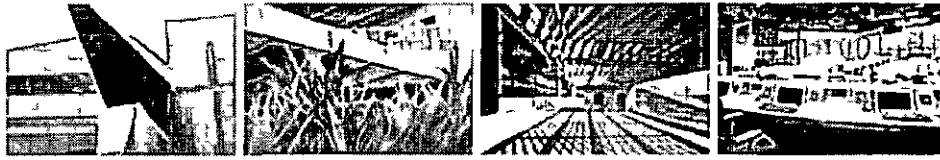


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Thursday, November 30, 2006

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Public Works RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

ITEM No 17

Subject Authorize execution of a construction contract with FACILITIES REHABILITATION, INC , Forth Worth, TX, (MBE/MH 93 95%), for the Austin Clean Water Program Govalle 4 East 4th Street Wastewater Improvements Project in the amount of \$332,897

Amount and Source of Funding Funding in the amount of \$332,897 00 is available in the Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Capital Budget of the Austin Water Utility

Fiscal Note A fiscal note is attached

Additional Backup Material

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- ☐ MAP
- ☐ AWU_FISCAL NOTE
- ☐ M/WBE SUB GOALS
REVISED
- ☐ COMMISSION
RECOMMENDATION

For More Information Daniel Layton, P E , 974-7093, Gopal Guthikonda, P E , 703-6649, Laura Bohl, 974-7064

Purchasing Language Lowest bid of six bids received

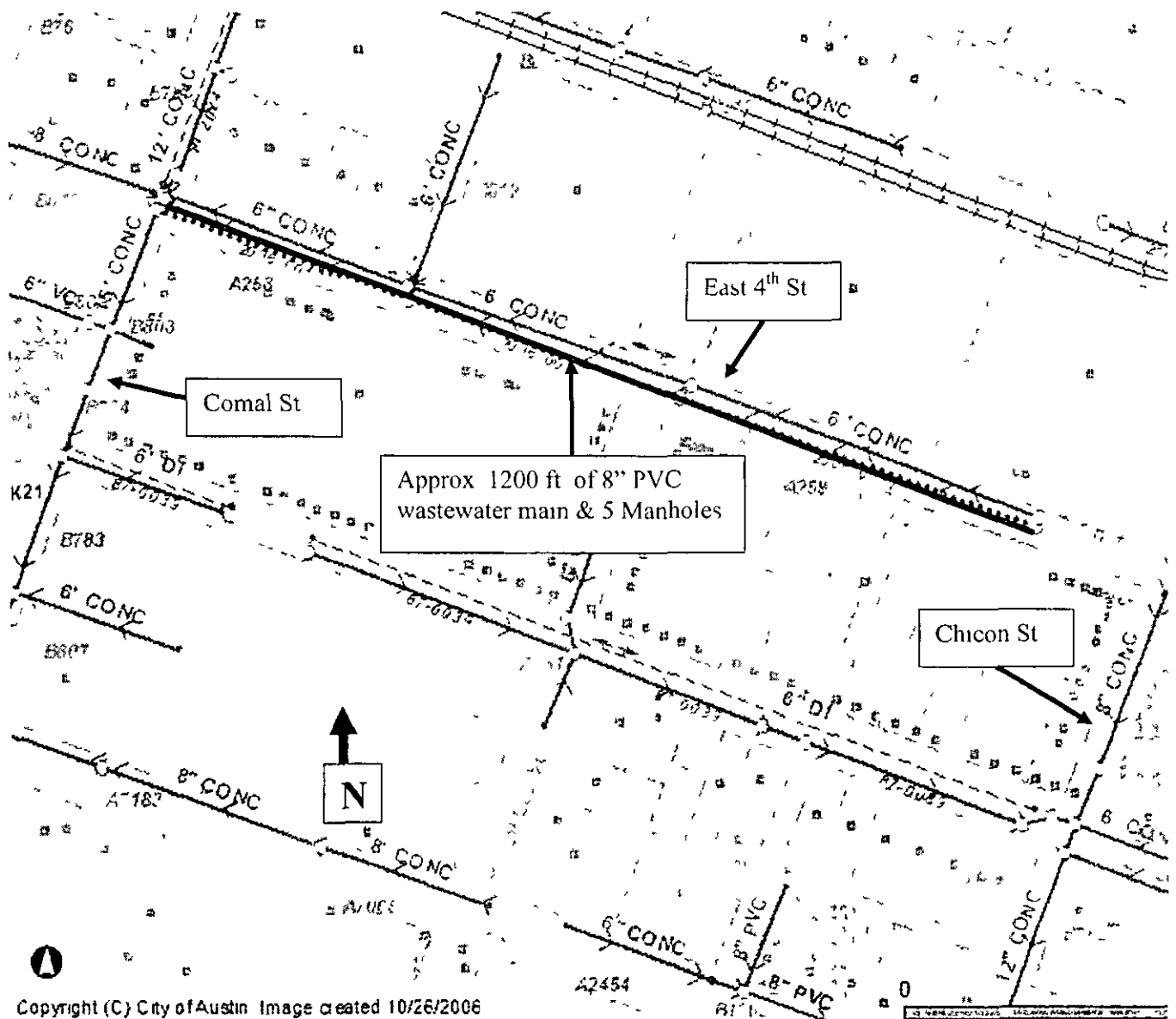
MBE/WBE This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) by meeting the goals, 0 00% MBE and 6 05% WBE subcontractor participation

