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Meeting..... 2012 May 07

COUNCIL REPORT

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**TO:** CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2012 May 01  
**FROM:** DIRECTOR FINANCE **FILE:** 49-03/12  
**SUBJECT: CONTRACT NO. 2012-16**  
**2012 WATERMAIN REPLACEMENT PROGRAM – PACKAGE C**  
**PURPOSE:** To obtain approval to award a contract for the 2012 Watermain Replacement Program – Package C.

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. **THAT** a contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, J. Cote & Son Excavating Ltd., for the 2012 Watermain Replacement Program – Package C for a total cost of \$1,094,240.00 including HST in the amount of \$117,240.00. Final payment will be based on actual quantities and unit prices tendered.

**REPORT**

Seven tenders for this contract, ranging from \$1,094,240.00 to \$1,666,184.24 were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, 2012 April 24.

The work of this contract involves the supply and installation of ductile iron watermain. The Contractor is also required to supply and install water services to property lines, fittings, valves, appurtenances, hydrants and all surface restoration.

The recommended bidder, J. Cote & Son Excavating Ltd., has completed several contracts for the City in the past and all were completed to the satisfaction of the City. Our consultant's review indicates the contractor has the equipment and personnel to successfully complete the work required under this contract. The Director Engineering concurs with this recommendation.

Funding for this project was previously approved by Council. These expenditures are included in the Water Utility component (WBS.EJA.0009) of the 2012 Provisional Financial Plan.

Denise Jorgenson  
DIRECTOR FINANCE

cc: Director Engineering