
TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2008 June 04

FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE **FILE:** 62-05/08

SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 2008-19
2008 COMBINED SEWER SEPARATION – PACKAGE 1I

PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a contract for construction of replacement sewers and local area improvements.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, Sandpiper Contracting LLP for replacement sewers and local area improvements for a total cost of \$2,806,960.80 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT

Four tenders for this contract were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m. Monday, 2008 June 02 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding. The tenders received are as follows:

Sandpiper Contracting LLP	\$2,806,960.80
Pedre Contractors Ltd.	\$2,824,000.00
Jack Cewe Ltd.	\$3,462,697.88
Gemco Construction Ltd.	\$4,009,956.30

The work of this contract involves the separation of existing combined sewers into distinct storm and sanitary sewers, replacement of existing watermains and other related works. The Director Engineering has evaluated these tenders and is of the opinion that they are competitive and reflective of current conditions.

The recommended bidder, Sandpiper Contracting LLP has undertaken several sewer separation contracts for the City, the most recent being Contract 2007-14 and all were completed to the satisfaction of the City. Based on their past performance, the Director Engineering is satisfied that they have the experience and resources to successfully complete the work of this contract. The Director Engineering and our consultant, McElhanney Consulting Services Ltd. concur with the above recommendation.

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Appearing elsewhere on the Council agenda is an internal order report seeking funding approval for this project. These expenditures are included in the Water and Sewer Utility components of the 2008 Annual Financial Plan.



For Rick Earle
DIRECTOR FINANCE

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cc. Director Engineering