

AGENDA



Recommendation for Council Action

AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL

Regular Meeting: June 28, 2018

Item Number: 057

Transportation - Mobility Bond

Authorize award and execution of a construction contract with DIJ Construction, LLC, for the 2016 Bond - Austin Transportation Department Markings and Removal Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity contract (REBID) in the amount of \$3,363,310 for an initial 2-year term, with two 1-year extension options of \$1,681,655 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$6,726,620. [Note: This contract will be awarded in compliance with City Code Chapter 2-9A (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) by meeting the goals with a combined MBE/WBE participation goal of 4.62%.]

District(s) Affected: District 1, District 2, District 3, District 4, District 5, District 6, District 7, District 8, District 9, District 10

Lead Department	Capital Contracting Office <u>Managing Department(s)</u> Austin Transportation Department
Fiscal Note	Funding in the amount of \$1,681,655 is available in the Fiscal Year 2017-2018 Capital Budget of the Austin Transportation Department. Funding for the extension options is contingent upon available funding in future budgets.
Purchasing Language	Only responsive bid received through a competitive Invitation for Bid solicitation.
For More Information	Inquiries should be directed to the City Manager's Agenda Office, at 512-974-2991 or AgendaOffice@austintexas.gov. NOTE: Respondents to this solicitation, and their representatives, shall direct inquiries to Rolando Fernandez, 512-974-7749 or Aiden

	Cohen, 512-974-1929, or the Project Manager, Alan Hughes, 512-974-3595.
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Additional Backup Information:

This item is related to the 2016 Mobility Bond.

As the City of Austin grows, so does the need to install various traffic control devices throughout the City to meet traffic demands. This contract with DIJ Construction, LLC will allow the City of Austin to install traffic control devices including long line pavement striping, crosswalk pavement markings, bicycle lane pavement markings, and speed cushions on Austin's roadways. This Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity contract will be used to support the Local Area Traffic Management Program as well as the Active Transportation Division of the Austin Transportation Department.

Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity contracts provide for an indefinite quantity of services for a fixed time, usually an initial term with extension options. They are commonly used when precise quantities of supplies or services, above a specified minimum, cannot be determined. Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity contracts help streamline the contract process and service delivery and allow the City the flexibility to add work as needs arise or change. As each project is defined, a specific work assignment will be given to the contractor who will complete the scope of work for the unit prices included in the contract. Work deadlines will be established for each work assignment.

This contract is for the installation and/or removal of reflective pavement marking paint and or thermoplastic pavement markings on Austin's roadways and the installation of asphalt speed cushions.

The base bid was used to identify and determine the lowest responsive bidder and to determine contract unit prices for each bid item and the lowest bidder.

This request allows for the award and execution of a construction contract with DIJ Construction, LLC for an initial 2-year term with two 1-year extensions. However if funds for the initial term are expended staff may accelerate the extension options, but in no event will exceed the total contract amount. The extension options are subject to the agreement of both parties.

This project was competitively bid in August 2017 resulting in two bidders submitting higher than anticipated bids and therefore the initial bids were rejected. Changes were made to

increase the dollar amount, quantities, minimum work specified, and longline striping and asphalt seat cushions were added to the scope. For the rebid, three General Contractors attended the non-mandatory pre-bid but only one bid was submitted. An attempt to contact the contractors who chose not to bid was made, but no response was received.

This project maybe located at various locations within the City of Austin.

DIJ Construction, LLC is located in Bertram, Texas.

Information on this solicitation is available on the City's Austin Finance Online website.

Link: Solicitation Documents

<https://www.austintexas.gov/financeonline/account_services/solicitation/solicitation_details.cfm?sid=120969>.