

TO: CITY MANAGER June 20, 2000
FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE
SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 2000-08 GRAVEL SUPPLY
PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a contract for the supply of gravel and sand aggregates.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, Mainland Sand & Gravel Ltd., for the supply of gravel and sand aggregates for a total cost of \$616,790.00 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT


Nine tenders for this contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m., Thursday, June 15, 2000 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding. The tenders received are as follows:

Mainland Sand & Gravel Ltd.	\$616,790.00
Ross West Aggregates Ltd.	\$617,385.13
Midpoint Sand & Gravel Ltd.	\$618,295.70
Coquitlam Sand & Gravel	\$622,267.95
Jack Cewe Ltd.	\$629,942.40
G & R Singh & Son Trucking Ltd.	\$667,107.08
Allard Contractors Ltd.	\$684,115.58
Imperial Paving Ltd.	\$753,190.40
Columbia Bitulithic Ltd.	\$836,292.95

The work of this contract involves the supply and delivery of approximately 52,000 tonnes of gravel and sand aggregates, delivered as and when required to various locations within Burnaby. The term of this contract is from July 1, 2000 to June 30, 2001, both dates inclusive.

The recommended bidder, Mainland Sand & Gravel Ltd., has been in the gravel supply business in the lower mainland for the past 35 years and has previously supplied the City's gravel requirements. Engineering staff report that both the performance and product offered by Mainland Sand & Gravel Ltd., have been excellent and therefore have no hesitation in recommending them for this contract. The Director Engineering concurs with the above recommendation.

Sufficient funds are available and expenditures for this supply contract are provided for in various expenditure components within the 2000 Operating and Capital Budgets.


for Rick Earle
 DIRECTOR FINANCE

cc. Director Engineering