

TO: CITY MANAGER 1997 May 07

FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE

SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 9705 - 10th AVENUE CONNECTOR CONSTRUCTION  
MEADOW AVENUE TO 18TH AVENUE - PHASE 1

PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a Contract for phase 1 of the 10th Avenue connector project.

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RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a Contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, B. Cusano Contracting Inc., for phase 1 of the 10th Avenue connector project for a total cost of \$633,911.34 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT

Eight tenders for this Contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m., Monday, 1997 May 05 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 the construction of earthwork for future road embankments, the installation of approximately 250m of 900mm storm sewer, 210m of 300mm sanitary sewer and other related works.

The Director Engineering's estimate for this work is \$1,000,500.

The recommended bidder, B. Cusano Contracting Inc., has satisfactorily completed similar contracts for the City. Based on their past performance, the Director Engineering is satisfied that they have the experience and resources to complete the work of this Contract.

Sufficient funds are available in an existing capital work order and this project is included in the 1997-2001 Capital Budget.

The Director Engineering and our consultant, Associated Engineering (B.C.) Ltd., concur with the above recommendation.

  
Rick Earle  
DIRECTOR FINANCE

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Attach.

cc. Director Engineering

1997 May 05

TENDER TABULATION

CONTRACT #9705  
 10TH AVENUE CONNECTOR CONSTRUCTION  
 MEADOW AVENUE TO 18TH AVENUE

NAME	TENDER TOTAL
1. B. Cusano Contracting Inc.	\$ 633,911.34
2. Gemco Construction Ltd.	\$ 656,751.02
3. Terra Dynamics Inc.	\$ 690,185.12
4. Agra Contracting Ltd.	\$ 711,104.35
5. Southwest Contracting Ltd.	\$ 759,029.11
6. B & B Contracting Ltd.	\$ 748,410.43
7. J. Cote & Son Excavating Ltd.	\$ 865,488.76
8. Goodbrand Construction Ltd.	\$1,152,390.00

NOTE: Totals subject to verification