

TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** August 27 2002
FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE
SUBJECT: **CONTRACT NO. 2002-21**
GILMORE AVENUE RECONSTRUCTION PHASE III
PURPOSE: To obtain approval for Phase III of the Gilmore Avenue Reconstruction project.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, Imperial Paving Ltd., for Phase III of the Gilmore Avenue Reconstruction project for a total cost of \$1,016,022.57 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT

Two tenders for this contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m., Monday August 19, 2002 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding. The tenders received are as follows:

Imperial Paving Ltd.	\$1,016,022.57
B. Cusano Contracting Inc.	\$1,210,656.85

The work of this contract involves the supply of all labour, materials, tools, plant and equipment required for the construction of approximately 270 meters of various watermain, 150 meters of various storm sewer, asphalt paving, sidewalks, grassed boulevards, streetlighting and other related works. The Director Engineering's estimate for this work is \$907,000.

The recommended bidder, Imperial Paving Ltd., has satisfactorily completed numerous projects for the City and are currently working on Contract 2002-10, Kingsway and Edmonds Widening. The Director Engineering is satisfied that they have the experience and resources to complete the work of this contract. The Director Engineering and our consultant, Alpin & Martin Consultants Ltd. concur with the above recommendation.

The expenditure is included under the Major Roads Component of the 2002-2006 Capital Program. Appearing elsewhere on the agenda is a Capital Reserves Expenditure Bylaw for Council's consideration and final adoption.


 for Rick Earle
 DIRECTOR FINANCE

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 cc. Director Engineering