

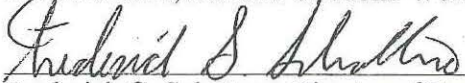
Memorandum
Public Works Department
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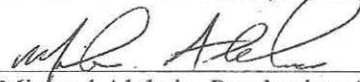
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TO: Albert J. Rigoni, Village Manager

FROM:


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Frederick G. Schattner, Director of Engineering


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DATE: June 3, 2009

SUBJECT: **FY2010 Thermoplastic Pavement Marking – Agenda Item**

The Village purchases Thermoplastic Pavement Marking Maintenance on an annual basis. Pricing for Thermoplastic Pavement Marking is obtained through the Northwest Municipal Conference's joint purchasing contract for thermoplastic pavement marking. The Conference annually bids this type of work to attain the best prices available for the volume of work represented by its members. The lowest responsive and responsible bidder was Superior Road Striping of Melrose Park, Illinois.

Budget & Account: \$45,000 003-3303-431.03-30

Tabulation

See attached Bid Tabulation from the Northwest Municipal Conference which depicts the unit prices that are established.

Recommendation

It is recommended that a contract be awarded to Superior Road Striping for Thermoplastic Pavement Marking Maintenance in the amount not to exceed \$45,000. The exact amount of marking required will be calculated per the established unit prices for the final field measured quantities.

Comments

The Public Works Department has successfully participated in the Northwest Municipal Conference contract for Thermoplastic Pavement Marking Maintenance for the past eight years. The Village of Skokie was not able to obtain more favorable pricing than the conference, due to the economics of scale realized through the combination of the needs of numerous communities by the NWMC. The contract provides for the maintenance of stop lines, bars, letters & symbols, crosswalks, certain lane lines and etc. throughout the Village.

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It should be noted that the contract, which was bid by the Conference, was solicited and awarded in accordance with IDOT standards for this type of work. Superior has been the lowest responsible bidder for the past seven years for this Contract. In addition, the Village of Skokie has worked with Superior Road Striping in the past on various other projects in the Village. The Village staff has a positive experience working with Superior Road Striping with satisfactory results.

Attachments: 2009 Northwest Municipal Conference Thermoplastic Lane Marking Bid
Tabulations

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