



Corporate Report

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COUNCIL DATE: July 14, 2008

REGULAR COUNCIL

TO: **Mayor & Council** DATE: **July 7, 2008**
FROM: **General Manager, Engineering** PROJECT FILE: **4808-002/11**
SUBJECT: **Contract Award - M.S. 4808-002-11**
Drainage, Stormwater and In-stream Works

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Engineering Department recommends that Council:

1. Award Contract M.S. 4808-002-11 to Double M Excavating Ltd. in the amount of \$431,692.15 (including 5% GST); and
2. Set the expenditure authorization for Contract M.S. 4808-002-11 at \$537,000.00 (including 5% GST).

SCOPE OF WORK

This contract is to replace the deteriorating storm sewer located beneath the CP Railway tracks at the 19300 Block of 54 Avenue, to replace the eroded corrugated steel pipe culvert crossing Harvie Road at 80 Avenue, and to construct a storm pipe by-pass to divert flows on the Serpentine River (south of 88 Avenue) to allow the maintenance and dredging of the sediment trap located in-stream.

TENDER RESULTS

Tenders for Contract M.S. 4808-002-11 were received on June 26, 2008, as follows:

<i>Contractor</i>	<i>Tendered Amount with GST</i>
1. Double M Excavating Ltd.	\$431,692.15
2. Mission Contractors Ltd.	\$571,595.87

Since the projects include in-stream works, only contractors from the Council-approved pre-qualified list were invited to submit tenders. While a number of contractors expressed interest in this tender, only two bids were received.

The Engineer's pre-tender estimate was \$529,706.10 (including 5% GST).

EVALUATION

The City's consultant reviewed the tenders for accuracy and completeness. No errors were found. All submissions included the required 10% bid bond, and were signed and sealed on the Tender Form and Summary Sheet of the Schedule of Quantities and Prices.

The low bidder, Double M Excavating Ltd., has provided a Consent of Surety for a Performance Bond and a Labour & Materials Bond, and agreed to complete the work within 70 working days as stipulated in the contract. Their past performance on similar work has been satisfactory and they have no outstanding legal claims against the City. It is, therefore, recommended that Double M Excavating Ltd. be awarded Contract M.S. 4808-002-11.

FUNDING

Funding for this contract is available in the approved 2008 Budget.

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