A tabulation of the tenders received is attached (Attachment A).

The work of this contract involves the supply of all labour, materials, tools, plant and equipment required for construction of a precast and cast in place concrete overpass, 147m long complete with approach ramps.

The Director Engineering's estimate for this work is \$838,000.00

The recommended bidder, Western Industrial Contractors Ltd., has been in business since 1989 and have not previously performed work for the City. Reference checks from other contractors and independent consultants reveal that they are experienced in bridge construction and have satisfactorily completed several contracts. The Director Engineering is satisfied that they have the experience and resources to complete the work of this contract.

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This project is included in the 1996-2000 Capital Program. Capital Reserves and grant funding of \$540,000 is available in existing work orders previously approved by Council. The additional funding of \$311,000 required to complete this project is provided by Capital works Expenditure Bylaw No. 10422 which appears elsewhere on this agenda.

The Director Engineering and our consultant, N.D. Lea Consultants Ltd., concur with the above recommendation.



Rick Earle
DIRECTOR FINANCE

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Attach.

cc. Director Engineering

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TENDER TABULATION

CONTRACT #9617
HASTINGS STREET PEDESTRIAN OVERPASS

NAME	TENDER TOTAL
1. Western Industrial Contractors Ltd.	\$ 808,001.45
2. Civil Construction Co. Ltd.	\$ 824,337.63
3. Swagger Construction Ltd.	\$ 831,848.45
4. Smith Bros & Wilson (BC) Ltd.	\$ 838,261.88
5. Kingston Construction Ltd.	\$ 839,036.65
6. MDM Construction Co. Ltd.	\$ 940,224.00
7. JJM Construction Ltd.	\$ 963,506.11
8. Granville Constructors Ltd.	\$ 966,550.00
9. Westpro Constructors Group Ltd.	\$ 990,843.54
10. Neelco Construction (1986) Inc.	\$1,003,264.10
11. Walter & SCI Construction (Canada) Ltd.	\$1,137,410.00

Attachment "A"

