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Recommendation for Council Action (CLMD)

Austin City Council		Item ID:	7751	Agenda Number	8.
Meeting Date:	July 28, 2011				
Department:	Contract and Land Management				
Subject					
Authorize execution of a construction contract with MUNIZ CONCRETE & CONTRACTING, INC. (MBE /MH-78.08%), Austin, TX for Tillery Street Storm Drain Outfall Stabilization in the amount of \$1,033,106 plus a \$103,310 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$1,136,416.					
Amount and Source of Funding					
Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2010-2011 Capital Budget of the Watershed Protection Department.					
Fiscal Note					
A fiscal note is attached.					
Purchasing Language:	Lowest bid of eight bids received.				
Prior Council Action:					
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Boards and Commission Action:					
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) by meeting the goals with 3.08% MBE subcontractor participation and 78.08% prime participation; and 14.69% WBE subcontractor participation.				
Related Items:					
Additional Backup Information					

Progressive erosion at the outfall of the storm drain system that discharges at the end of Tillery Street south of Cesar Chavez is causing erosion and unstable slopes. The erosion is considered a public safety hazard and expedited action is required. The erosion results from unstable soil at the pipe outfall and at the land surface at the top of the slope above the pipe. The outfall is at the fringe of the Colorado River floodplain. The storm drain is 66-inch diameter reinforced concrete pipe and is within the Tillery Street right of way with businesses on adjacent sides. The pipe discharges through a steep 30-40 foot high embankment near the Colorado River. This project will reconstruct the pipe outfall and stabilize the slope to mitigate the public safety hazard.

Due to the potential for unforeseen subsurface conditions, a 10% contingency has been included to allow for the expeditious processing of any change orders.

The contract allows 120 calendar days for completion of this project. This project is located within zip code 78702.

This project is managed by Public Works.