



Corporate NO: R166

Report COUNCIL DATE: July 17, 2000

REGULAR COUNCIL

TO: Mayor & Council **DATE: July 13, 2000**

FROM: General Manager, Engineering **FILE: 4800-005-11**

SUBJECT: Contract Award M.S. 4800-005, C.A.P. Ventures Ltd.

RECOMMENDATION

That Contract M.S. 4800-005 be awarded to the low bidder, C.A.P. Ventures Ltd., in the amount of \$1,030,672.15, including GST.

SCOPE OF WORK

This contract covers the Drinkwater Creek and 172 Street Storm Diversion, and the Upper Serpentine Ditch Improvement works. The scope of work includes the ditch improvement works along the 8600 block from 17800 block to 184 Street and along 172 Street from 88 Avenue to 90 Avenue. It also includes a trunk diversion from the proposed Tynehead Elementary School at 8231 - 169 Street to 172 Street and along 172 Street from address 8231 to the Serpentine River at Greenway Drive. These ditch improvement works will assist in conveying the flow to the recently awarded Upper Serpentine Pump Station.

Construction is expected to start in August, and be completed by October 2000.

TENDER RESULTS

Nine contractors obtained tender documents from the Consultant and two tenders were received on July 5, 2000, with the results as follows:

Contractors	Tender Amount With GST	Corrected Amount
1. C.A.P. Ventures Ltd.	\$1,030,661.50	\$1,030,672.15

2. GCL Contracting & Engineering \$1,078,731.20
Inc.

The Engineer's pre-tender estimate was \$1,154,000, including GST.

The reasons for receiving only two tenders are:

- most drainage contractors are committed during the short Fisheries Construction Window, August 1 through September 15; and
- very limited number of contractors are experienced in installing large diameter polyethylene pipe.

EVALUATION

All tenders were checked for legal or mathematical errors. One tender made minor mathematical errors, which did not alter his standing; the corrected tender amounts are shown above. The low bidder for Contract M.S. 4800-005 is C.A.P. Ventures Ltd., their past performance with the City has been adequate.

FUNDING

Funding details are as follows:

Total funding required	\$1,586,000
Available funding	\$1,693,000
Saving	\$107,000

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General Manager, Engineering

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Attachment

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