

COUNCIL REPORT

TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2009 May 6
FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE **FILE:** 62-04/09
SUBJECT: 2" SLIT DRAINAGE INSTALLATION AT
BURNABY MOUNTAIN GOLF COURSE

PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award two contracts for fairway drainage upgrades.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** contracts be awarded to G.P.S. Turf Drains Inc. and TDS/Turf Drainage Systems Ltd., for fairway drainage upgrades for an estimated total cost of \$520,327.50 with final payment based on actual quantities performed and unit prices submitted.

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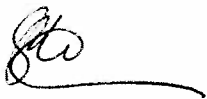
Two tenders were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m. Monday, 2009 April 20. To ensure timely completion and minimize overall disruption to the golf course operations and the impact on revenues, the City requires two crews to work in parallel on different fairways at the same time. Only one tenderer, G.P.S., was available in the desired time frame but has only sufficient equipment and staff for one crew. City staff approached TDS/ Turf Drainage Systems Ltd., who have equipment and staff available to form the second crew, and obtained very similar pricing to that submitted by G.P.S.

The work of these contracts involves the installation of a complete 2" slit drainage system of the fairways and other related work at Burnaby Mountain Golf Course.

The recommendation is to split the work between the two above named firms with the bulk of the work to be performed by May 29th, with the balance to be completed in October 2009.

Both of the recommended firms satisfactorily completed similar work in 2008 at Riverway Golf Course. The Director Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services concurs with the above recommendation.

This expenditure is included in the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Regular Program component of the 2009 Provisional Financial Plan.



per Rick Earle
DIRECTOR FINANCE

cc. Director Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services