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> Halifax Regional Council April 24, 2007

TO:

Mayor Kelly and Members of Halifax Regional Council

**SUBMITTED BY:** 

Dan English, Chief Administrative Officer

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DATE:

April 12, 2007

**SUBJECT:** 

Award - Unit Price Tender No. 07-213, Thin Overlays - Phase 1,

**Various Locations** 

#### **ORIGIN**

The Approved Advanced 2007/08 Capital Budget.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that Council award Tender No. 07-213, Thin Overlays - Phase 1, Various Locations to Lafarge Canada Inc. for material and services listed at the unit prices quoted for a Total Tender Price of \$772,924.92 (net HST included) with funding from Capital Account No. CZU00782 - Resurfacing, as outlined in the Budget Implications section of this report.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The Approved Advanced 2007/08 Capital Budget includes funds for the surface sealing of various streets throughout HRM.

#### **DISCUSSION**

Tenders were called on March 10, 2007 and closed on March 23, 2007. Bids were received from the following companies:

Name of Company	Bid Price (Net HST Included)
Lafarge Canada Inc.	\$ 772,924.92*
Dexter Construction Company Limited	\$ 943,686.20
Ocean Contractors Limited	\$1,045,031.10
Basin Contracting Limited	\$1,536,877.37

#### \*recommended bidder

The scope of work for this tender generally consists of the preparation of the existing roads for overlay, the application of thin overlay paving and the replacement of existing pavement markings.

It is anticipated that work will commence within three weeks of the tender award and take five weeks to complete.

This is a **UNIT PRICE** contract and the cost will be dependent upon the actual quantities measured and approved by the HRM Project Manager.

There are no Local Improvement Charges associated with this work.

#### **BUDGET IMPLICATIONS**

Based on the lowest tendered price of \$772,924.92, including net HST, funding is available in the Approved Advanced 2007/08 Capital Budget from Account No. CZU00782 - Resurfacing. The budget availability has been approved by Financial Services.

<b>Budget Summary:</b>	Capital Account No. CZU00782 - Resurfacing	
	Cumulative Unspent Budget	\$2,970,906
	Less: Tender No. 07-213	<b>\$</b> 772,925 *
	Balance	\$2,197,981

\* This project was estimated in the Approved Advanced 2007/08 Capital Budget at \$800,000.

The balance of funds will be used to implement the remaining 2007/08 resurfacing projects approved by Council.

# FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT POLICIES/BUSINESS PLAN

This report complies with the Municipality's Multi-Year Financial Strategy, the approved Operating, Capital and Reserve budgets, policies and procedures regarding withdrawals from the utilization of Capital and Operating reserves, as well as any relevant legislation.

### **ALTERNATIVES**

There are no recommended alternatives to this course of action.

# **ATTACHMENT**

List of streets for Thin Overlay.

A copy of this report can be obtained online at <a href="http://www.halifax.ca/council/agendasc/cagenda.html">http://www.halifax.ca/council/agendasc/cagenda.html</a> then choose the appropriate meeting date, or by contacting the Office of the Municipal Clerk at 490-4210, or Fax		
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# **STREET LIST - THIN OVERLAYS**

<u>District</u>	Project/Location
3	Cain Street (Day Care Centre to End)
3	Simmonds Road (North Preston to End)
4	Attwood Crescent (Ashgrove to Ashgrove)
4	Addison Place (Ashgrove to End)
4	Briarlynn Crescent (Colby to Colby)
8	Belmont Avenue (Pleasant St to End)
8	Wentworth Circle (Redoubt to Redoubt)
15	Evans Avenue (Randall to Evans Connector)
15	Evans Avenue (Evans Connector to Titus)
15	Evans Avenue (Ford to End)
16	Oakley Avenue (Ross to End)
17	Edgehill Road (Fenwood to Quarry)
17	Doull Avenue (Brook to Milsom)
18	Rockingstone Road (Old Sambro to Leiblin)
18	Rockingstone Road (Civic 59 to Ardwell)
19	Stokil Drive (Nordic to End)
20	Neily Drive (Nordic to Nordic)
20	Parmac Drive (Dickey to End)
20	Candlewood Ct (Riverside to End)
21	Gordon Street (Central to Cedar)

PLEASE NOTE: Staff wish to advise that the above street listing may change slightly depending on a further evaluation of road conditions at the time of the thin overlay application. Consequently, additional streets may be added or the list changed, depending upon that evaluation.