

CITY OF ALLENTOWN

RESOLUTION

R - 2017

Introduced by the Administration on May 3, 2017

Authorization for Contract with Baseline Contracting, Inc. in the amount of \$822,253.00 to construct, reconstruct or remove and dispose of concrete curb and/or sidewalk and other incidental work as may be authorized by the City Engineer – competitive bid, one other bidder.

Resolved by the Council of the City of Allentown, That

WHEREAS, Article 130.16 of the City's Administrative Code requires City Council approval by Resolution for the award of contracts or engagement of professional services.

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City of Allentown to enter into an agreement/engage the services of the following named contractor/consultant, for the use and purpose indicated in supporting the Recommendation of Award of Bid or Contract dated April 26, 2017:

- 1. Name of Contractor/Consultant: Baseline Contracting, Inc.
- 2. Project or Contract Reference: BID No. 2017-04
- 3. Description of Service(s) to be provided: To construct, reconstruct or remove and dispose of concrete curb and/or sidewalk, located within the City limits, along with incidental work as may be authorized by the City Engineer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Allentown, hereby authorizes the Mayor and/or such other City officials as deemed appropriate by the City Solicitor, to sign and execute a Contract or Amendment and such other agreements and documents as are deemed by the City Solicitor to be necessary and/or related thereto, with the above named contractor/consultant, for the project identified.



CITY OF ALLENTOWN Request for Approval

SUBJECT: Request for Approval by City Council of Contract Award, Service, or Contract Price

Increase Pursuant to City Ordinance, Article 130.16

Project or Contract Reference: BID No. 2017-04 - Curb and Sidewalk Work for the 2017

Streets Program (various locations)

TO: City Council, City Clerk, and Council Solicitor

FROM: Craig Messinger, Department Head

DATE: April 26, 2017

On behalf of the Administration, pursuant to City Ordinances, Article 130.16, I request City Council's approval of the following recommendation of the referenced contract award or price increase.

Check Type of Contract or Change:

X The contract is for over \$40,000 and required to be competitively bid under the City Code. We have advertised the above referenced project and received qualified bids/proposals. We recommend award of the contract to the bidder/proposer identified and for the reasons stated below.

The recommendation is for a price increase of 10% or more for an existing contract over \$40,000 that was previously bid and awarded under city policies.

The engagement of professional services. We have received and reviewed a proposal or proposals for professional services in connection with above referenced project or requirement for professional services. We recommend award of the engagement.

- Is the contract appropriation or price increase included in this year's budget? X yes no
- Identify contract funding sources (general fund, grants, loans, etc. & account number):

Capital Fund-001-03-1731-1712-76 Capital Fund-001-03-1731-1212-76

The number of any alternate quotes/bids and the names of the alternate bidders, if any.

Construction Masters Services, LLC, P.O. Box 1063, Reading PA 19607

 The name and address of the recommended Contractor/Vendor/Professional Service Provider/Lowest Responsible Bidder is:

Baseline Contracting, Inc., 2800 Quarry Street, Coplay, PA18037

• Term of contract or estimated completion date, subject to standard extensions:

The contract shall commence upon the issuance of the Notice to Proceed and shall cease on December 31, 2017 unless the City issues a Change Order for a time extension and/or up to a 25% increase in the contract amount. Change Order quantities, if not completed in 2017, may extend to 2018 and will be defined in the Change Order as a quantity change and/or a time extension.

Description of project or scope of services to be provided:

To construct, reconstruct or remove and dispose of concrete curb and/or sidewalk, located within the City limits, along with incidental work as may be authorized by the City Engineer.

• State the actual or estimated price to the City or the proposed Department budget allowance for the initial term; and state payment rate per unit of service if applicable:

\$822,253.00

Number of renewal term options and duration of each renewal, if any:

0

 Maximum dollar value of all renewals provided for beyond the original term as if all renewals were exercised:

n/a

Reasons for recommendation of Administration and Council approval of contract:

The City is in need to reconstruct or remove and dispose of concrete curb and/or sidewalk, located within the City limits

Time Frame

ASAP

Please approve this recommendation by passing the accompanying resolution. A vote of final approval is requested at the first City Council agenda listing of this matter.

By: Craig Messinger, Department Head

Copies To: Mayor

Mayor Director of Finance

Purchasing Controller

Attachment: proposed resolution