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#### Item No. 11.1.1

Halifax Regional Council May 11, 2010

TO:	Mayor Kelly and Members of Halifax Regional Council
SUBMITTED BY:	Dan English, Chief Administrative Officer
	Wayne Anstey, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer - Operations
DATE:	April 22, 2010
SUBJECT:	Award - Unit Price Tender No. 10-215, Thin Overlays - Phase 1 Various Locations

#### **ORIGIN**

The Approved Advanced 2010/11 Capital Budget.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that Halifax Regional Council:

- 1. Approve a budget increase of \$45,839.73 (net HST included) to Capital Account No. CZU01082 Resurfacing Program, funded through cost sharing with Halifax Water.
- 2. Award Tender No.10-215, Thin Overlays Phase 1, Various Locations to Dexter Construction Company Limited for a Total Tender Price of \$962,510.27 (net HST included) with funding from Capital Account No.CZU01082 Resurfacing Program, as outlined in the Budget Implications section of this report.

# BACKGROUND

The Approved Advanced 2010/11Capital Budget includes funds for the resurfacing of various streets by thin overlay.

#### **DISCUSSION**

Tenders were called on March 4, 2010 and closed on March 18, 2010. Bids were received from the following companies:

Name of Company	<b><u>Bid Price</u></b> (net HST included)	
Dexter Construction Company Limited	\$ 962,510.27*	
Ocean Contractors Limited	\$1,396,208.76	
Basin Contracting Limited	\$1,459,993.42	

#### \*recommended bidder

The scope of work for this tender generally consists of the installation of a new asphalt surface layer and associated reinstatement.

It is anticipated that work will commence within three weeks of the tender award and take 5 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 \$962,510.27 (net HST included), funding is available in the Approved Advanced 2010/11Capital Budget from Capital Account No. CZU01082 - Resurfacing Program. The budget availability has been confirmed by Financial Services.

Budget Summary: <u>Capital Account No. CZU01082, Resurfacing Program</u>

 Cumulative Unspent Budget
 \$2,677,566

 Plus: Halifax Water Cost Sharing
 \$ 45,840

 Less: Tender No. 10-215
 \$ 962,510 \*

 Less: Tender No. 10-217
 \$ 628,677

 Less: Tender No. 10-226
 \$ 348,640

 Balance
 \$ 783,579

The balance of funds will be used to implement the remaining 2010/11 Resurfacing Projects approved by Council.

#### FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT POLICIES/BUSINESS PLAN

This report complies with the Municipality's Multi-Year Financial Strategy, the Proposed Operating, Capital and Reserve budgets, policies and procedures regarding withdrawals from the utilization of Capital and Operating reserves, as well as any relevant legislation. If approved this will increase the gross 2010/2011 Capital Budget but not by the net.

#### **ALTERNATIVES**

There are no recommended alternatives to this course of action.

#### **ATTACHMENT**

Attachment 1 - Signed Cost Sharing Letter.

Attachment 2 - Street List

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 at 490-4208.

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<sup>\*</sup> This project was estimated in the Approved Advanced 2010/11 Capital Budget at \$900,000. As a result of cost sharing from Halifax Water, the net cost to Capital Account No. CZU01082 is \$916,670.



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#### MEMORANDUM

TO:

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CC:

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Asset Management

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FROM:

Peter Lynds, P.Eng., Design Engineer, Design & Construction Services, Infrastructure

and Asset Management

DATE:

March 19, 2010.

SUBJECT:

Tender No. 10-215, Thin Overlays - Phase 1,

Various Locations - West/Central/East Region

Tender No. 10-215, Thin Overlays – Phase 1, Various Locations – West/Central/East Region, closed Thursday, March 18, 2010. Prior to tender award, a cost sharing agreement must be finalized between the Halifax Regional Municipality (HRM) and Halifax Water (HW).

Enclosed is a bid comparison summary for the items associated with the watermain and sewer work for this project. This is from the lowest bidder, Dexter Construction Company Limited.

In the most recent discussions on this subject, HW has agreed to pay for the manhole and water valve adjustments which (based on the unit prices) are as follows:

#### Manhole and Water Valve Adjustments

Cost for Shaft Adjustment (Manhole)	
0 - 250 mm Adjustment	

0 - 230 mm	Adjustinent
Cost for Type 1	Water Valve Adjustment (No Parts)
Cost for Type 1	Water Valve Adjustment (With Parts)

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102	x \$160.00/Ea	ı. x 100%	= \$ 16,320.00
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$$35 \times $600.00/Ea. \times 100\%$$
 = \$21,000.00

**Subtotal** 
$$= $44,320.00$$

Net HST (i.e. 3.429%) 
$$=$$
\$ 1.519.73

Project Total 
$$=$$
 \$ 45,839.73

Based on the bidder's tender prices and the above cost sharing, HW's costs for Tender No. 10-215, Thin Overlays - Phase 1, Various Locations - West/Central/East Region is \$44,320.00 plus net HST for a Project Total of \$45,839.73

Actual cost sharing for this project will be based on final quantities determined during construction.

If you agree to this arrangement, please indicate by signing below and return it to my attention. If you have any questions, please call me at 490-6898.

Sincerely,

Peter Lynds, P.Eng. Design Engineer

Etu 2 yrds

PL/wy

Halifax Water

Date

## Tender 10-215 Thin Overlays Street List

<b>District</b>	Location	Limits	
4	Colby Drive	Greenborough Ave. (w)	Deerbrooke Drive
5	The Horseshoe	Oathill Crescent	End
6	Bareng Court	Admiral Street	End
7	Portland Estates Boulevard	Portland Street	Barry Allen Drive
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8	Caldwell Road	Oceanview Manor	Himmelman Drive
9	Windmill Road	Waddell Avenue	Victoria Road
12	Veterans Memorial Lane	Summer Street	Robie Street
16	Flamingo Drive	Amberwood Court	Knightsridge Drive
18	View Royal Drive	Herring Cove Road	Lancaster Drive
20	Rosebank Drive	Old Beaver Bank Road	Turning Circle
20	Schultz Street	Riverside Drive	Cul-de-sac
21	Union Street	Mall Entrance	Bedford Highway

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 the evaluation.