

TO: James L. App, City Manager
FROM: Doug Monn, Public Works Director
SUBJECT: Award Construction Contract to Upgrade & Realign Sewer Mains
DATE: March 17, 2009

NEEDS: For City Council to consider awarding a construction contract to upgrade and realign two existing sewer mains.

FACTS: 1. Wastewater maintenance staff has identified two locations to needing upgrade, rehabilitation and/or realignment to existing sewer mains.

a) First & Vine
Sewer discharge from the area west of Vine Street at First Street presently flows via an aged main located on private property. As a result of their age the sewer mains within these residential properties require frequent maintenance. It is proposed that the existing sewer mains be replaced and re-routed to public right-of-way (Vine Street) to connect to the Lift Station at First and Vine. The Lift Station will accommodate this additional flow.

b) 6th & Pine
The sewer discharge from 4th Street to 6th Street flows into an existing pipeline located under Robbins Field ultimately connecting to a main at 7th Street. Recently the pipe under Robbins Field broke requiring staff to facilitate emergency repairs. During the repair process it was discovered that the pipe located under Robbins Field has outlived its useful life and is prone to future failure. The scope of work proposed would replace the aged sewer and relocate it to the public right of way at 6th Street ultimately connecting to the existing sewer at Pine Street. The pipeline in Pine Street was recently constructed as part of the development at 4th and Spring.

2. Bid documents were prepared and the project was advertised for bids.

3. At the bid opening on February 26, 2009, 19 bids were received as follows:

DeChance Construction.....	\$ 89,615
Crandall Construction	96,680
D-Kal Engineering.....	104,637
Elevation General.....	105,964
R. Baker Corporation	113,050
John Madonna Construction.....	116,360
MGE Underground	116,989
Raminha Construction.....	119,630
Bray Construction	124,678
Hollister Engineering.....	125,835
Newton Construction	126,500
S. Chaves Construction	126,933
Whitaker Construction	128,060
Tierra Construction.....	134,310
Mountain Cascade.....	139,800
C. Beecham Corporation	142,748
R. Burke Corporation	158,585

Granite Construction.....	161,161
Specialty Construction.....	167,510

ANALYSIS &

CONCLUSION: Staff reviewed the apparent low bid submitted by DeChance Construction and found to be a responsive and responsible bid.

POLICY

REFERENCE: Wastewater Operations Manual; Public Contract Code

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IMPACT: The adopted Capital Improvement Project has a budget of \$500,000 under Budget No. 601.910.5452.685. This budget was adopted to address the need to upgrade existing sewer lines in the City.

- OPTIONS:**
- a. Adopt Resolution No. 09-xx awarding and authorizing a contract to upgrade and realign existing sewer mains to DeChance Construction in the amount of \$89,615.
 - b. Amend, modify, or reject the above option.

Prepared by: Ditas Esperanza, P.E., Capital Projects Engineer

Attachments: Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. 09-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASO ROBLES
AWARDING THE CONTRACT TO UPGRADE AND REALIGN SEWER MAINS

WHEREAS, Wastewater maintenance staff has identified two locations needing upgrade, rehabilitate or realignment of existing sewer mains: (1) First & Vine, and (2) 6th & Pine); and

WHEREAS, bid documents were prepared and advertised, and at the bid opening on February 26, 2009, 19 bids were received ranging in price from \$89,615 to \$167,510; and

WHEREAS, staff reviewed the low bid submitted by DeChance Construction and found it to be a responsive and responsible bid; and

WHEREAS, funds for this project are available in the Capital Improvement Projects Budget No. 601.910.5452.685 (no additional appropriation will be necessary).

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles does hereby award a contract to upgrade, rehabilitate and realign existing sewer mains to DeChance Construction in the amount of \$89,615, and authorizes the City Manager to execute the contract.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Paso Robles this 17th day of March 2009 by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:

Duane Picanco, Mayor

ATTEST:

Cathy M. David, Deputy City Clerk