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COUNCIL REPORT

TO:

CITY MANAGER

DATE:

2015 March 24

FROM:

DIRECTOR FINANCE

FILE:

5820-20

Reference:

2015-01

SUBJECT:

CONTRACT AWARD 2015-01

COMBINED SEWER SEPARATION PROGRAM PACKAGE III

GILMORE LANES

PURPOSE:

To obtain approval to award a construction contract for the separation of existing combined sewers and replacement of existing watermains in the lane south of

Cambridge Street between Esmond Avenue and Gilmore Avenue.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council approve a contract award to Richco Contracting Ltd. for a total cost of \$1,268,421.00 including GST in the amount of \$60,401.00 for work as outlined in this report. Final payment will be based on actual quantity of goods and services delivered and unit prices as tendered.

REPORT

Six tenders for this contract ranging from \$1,268,421.00 to \$1,776,194.70 were received by the closing time on 2015 March 23. The work of this contract involves the separation of existing combined sewers and replacement of existing watermains in the lane south of Cambridge Street between Esmond Avenue and Gilmore Avenue.

The recommended company, Richco Contracting Ltd., has not previously undertaken a contract for the City in the past, however, reference checks by our consultant indicates that they have successfully completed utility contracts in a satisfactory manner for several Lower Mainland cities. The consultant's review indicates that the contractor has the equipment and personnel capability to successfully complete the work required under this contract. The Director Engineering concurs with this recommendation.

Funding for this requirement is provided under Capital projects EJA.0013 and EKA.0013 which are included in the 2015 – 2019 Provisional Financial Plan.

Denise Jorgenson

DIRECTOR FINANCE

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Director Engineering