

Thursday, June 18, 2009

Contract and Land Management RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 10

Subject: Authorize execution of a construction contract with BALLOU CONSTRUCTION CO., INC, Salina, KS, for the 2009 Miscellaneous Streets Slurry Seal and Micro-Surfacing project in the amount of \$3,790,645.90.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2008-2009 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: Lowest responsive bid of two (2) bids 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 achievements of Good Faith Efforts with 5.16% MBE and 2.60% WBE subcontractor participation.

The 2009 Miscellaneous Streets Slurry Seal and Micro-Surfacing project will provide 206 lane miles of preventative maintenance in the form of the application of an emulsified asphalt slurry seal on selected cul-de-sacs and neighborhood streets and micro-surfacing on major streets within Austin. Crack sealing and minor surface patching are included in the contract as needed to prepare the streets for application of the slurry seal.

The contract allows 120 working days for final completion of this project.