
TO: CITY MANAGER **DATE:** 2013 April 30
FROM: DIRECTOR FINANCE **FILE:** 5820-20
50-03/13
SUBJECT: CONTRACT AWARD 2013-04
PURPOSE: To obtain approval to award a construction contract for the 2013 Watermain Replacement and Road Rehabilitation Program Package B.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. **THAT** a construction contract be awarded to the lowest bidder J. Cote & Son Excavating Ltd. for a total cost of \$2,299,500 including GST in the amount of \$109,500 for work as outlined in this report. Final payment will be based on actual quantity of goods and services delivered and unit prices as tendered.

REPORT

Six tenders for the 2013 Watermain Replacement and Road Rehabilitation Program Package B contract ranging from \$2,299,500 to \$3,243,920.28 were received by the closing time of 3:00 p.m. 2013 April 26. The work of this contract includes the supply and installation of approximately 335m of 250mm, 2250m of 200mm and 140m of 150mm ductile iron watermain. Along with the watermain, the Contractor is required to supply and install water services to property line, fittings, valves, appurtenances, hydrants, all surface restoration and perform pavement rehabilitation on the various roadways of the above watermain installation. The Work will consist primarily of the supply and installation of 4200 tonnes of various machine laid hot mix asphaltic concrete including 1380 tonnes of superpave, milling, and 4100 square meters of full depth milling.

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

Funding for this work was previously approved by Council and these expenditures are included in the Roads and Water Utility components of the 2013 Annual Financial Plan. This work is covered under the following capital projects: EJA.0010 (\$1,254,733) and EMC.0007 (\$935,267).

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