
MEMORANDUM

TO: RANDY HILL, PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR

FROM: JON LUTZ, CITY ENGINEER

SUBJECT: WEED PARK TO WILDCAT DEN TRAIL

DATE: JAN 3, 2011

INTRODUCTION:

The Weed Park to Wildcat Den Trail has been let through Iowa DOT. The City needs to formally award the project prior to entering into contract for the work.

BACKGROUND:

Bid results for the IOWA DOT December 21st, 2010 letting of the Weed Park to Wildcat Den Trail are as follows:

Sulzberger Excavating Company	\$448,578.90 Low bidder
Peterson Contractors, Inc.	\$450,686.95
Vieth Construction Corporation	\$588,668.65
Brandt Construction Co. & Subsidiary	\$618,014.56
McCleary Excavating, Inc.	\$768,156.61
Valley Construction Co.	\$822,436.72
Engineer's Estimate	\$460,215.09

RECOMMENDATION/RATIONALE:

Recommend City Council award the project to Sulzberger Excavating Company for \$448,578.90.

BACKUP INFORMATION:

1. Bid Tabulation
2. Contract form from IDOT
3. IDOT project award and contract instructions

RESOLUTION NO. _____

AWARD CONTRACT FOR

It is resolved that the following bid is determined to be the lowest responsible bid for the Weed Park to Wildcat Den Trail.

<u>NAME & ADDRESS CONTRACTOR</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF BID</u>
Sulzberger Excavating Company 1500 S. Houser Street Muscatine, IA 52761	\$448,578.90

It is further resolved that the Weed Park to Wildcat Den Trail is awarded to the above named contractor for \$448,578.90, and the Mayor and City Clerk are authorized and directed to enter into a written contract with said contractor covering the furnishing of material for, and construction of the Weed Park to Wildcat Den Trail, 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 \$448,578.90, which is one hundred percent of the contract price.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED THIS 6th DAY OF JANUARY, 2011.

Richard W. O'Brien, Mayor

ATTEST:

Gregg Mandsager, City Administrator