Environment Committee

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Meeting date: August 24, 2010

For the Metropolitan Council Meeting of August 25, 2010

ADVISORY INFORMATION	
Date:	August 3, 2010
Subject:	Authorization to Award and Execute Contract 10P096 for Construction of Chaska Interceptor Improvements – Phase 1 Interceptors 920601 & 920602, MCES Project Number 809044
District(s), Member(s):	District 4, Craig Peterson
Policy/Legal Reference:	Council Policy 3-3, Expenditures
Staff Prepared/Presented:	William Moeller 651-602-4504
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Proposed Action

The Metropolitan Council authorizes its Regional Administrator to award and execute a construction contract for Chaska Interceptor Improvements – Phase 1 Interceptors 920601 & 920602, MCES Project Number 809044, Contract No. 10P096, with Lametti & Sons for their low bid of \$6,648,770.

Background

This project consists of proposed improvements to existing interceptor facilities. The proposed improvements are required to replace deteriorated facilities. This contract includes rehabilitation of approximately 1,000 feet of 30-inch diameter, 6,530 feet of 36-inch diameter, 260 feet of 42-inch and 2,090 feet of 48-inch diameter reinforced concrete pipe. Cured-in-Place Pipe (CIPP) is the proposed method of rehabilitation for the interceptor. In addition, 34 maintenance access structures will be replaced and one discharge structure will be rehabilitated.

A formal Invitation for Bids (IFB) was advertised and issued for the construction contract. Three bids were received on August 3, 2010, ranging from \$6,648,770 to \$9,150,055. Lametti & Sons submitted the lowest responsive, responsible bid in the amount of \$6,648,770. The low bid was approximately 40% below the engineer's estimate of \$11,016,134.

Rationale

Construction contracts exceeding \$1,000,000 require Metropolitan Council authorization.

Funding

BUDGET INFORMATION						
Annual or		Estimated		Unencumbered	Requested	
Capital	Project No.	Project Cost	Current Auth.	Funds	Amount	
Capital	809044	\$6,648,770	\$11,100,000	\$11,015,655.55	\$6,648,770	

Known Support / Opposition

No known opposition.