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## MEMORANDUM

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**TO:** GREGG MANDSAGER  
**FROM:** JON LUTZ  
**SUBJECT:** HERSEY AVENUE RECONSTRUCTION  
**DATE:** MARCH 15, 2011

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Bids were received by the Iowa Department of Transportation on March 15, 2011. Seven bids were received as follows:

Sulzberger Excavating Inc.	\$1,078,751.93
McCarthy Improvement Co.	\$1,247,611.70
Muscatine Bridge Co. Inc.	\$1,278,137.24
Brandt Construction Co.	\$1,357,597.07
Tschiggfrie Excavating Co.	\$1,377,206.67
Vieth Construction Corp.	\$1,395,078.75
Valley Construction Co.	\$1,483,037.99

Engineer's cost estimate was \$1,400,000 with \$381,415 funded via the Surface Transportation Program. Award of bid for the Hershey Avenue Reconstruction project is recommended to Sulzberger Excavating.

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**AWARD CONTRACT FOR  
HERSHEY AVENUE RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT**

It is resolved that the following bid is determined to be the lowest responsible bid for the Hershey Avenue Reconstruction Project.

<u>NAME &amp; ADDRESS CONTRACTOR</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF BID</u>
Sulzberger Excavating Inc. 1500 South Houser Street Muscatine, IA 52761	\$1,078,751.93

It is further resolved that the Hershey Avenue Reconstruction Project is awarded to the above named contractor for \$1,078,751.93, and the Mayor and City Administrator are authorized and directed to enter into a written contract with said contractor. This contract will cover the furnishing of material for, and construction of the Hershey Avenue Reconstruction Project, such contract not to be binding until approved by resolution of this Council.

It is further resolved that the amount of the contractor's bond is fixed at \$1,078,751.93, which is one hundred percent of the contract price.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED THIS 15th DAY OF MARCH, 2011.

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Richard W. O'Brien, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Gregg Mandsager, City Administrator

Hershey Reconstruction  
Apparent Bid Results  
March 15, 2011

<b>Bidder</b>	<b>DBE %</b>	<b>Bid Amount</b>
SULZBERGER EXCAVATING COMPANY (SU061)	9.17	\$ 1,078,751.93
MCCARTHY IMPROVEMENT CO. & AFFIL DBA MCCARTHY IMPROVEMENT CO (MC061)	2.08	\$ 1,247,611.70
MUSCATINE BRIDGE CO., INC. (MU181)	4.23	\$ 1,278,137.24
BRANDT CONSTRUCTION CO. & SUBSIDIARY (BR101)	2.53	\$ 1,357,597.07
TSCHIGGFRIE EXCAVATING CO. (TS020)	2.09	\$ 1,377,206.67
VIETH CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION (VI035)	0.72	\$ 1,395,078.75
VALLEY CONSTRUCTION CO. (VA020)	2.02	\$ 1,483,037.99