

AGENDA



Thursday, March 24, 2011

**Contract and Land Management
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 10**

Subject: Authorize execution of a construction contract with JAY-REESE CONTRACTORS, INC., Austin, TX for the 2011 Miscellaneous Bridge Maintenance Project in an amount of \$390,183 plus a \$39,018 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$429,201.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2010-2011 Operating Budget of the Public Works Department.

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

For More Information: Allison Dietzel, 974-7098; Pirouz Moin, P.E., 974-8769; Shannon Wisner, 974-7704; Felecia Shaw, 974-7141

Purchasing Language: Lowest bid of three 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 the achievements of Good Faith Efforts with 2.51% MBE and 5.12% WBE subcontractor participation.

The purpose of this project is to provide necessary bridge maintenance and repairs on 9 bridges throughout the City of Austin in the following zip codes: 78702, 78704, 78705, 78723, 78727, 78731, 78744, and 78745. The maintenance work includes channel scour remediation, curb and gutter, driveway and sidewalks, metal beam guard railing installation, bridge railing installation, concrete repair, railing post reconstruction, joint sealant, milling and asphalt overlay, and striping on the selected bridges.

Field observations indicate unknown subsurface issues to which the magnitude of such conditions cannot be estimated until demolition; therefore a 10% contingency in funding has been included to allow for the expeditious processing of any change orders.

The contract allows 120 calendar days for completion of this project.