Agenda Item: 8.a.

Memorandum

To: Programs, Projects and Operations Subcommittee  
From: Amanda Grint, Water Resources Engineer  
Date: February 3, 2014  
Re: Review and Recommendation of Bids Received for Zorinsky Water Quality Basin #1 (ZB1) Project

On January 30, 2014, bids were opened for the construction of the ZB1 project. A copy of the bid tabulation is attached along with the recommendation letter from Olsson Associates.

The ZB1 project is a water quality basin located northwest of Highway 6/31 and Highway 92 in Douglas County (see attached map). The project consists of the construction of a concrete weir, sanitary sewer relocation and excavation of the sediment basin.

Four bids were received and the range of bids was $2,799,908.73 to $3,397,683.70. The engineers estimate for the construction of ZB1 and associated improvements is $2,896,118.00. Hawkins Construction is the low bidder and they have past experience on several District projects including WP-5 and bank stabilization work in Cambridge Oaks. Olsson Associates has reviewed the work history for the contractor and subcontractors and has verified that they are able to construct the project according to specifications. The work is anticipated to begin March 1, 2014 with substantial completion by September 2014.

Management recommends that the Subcommittee recommend to the Board that the General Manager be authorized to execute a contract with Hawkins Construction Company for the construction of the ZB1 project for the bid amount of $2,799,908.73, subject to changes deemed necessary by the General Manager and approval as to form by District Legal Counsel.
February 3, 2014

Mrs. Amanda Grint
Papio-Missouri River NRD
8901 S. 154th Street
Omaha, NE 68138-3621

Re: Zorinsky Water Quality Basin #1
OA Project No. 007-0823

Dear Mrs. Grint:

Bids for the Zorinsky Water Quality Basin #1 project were received, and were opened at the P-MRNRD headquarters offices at 2:00 p.m. on January 30, 2014. As indicated on the attached tabulation of bids, the bids ranged from $2,799,908.73 to $3,397,683.70. The Engineer’s Estimate provided to by Olsson Associates is $2,896,118.00.

After reviewing and comparing the bids, it is my recommendation that the P-MRNRD consider awarding the construction contract for the amount of $2,796,908.73 to Hawkins Construction Co.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Paul W. Woodward
Paul W. Woodward, P.E., CFM
Omaha Water Resources Group Leader

Enclosure

CC: Marlin Petermann, P-MRNRD
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