

Recommendation for Council Action (CMD)

Austin City Council Item ID: 15615 Agenda Number 3.

Meeting Date: June 14, 2012

Department: Contract Management

Subject

Authorize execution of a construction contract with DENUCCI CONSTRUCTORS, LLC for the Group 17 8th Street from Congress Avenue to West Avenue Street Reconstruction and Utility Adjustments project, an ACCELERATE AUSTIN PROJECT, in the amount of \$5,363,942.25 plus \$268,197.11 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$5,632,139.36.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding in the amount of \$4,551,792.63 is available in the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Capital Budget of the Public Works Department. Funding in the amount of \$1,080,346.73 is available in the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Capital Budget of the Austin Water Utility.

Fiscal Note	
A fiscal note is attached.	
Purchasing Language:	Lowest responsive bid of six bids received.
Prior Council Action:	
For More Information:	Richard Duane 974-7730; Steven Schrader 972-2055; Susan Garnett 974-7064; April Shaw 974-7141.
Boards and Commission Action:	Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission.
Related Items:	
MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Business Enterprise Procurement Program) through the achievements of Good Faith Efforts with 6.02% MBE and 3.10% WBE subcontractor participation.
Additional Backup Information	

This project is part of the 2006 Bond Street Reconstruction Program. This project is located on 8th Street, beginning at West Avenue and ending at Congress Avenue. The work includes full depth reconstruction of the road, storm drainage improvements, streetscape improvements including planting and benches, approximately 4,800 linear feet of various sizes of water line, 6 fire hydrants, 1,570 linear feet of 6-and 8-inch wastewater line, and sidewalk repair where required.

This project is scheduled to begin in June of 2012 and be substantially complete in November of 2014. The project team has communicated with residents and business owners in the affected areas through a combination of emails, postal mailings and website updates.

Due to the potential for unknown subsurface conditions and utility conflicts when working in the right of way, a 5% contingency has been included to allow for the expeditious processing of any change orders.

This contract allows 540 calendar days for substantial completion of this project. This project is located within zip code 78701 and is managed by the Public Works Department.

Denucci Constructors, LLC. is located in Austin, TX.