Boards and Commission Action Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission

This construction contract will provide for the installation of 1,174 feet of new wastewater pipeline in East 4th Street starting at Comal Street and heading east. The improvements are intended to increase capacity and upgrade existing facilities to prevent future overflows. This project is part of the Austin Water Utility's Austin Clean Water Program (ACWP), which was developed to respond to the requirements of the Environmental Protection Agency's Administrative Order regarding Sanitary Sewer Overflows.

The proposed wastewater line improvement installs 8-inch diameter pipe with five new manholes, and abandons existing 6-inch diameter pipe and three manholes. The contract allows 85 working days for completion of this project.

ACWP Govalle 4 East 4th St Wastewater Improvements



Date _____

Bid documents were distributed to 11 general contractors Bids were opened October 26, 2006
 Facilities Rehabilitation, Inc submitted the lowest of six bids received

Facilities Rehabilitation, Inc , Forth Worth, Tx	\$332,897 00
Benitez Construction, Inc , Austin, Tx	\$370,010 00
Smith Contracting Co , Inc , Austin, Tx	\$424,327 00
Cen Tex Underground, Inc , Burleson, Tx	\$450,250 66
Capital Excavation Co , Austin, Tx	\$466,456 00
Central Texas Utility Services, LLC, Del Valle, Tx	\$559,940 00

The contractor's choice of work methodology provides for subcontracting opportunities in four areas which are listed below Participation goals stated in the solicitation were 15 84 % MBE, 5 33 % WBE
 Total participation estimated on base bid amount of \$332,897 00

MBE TOTAL – PRIME	\$312,754 00	93 95 %
Facilities Rehabilitation, Inc , Fort Worth, TX	\$312,754 00	93 95 %
WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$20,143 00	6 05 %
Fuquay, Inc , Austin, TX (Fencing and Erosion Control)	\$1,479 00	0 45 %
Harris-Grant Surveying, Inc , Austin, TX (Surveying)	\$3,200 00	0 96 %
N-Line Traffic Maintenance, Austin, TX (Traffic Control & Barricades)	\$10,964 00	3 29 %
RD Trucking, Buda, TX (Hauling)	\$4,500 00	1 35 %

The Contractor submitted an MBE/WBE Compliance Plan that met the goals of the solicitation and was approved by the Department of Small and Minority Business Resources Second and third low bidder information is provided

SECOND BIDDER – BENITEZ CONSTRUCTION, INC , Austin, TX - \$370,010 00
 84 23% MBE prime participation, 5 36 % WBE, 10 41 % Non M/WBE subcontractor participation

THIRD BIDDER – SMITH CONTRACTING CO , INC , Austin, TX - \$424,327 00
 77 87 % Non M/WBE prime participation, 16 03 % MBE, 6 10 % WBE subcontractor participation


No 111506-B

**RECOMMEND AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE A CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT
WITH FACILITIES REHABILITATION, INC., FORTH WORTH, TX FOR THE ACWP
GOVALLE 4 EAST 4TH ST WASTEWATER IMPROVEMENTS**

**November 15, 2006
REGULAR MEETING
VOTE**

	Motion	Second	Commissioner/Voter	Commissioner/Voter	Commissioner/Voter
	Made By	Consent	Abstain	Abstain	Abstain
Michael Warner (Chairperson)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chien Lee, P E , (Vice Chair)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ronnie Jones	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leslie Pool	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Karen Friese, P E	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Laura Raun	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cheryl Scott-Ryan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dale Gray	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

The Water and Wastewater Commission recommend authorization to execute a construction contract with FACILITIES REHABILITATION, INC , Forth Worth, TX for the ACWP Govalle 4 East 4th St Wastewater Improvements in the amount of \$332,897



Michael Warner, Chairperson
Water and Wastewater Commission

11/15/06
Date