

Missoula City Council Public Works Committee Minutes

January 26, 2022, 1:50 pm
ZOOM Webinar

Members present: Mirtha Becerra (chair), Daniel Carlino, John P. Contos, Jordan Hess, Gwen Jones, Kristen Jordan, Mike Nugent, Jennifer Savage, Amber Sherrill, Sandra Vasecka

Members absent: Stacie Anderson, Heidi West

1. ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS

1.1 Roll Call

1.2 Approval of the Minutes

1.2.1 PW Committee Minutes from January 19, 2022

The minutes were approved as submitted.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

3. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

3.1 Purchase Agreement with Ennis-Flint, Inc. for High Build Paint

Chad Pancake Traffic Services Superintendent presenting,

This purchase agreement is for high build paint that traffic services used for routine maintenance such as painting street lines, bike lanes, crosswalks, and curbs. The funding will be out of the road district budget. This contract is for two thousand gallons of white and yellow.

Moved by: Sandra Vasecka

Approve and authorize the Mayor to sign a Purchase Agreement with Ennis-Flint, Inc. for High Build Paint at a cost no to exceed \$45,480.00

AYES: (10): Mirtha Becerra, Daniel Carlino, John Contos, Jordan Hess, Gwen Jones, Kristen Jordan, Mike Nugent, Jennifer Savage, Amber Sherrill, and Sandra Vasecka

ABSENT: (2): Stacie Anderson, and Heidi West

Vote results: Approved (10 to 0)

3.2 Bid Award with Knife River for W Broadway- May to Front Water Main Replacement

Andy Schultz Engineer for Utilities presenting,

This bid award to Knife River is for the water main replacement of west Broadway from May Street to Front Street. There was a leak on this section of pipe that was fixed and

staff noticed that the pipe was in very poor condition. This section of water main is a high priority because of the condition and upcoming development in the area. This project will also include new fire hydrants. Knife River was the only bidder on this project, but they align with the engineer's estimate. The funding for this project is fifty percent through American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), and the other fifty percent is pending another ARPA grant. If the grant does not come through, it will be paid for out of the water enterprise fund.

Moved by: Jordan Hess

Award the bid for the W Broadway- May to Front Water Main Replacement Project to Knife River Corporation for an amount not to exceed \$342,800 and authorize the return of bid bonds.

AYES: (10): Mirtha Becerra, Daniel Carlino, John Contos, Jordan Hess, Gwen Jones, Kristen Jordan, Mike Nugent, Jennifer Savage, Amber Sherrill, and Sandra Vasecka

ABSENT: (2): Stacie Anderson, and Heidi West

Vote results: Approved (10 to 0)

3.3 Referral – Bid Award with Mytty Excavating, Inc. dba Western Excavating for the Shakespeare Water Main Replacement

Andy Schultz Engineer for Utilities presenting,

This project is for water main replacement on Shakespeare Street from Phillip street Howell street and dates back to 1914. The City Street Department will replace the asphalt on this portion of Shakespeare street, which is what prompted the water main replacement here. Mountain Line uses this route and the asphalt is in very poor condition. This project received four bids, and Western Excavating was the lowest bid. The funding for this project is fifty percent through American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), and the other fifty percent is pending another ARPA grant. If the grant does not come through, it will be paid for out of the water enterprise fund.

Moved by: Jordan Hess

Award the bid for the Shakespeare water main replacement to Mytty Excavating, Inc. dba Western Excavating for an amount not to exceed \$269,173 and authorize the return of bid bonds.

AYES: (10): Mirtha Becerra, Daniel Carlino, John Contos, Jordan Hess, Gwen Jones, Kristen Jordan, Mike Nugent, Jennifer Savage, Amber Sherrill, and Sandra Vasecka

ABSENT: (2): Stacie Anderson, and Heidi West

Vote results: Approved (10 to 0)

3.4 Referral – Bid Award with Prospect Construction, Inc. for the Stoddard-Cooley water main replacement project

Andy Schultz Engineer for Utilities presenting,

This project is for water main replacements down Cooley, Stoddard, and Burns Streets. This project was prompted by the Trinity Cooly Apartment Complex currently under construction. Missoula Water wanted to replace the water main while the streets are under construction. This is a large project and three bids were received with Prospect Construction being the lowest bidder. The funding for this project is fifty percent through American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), and the other fifty percent is pending another ARPA grant. If the grant does not come through, it will be paid for out of the water enterprise fund.

Moved by: Jordan Hess

Award the bid for the Stoddard-Cooley water main replacement project to Prospect Construction, Inc for an amount not to exceed \$1,019,926.00 and authorize the return of the bid bonds.

AYES: (10): Mirtha Becerra, Daniel Carlino, John Contos, Jordan Hess, Gwen Jones, Kristen Jordan, Mike Nugent, Jennifer Savage, Amber Sherrill, and Sandra Vasecka

ABSENT: (2): Stacie Anderson, and Heidi West

Vote results: Approved (10 to 0)

4. ADJOURNMENT