

**TO:** CITY MANAGER  
**FROM:** DIRECTOR FINANCE

**DATE:** June 29, 2004

**SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 2004-10**  
**2004 BIG BEND AREA DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS**

**PURPOSE:** To obtain approval to award a contract for drainage improvements.

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. **THAT** a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, C.A.P. Ventures Ltd., for drainage improvements in the big bend area for a total cost of \$462,668.00 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

**REPORT**

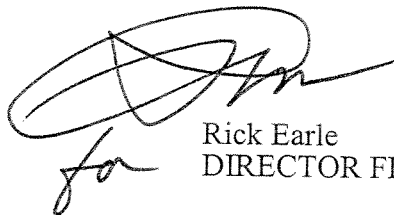
Three tenders for this contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m. Thursday June 24, 2004 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding. The tenders received are as follows:

C.A.P. Ventures Ltd.	\$462,668.00
Mission Contractors Ltd.	\$534,033.18
Double M Excavating Ltd.	\$630,775.70

The work of this contract involves the construction of 56 meters of 1000mm culvert crossing Marine Way, restoration of the CPR bridge on Byrne Creek and other related works. The Director Engineering's estimate for this work is \$390,000.00.

The recommended bidder, C.A.P. Ventures 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 Ltd., concur with the above recommendation.

This project is included under the Engineering, Storm Drainage component of the 2004-2008 Annual Capital Program. Appearing elsewhere on the agenda is a work order report seeking funding approval for this project.



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