



TO: Thomas R. Kneeland
Members of Council
City Attorney

FROM: Dottie A. Franey
Director of Public Service and Engineering

DATE: March 3, 2017

SUBJECT: Report to Council, March 13, 2017

ACTION ITEMS FROM THE CITY ENGINEER

ACTION ITEM # 1 – 2017 CCTV and Sanitary Sewer Cleaning Project – Award Contract: Bids for the 2017 CCTV & Sanitary Sewer Cleaning Project were opened on Friday, February 24, 2017. In all we received 4 total bids ranging from \$147,395.62 to \$242,574.50. The lowest responsive and responsible bidder is Insight Pipe Contracting, 232 East Lancaster Rd, Harmony, PA 16037 with a bid of \$147,395.62 which was below the Engineer's Estimate of \$160,459.50. We have checked for completeness of their bid and have obtained positive references regarding other CCTV projects they have performed.

We are respectfully requesting legislation authorizing the Mayor to enter into contract with Insight Pipe Contracting LLC. Funds to pay for this project are from prior year funds encumbered and 2017 City Sewer appropriations budget. (Bid Summary, Contract and RCA attached.)

ACTION ITEM # 2 – 2017 Street Program, ST-1044 – Award Contract: The bid opening for the 2017 Street Program took place on March 3, 2017. In total we received 5 total bids ranging from \$1.9-2.3 million dollars. This year's street program consists of asphalt resurfacing, crack sealing, and Detroit Street rebuilds. Strawser Paving was the lowest responsive and responsible bidder with a base bid of \$1,982,991.70 which is below the engineers estimate. We recommend to award the base bid and alternate 2 (miscellaneous concrete work at City Hall including curb replacement, sidewalk replacement, and concrete drive replacement) & alternate 3 (application of a pavement preservation agent for resurfaced roadways) for a total contract amount of \$2,051,695.81. We are requesting a 10%

contingency to cover any unforeseen construction costs which would bring the total amount to \$2,256,865.39.

We are respectfully requesting an ordinance to enter into contract with Strawser Paving for the base bid and alternates 2 & 3. Funding for the program is from multiple sources shown on the attached RCA. (Bid Summary, Contract, and RCA attached.)

ACTION ITEMS FROM THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE

ACTION ITEM # 1 – Permission to Bid Solid Waste Collection: Gahanna is a member of a refuse consortium that includes Bexley, Dublin, New Albany, Reynoldsburg, Upper Arlington, Westerville, Blendon Township, Mifflin Township, Plain Township, and Washington Township. The current solid waste collection hauling contract term is for 2015-2017 with two one-year extensions (2018 and 2019). Gahanna can take the 2018 extension but the consortium has reason to believe that we might obtain a better price if we rebid this contract. The new contract would be for three years with options for two one-year renewals for a total of five years possible (2018-2020, 2021, 2022). The rebid will include the following options:

- **Status Quo** - Each Residential Unit must be supplied with one 18 gallon lidded Recyclable Materials collection container. (Individual Resident has option for one additional 18 gallon container). All Residents must supply their own Solid Waste and Yard Waste collection containers. The volume of Solid Waste placed curbside for collection by each Residential Unit shall be unlimited, and shall include collection of Bulk Items on each regularly scheduled collection day from the usual point of pickup, without advance notice from Resident. Gahanna's pickup days would stay the same.
- **Wheeled Containers** – With this option, Gahanna's pickup days would stay the same but the contractor would supply two wheeled carts. This option would require the resident to schedule bulk pickup for debris that does not fit in the wheeled container.
- **Contractor Design** – This option allows the contractor to design the program that makes the most sense for the hauler. Gahanna has limited our pickup days to Monday or Tuesday.

We are respectfully requesting a motion resolution authorizing Gahanna to formally bid the solid waste collection hauling contract. (RCA attached.)

ACTION ITEM # 2 – Permission to Bid Recycling Processing: As noted above, we will be bidding our solid waste hauling contract. Rumpke has the largest recycling facility, which can create an unfair advantage in the solid waste bidding process unless we separate recycling processing services from the hauling contract. Our current contract is with Rumpke and has extensions that can take us through 2019 with zero cost to the municipality. Because we will bid our collection contract with extensions possible through 2022, we want a recycling processing contract that locks our rate for the same period of time. The new recycling bid

includes the option for the communities to renew our existing contract for as long as possible before moving to the new contract if that is determined to be beneficial.

We are respectfully requesting a motion resolution authorizing Gahanna to formally bid the recycling services contract. I want to apologize for being late in getting this request to Council. The advertisements for this bid are March 9 and March 16. (RCA attached.)

UPDATES

2017 Paper Shredding and Electronic Recycling Event – Event will take place on April 22nd in the City Hall parking lot from 9:00am-12:00pm. Ohio Mobile Shredding (OMS) will be providing the paper shredding and electronic recycling services (free of charge). The event flyer, FAQ sheet and a link to sign up to volunteer is posted on the City's website. Here is the volunteer link if any council members are interested: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f44afa928a6fb6-2017>.

Hamilton Rd Central - Throughout the upcoming winter months, crews will have temporary lane shifts throughout the project as they work to finish, street lights, and other miscellaneous minor items. As time and weather allows this Winter, the contractor will continue to work to complete remaining concrete work for driveways and sidewalks, while all final restoration and surface asphalt will be completed in the Spring/Summer of 2017.

Motorists should continue to expect delays throughout the construction zone, and are encouraged to consider other routes if they wish to avoid a possible delay in their travels.

Please click [here](#) if you would like to view our roundabout training videos. Any questions should be directed to the Department of Public Service at 614-342-4005.

City of Columbus Hamilton Road Phase A Public Open House – The City of Columbus is planning to widen the portion of Hamilton Road between Morse Road and Dublin-Granville Roads. This widening project will include the widening on Morse Road from Trellis Lane to Hamilton Road, as well as a right turn lane on northbound Hamilton Road at Morse Road in our jurisdiction. This section of Morse Road experiences severe congestion and is in need of widening. The design work for this project is expected to be completed this spring, so the City of Columbus is preparing to host a Public Open House to obtain public comment and suggestions prior to finalizing design. Specific Information regarding the location, date and time of the open house are as follows:

Date: March 28, 2017

Location: Northeast School

500 North Hamilton Road

Time: 5-7 P.M.

Representatives from the cities of Columbus and Gahanna, Ohio Department of Transportation, and designer Parsons Brinkerhoff will be on-hand to answer questions in an open-house format; no formal presentation will be given. Illustrations of the roadway features and property impacts will also be on display.