

TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** April 9, 2003
FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE
SUBJECT: **CONTRACT NO. 2003-06 - SUPPLY & INSTALLATION OF MACHINE LAID ASPHALTIC CONCRETE & ASPHALTIC CONCRETE GRINDING**
PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a contract for machine laid asphalt and asphalt grinding.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, Jack Cewe Ltd., for machine laid asphalt and asphalt grinding at various locations throughout Burnaby for a total cost \$2,943,732.64 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT

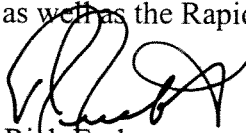
Five tenders for this contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m., Monday, April 7, 2003 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding. The tenders received are as follows:

Jack Cewe Ltd.	\$2,943,732.64
Columbia Bitulithic Ltd.	\$3,049,849.17
Imperial Paving Ltd.	\$3,080,617.38
B.A. Blacktop Ltd.	\$3,118,788.88
Winvan Paving Ltd.	\$3,230,704.47

The work of this contract involves the supply of all labour, materials, tools, plant and equipment required for the grinding of approximately 81,000 square meters of existing asphalt, the laying of approximately 21,000 tonnes of asphalt and other related works. The Director Engineering's estimate for this work is \$2,900,000.

The recommended bidder, Jack Cewe Ltd., has satisfactorily completed numerous projects for the City. The Director Engineering is satisfied that they have the experience and resources to complete the work of this contract. The Director Engineering concurs with the above recommendation.

This project is included in the 2003-2007 Provisional Capital Program. Funding is available in existing work orders previously approved by Council. There will be some cost sharing with the Ministry of Transportation and Highways as well as the Rapid Transit Project.


 Rick Earle
 DIRECTOR FINANCE

cc. Director Engineering