

TO: CITY MANAGER

DATE: July 16, 2003

FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE

SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 2003-17
SOUTHRIDGE DRIVE PHASE 6

PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a contract for the construction of Phase 6 of the Southridge Drive roadworks project.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, Jack Cewe Ltd., for Phase 6 of the Southridge Drive roadworks project for a total cost of \$1,213,316.87 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT

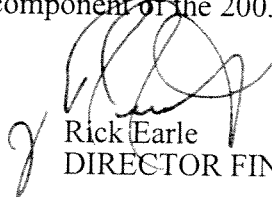
Three tenders for this contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m. Monday, July 14, 2003 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding. The tenders received are as follows:

Jack Cewe Ltd.	\$1,213,316.87
Columbia Bitulithic Ltd	\$1,303,330.62
Winvan Paving Ltd.	\$1,307,894.92

The work of this contract involves the construction of roadworks and related infrastructure including: curb and gutter, sidewalk, urban trail, pavement overlay, stamped concrete medians, street lighting, traffic signals, and other related works. The Director Engineering's estimate for this work is \$1,450,000.

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 and our consultant, Associated Engineering (BC) Ltd., concur with the above recommendation.

Appearing elsewhere on this agenda is a Bylaw seeking funding for this project. These expenditures are included in the Major Roads component of the 2003-2007 Capital Program.


Rick Earle
DIRECTOR FINANCE

cc. Director Engineering