Thursday, June 7, 2007

Public Works RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 32

Subject: Authorize execution of a construction contract with VIKING CONSTRUCTION, INC., Georgetown, TX, for the 2007 Miscellaneous Streets Slurry Seal and Micro-Surfacing Project in an amount not to exceed \$1,610,068.35.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Operating Budget of the Public Works Department.

Fiscal Note: There is no unanticipated fiscal impact. A fiscal note is not required.

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Purchasing Language: Single bid received.

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) through the achievement of Good Faith Efforts; 3.64% MBE and 22.52%.

The 2007 Miscellaneous Streets Slurry Seal and Micro-Surfacing Project will provide 105 lane miles of preventive maintenance in the form of application of an emulsified asphalt slurry seal on selected cul-desacs and neighborhood streets and micro-surfacing on major streets within the City of Austin. Crack sealing and minor surface patching is included in the contract as required to prepare street for application of the slurry seal.

The contract allows 90 working days for completion of this project.