City of Missoula, Montana
Item to be Referred to City Council Committee

Committee: Public Works
Item: Award Street Maintenance and Construction Material Contracts
Date: March 5, 2020
Sponsor(s): Brian Hensel
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Ward(s) Affected:
☐ Ward 1 ☐ Ward 4
☐ Ward 2 ☐ Ward 5
☐ Ward 3 ☐ Ward 6
☒ All Wards ☐ N/A

Action Required:
Award bids to the lowest bidders for construction and maintenance materials to be used during annual Street Division maintenance and construction work and authorize the Mayor to sign purchase agreements with the lowest bidders.

Recommended Motion(s):
I move the City Council: I move the City Council awards the bids for Street Division construction and maintenance materials as follows, authorizes the Mayor to sign purchase agreements with the lowest bidders: 1. Award the bid for 500 tons of emulsified asphalt CRS-2P polymer modified to Idaho Asphalt Supply Inc. of Hauser, ID, at $447/ton for a total of $223,500. 2. Award the bid for 2,000 tons of hot mix asphalt (grade “B”) to Knife River of Missoula, MT, at $48.48/ton for a total of $96,960. 3. Award the bid for 4,000 tons 3/8” seal coat aggregate to Knife River of Missoula, MT, at $34.00/ton for a total of $136,000. 4. Award the bid for 3,000 tons of hot mix asphalt (driveway grade 3/8”) to Knife River of Missoula, MT, at $51.48/ton for a total of $154,440. 5. Award the bid for 1,000 tons of drain aggregate (sump rock) to Western Excavating of Missoula, MT, at $30.00/ton for a total of $30,000. 7. Award the bid for 500 tons of 1/2” seal coat aggregate to Knife River of Missoula, MT, at $34.00/ton for a total of $17,000. 8. Award the bid for 5,000 tons of 1/2” sand surfacing to Knife River of Missoula, MT, at $16.00/ton for a total of $80,000.

Timeline:
Referral to committee: March 9, 2020
Committee discussion: March 11, 2020
Council action (or sets hearing): March 23, 2020
Public Hearing: N/A
Deadline: N/A

Background and Alternatives Explored:
The construction materials indicated are essential for most street maintenance- and construction-related activities, including sand for snow operations; chips and emulsified asphalt for chip sealing; asphalt for paving, construction, and pothole patching; and drain aggregate for storm sewer maintenance. A comparison with bids from previous years are included on the bid tabulation document.
Financial Implications:
Costs will be paid from the Street Division’s annual budget.

Links to external websites: