

COUNCIL REPORT

TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2010 July 20

FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE **FILE:** 100-06/10

SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 2010-11
STILL CREEK AVE. PHASE 1

PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a contract for Still Creek Ave. Phase 1

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT a contract be awarded to the lowest tenderer, Capilano Highway Services Company for Still Creek Ave. Phase 1, for a total cost of \$1,730,472.80 including HST in the amount of \$185,407.80 with final payment based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

REPORT

Two tenders for this contract, in the amounts of \$1,730,472.80 and \$2,301,370.40, were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m. Monday 2010 June 28 and were opened by staff in the presence of representatives of the firms bidding.

The work of this contract involves the construction of 320 metres of roadworks, sidewalks and asphalt pathway; utility relocation and adjustments; construction of water main works; construction of sanitary sewer works; construction of drainage works and construction of street lighting and traffic signal bases.

The lowest tenderer, Capilano Highway Services Company has not completed any contracts for the City. However, reference checks by our consultant, Associated Engineering (B.C.) Ltd. indicates they have successfully completed similar contracts in a satisfactory manner for VANOC, Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure and the private sector. Our consultant's review indicates the contractor has the equipment and personnel capability to successfully complete the work required under this contract and their price is competitive and reflective of current market conditions. The Director Engineering concurs with this recommendation.

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Appearing elsewhere on the Council agenda for reconsideration and final adoption is a Capital Works By-law report seeking funding approval for this project. These expenditures are included in the major Roads component of the 2010 Annual Financial Plan.


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DIRECTOR FINANCE

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