

Legislative File No: 2008-0448

TO:	Mayor and City Council Members	
FROM:	Roger H. Rousse, Director of Public Service	
DATE:	September 8, 2008	
SUBJECT:	Walton Boulevard Pathway Rehabilitation Addition City File No. E07-013	

REQUEST:

The Department of Public Service recommends accepting the unit prices for the proposed additional work to be added to the existing Avon Pathway Rehabilitation Project contract with Asphalt Specialists, Inc., of Pontiac, Michigan in the amount of \$31,435.00 and authorize the Mayor and Clerk to execute a contract on behalf of the City. The additional work includes the rehabilitation of approximately 1,300 feet of existing eight (8) foot wide asphalt pathway along the south side of Walton Boulevard from Adams Road to 1,300 feet west of Adams.

The Department of Public Service also requests City Council authorization of a 10% contingency in the amount of \$3,143.50 to allow for quantity adjustments based on final measurements verified in the field.

REASON FOR PURCHASE:

During City staff's traffic control coordination efforts with the 2008 Brooksieway Marathon Event Executive Committee (CRIM, Oakland County Government, RCOC), staff performed a site visit of the proposed staging area for the event participants. Upon inspection it was determined that this segment of pathway is in need of rehabilitation, which corresponds with previous inventories conducted by City inspectors. City staff is currently finalizing the annual Pathway Rehabilitation Program, however, due to the time sensitive nature of the proposed repair work, staff is recommending that this work be added to the existing Avon Pathway Rehabilitation Project in order to complete the work in time for the October 5th event. A map of proposed work and the Brooksieway Event Route is attached for your reference.

The existing pathway consists of a 4-inch asphalt pavement. Approximately 50% of the 1,300 feet of pathway that is to be rehabilitated will need to be removed and replaced as it is in a failed condition. The other 50% will be resurfaced with 2-inches of asphalt. The existing pathway ramp at the southwest corner will also be brought up to ADA compliance as part of this work.

PROCESS:

Vendor Name and Address:

Asphalt Specialists, Inc. 1780 E. Highwood Pontiac, MI 48340

Reason for Selection: Lowest responsive, responsible bid

BUDGET:

The project is funded in the 2008 Adopted Budget Plan and incorporated into the Pathway System Rehabilitation Program, PW-01. The project amount is \$34,578.00 [\$31,435.00 plus a 10% contingency of \$3,143.50]. A third quarter budget amendment will be proposed using \$34,578.50 balance from Avon Pathway project.

Fund Name	Department Account No	Account No. Description	Budget Amount	Cost	Remaining Budget
Pathway	403.974000	Land Improvement PW-09	\$365,320.00 *	\$34,578.50	\$330,741.50 *

⁶ Note: \$296,871.30 was previously approved for expenditure toward Avon Road Pathway Rehabilitation.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Rochester Hills City Council awards the contract for the Walton Boulevard Pathway Rehabilitation from Adams Road to approximately 1,300 feet west of Adams with Asphalt Specialists, Inc., of Pontiac, Michigan in the amount of \$31,435.00 and authorizes the Mayor to execute the contract on behalf of the City.

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The Department of Public Service staff will provide the following construction professional engineering services for this project including: inspection, complaint resolution, and contract administration. Outside consulting services will provide the geotechnical materials testing.

APPROVALS:	SIGNATURE	DATE
Department Review		
Department Director		
Budget Content: Finance Director		
Purchasing Process: Supervisor of Procurement		
Mayor		
City Council Liaison		

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