

Legislation Text

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Discuss and consider action to award a construction contract for the Sorento Wastewater Interceptor project to Whitestone Civil Construction, LLC, the lowest responsible bidder of nine (9) bids received on March 16, 2017, in the amount of \$1,880,999.50 and authorizing the City Manager to execute same.

This project includes approximately 5,250 linear feet of 36-inch sanitary sewer line, 1,350 linear feet of 21-inch sanitary sewer line and related appurtenances.

Cobb, Fendley & Associates, the project's design consultant, completed design work for this project in late 2016. The engineer's estimate for the base bid of the project was \$3,196,815.92.

Two alternates were bid with the project. Bid Alternate No. 1 included the installation of centrifugal cast fiberglass-reinforced polymer-morter pipe in lieu of PVC pipe. Alternate No. 2 included the installation of polymer concrete manholes instead of concrete manholes.

The attached bid tabulation show the bids in which Whitestone Civil Construction, LLC was the low bidder with a base bid of \$2,000,891.00 without add alternates. Whitestone Civil Construction, LLC bid alternate No. 1 as a deduction of \$119,891.50 and alternate No. 2 as an addition of \$140,864.00.

Mean average for the base bids was \$2,579,748.71.

### Status

The project was advertised for bids on March 1, 2017. Nine (9) bids were received and opened on March 16, 2017.

# Fiscal Impact

This project was included in the 5 year utility capital improvements projects list. Funding for this project is utility fund balance.

# Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends awarding the construction contract for the Sorento Wastewater Interceptor project to the lowest responsible bidder, Whitestone Civil Construction, LLC, in the amount of \$1,880,999.50 to include the base bid and bid alternate No. 1.

# Drafter

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